

DAY 1	CRITICAL APPRAISAL AGENDA
0900	Introduction to evidence-based medicine
0910	Appraising methodology - The clinical question and primary hypothesis; types of studies; samples and populations; endpoints.
1000	Appraising methodology - Bias; confounding factors; restriction; matching; randomisation; blinding; reliability; validity.
1030	Coffee
1045	Understanding results - Intention to treat analysis; null hypothesis and P values; confidence intervals; power; type I & II errors.
1230	Lunch
1330	Understanding results - Types of data; risks and odds; statistical tests.
1430	Correlation & regression – Multivariate statistics.
1500	Coffee break
1515	Prognostic studies – Kaplan Meier analysis, Hazards ratios.
1600	Systematic reviews and meta-analyses

1700	Feedback and close
DAY 2	
0900	Clinical paper session
1030	Coffee
1045	Clinical paper session
1230	Lunch
1330	Clinical paper session
1500	Coffee break
1515	Clinical paper session
1600	Feedback and close