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*Evidence-Based Medicine & Health Promotion:
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Monday June 1st 2009	Tuesday June 2nd 2009
Registration	
Opening Ceremony	
<p><u>Plenary 1</u> <u>Session 1</u> <i>Health Promotion & Public Health</i> <u>Chair: Prof. Khalid Al-Khalifa</u> <i>Royal Medical Services, Bahrain Defence Force Hospital</i></p> <p>Keynote Address: Dr. Ali Fakhro.</p>	<p><u>Plenary 2</u> <u>Session 1</u> <i>Research into Practice</i> <u>Chair: Dr. Jamal Al-Sayyad</u> <i>Medical Review, Ministry of Health</i></p> <p>Keynote Address: Dr. Fawzi Amin.</p>
<p>Speaker 1. Liz Waters <i>Coordinating Editor, Cochrane Public Health Review Group. The Cochrane Collaboration</i> Making a difference for the health of the population – evidence for policy and practice action. [Generating new relevant, high priority evidence]</p> <p>Speaker 2. Rebecca Armstrong <i>Senior Research Fellow - Knowledge Translation & Exchange, Cochrane Health Promotion and Public Health Field. The Cochrane Collaboration</i></p> <p>The complexity of knowledge translation and exchange research.</p>	<p>Speaker 1. Nick Royle <i>Chief Executive Officer The Cochrane Collaboration</i> Cochrane - what's over the horizon?</p> <p>Speaker 2. Andrew Dillon <i>Chief Executive National Institute for Health & Clinical Excellence [NICE]</i></p> <p>Turning evidence into policy: 10years of NICE experience in the UK.</p>
<p><u>Session 2</u> Speaker 1. Fayek Al Hilli <i>Ministry of Health/Bahrain Medical Bulletin</i></p> <p>Medical Research in the Middle East: future prospects.</p>	<p><u>Session 2</u> Speaker 1. Ian Shemilt <i>Research Coordinator, Campbell & Cochrane Economics Methods Group.</i> Adding value: the role of health economics perspectives and evidence in Cochrane reviews.</p>

<p>Speaker 2. Dunia Alhashimi <i>Co-Director Bahrain Branch UKCC The Cochrane Collaboration</i></p> <p>The Bahrain Branch of The Cochrane Collaboration: four years on what have we achieved?</p>	<p>Speaker 2. Mike Clarke <i>Director UK Cochrane Centre The Cochrane Collaboration and the University of Oxford</i></p> <p>What makes a good randomised controlled trial? Quality and practice.</p>
<p><u>LUNCH AND PRAYERS</u></p>	<p><u>LUNCH AND PRAYERS</u></p>
<p><u>Workshop 1</u></p> <p>Rob Scholten <i>Director Dutch Cochrane Centre The Cochrane Collaboration</i></p> <p>Introduction to Systematic Reviews of Diagnostic Test Accuracy.</p>	<p><u>Workshop 1</u></p> <p>Ian Shemilt <i>Research Coordinator Campbell & Cochrane Economics Methods Group.The Cochrane Collaboration</i></p> <p>Introduction to searching for health economics studies.</p>
<p><u>Workshop 2</u></p> <p>Rebecca Armstrong/Jos Verbeek <i>Cochrane Health Promotion and Public Health Field/Finnish Branch, Nordic Cochrane Centre.The Cochrane Collaboration</i></p> <p>Conducting systematic reviews of population level and public health interventions.</p>	<p><u>Workshop 2</u></p> <p>Hans van der Wouden/Moh'd Al-Muharraqi/Amani Al Hajeri <i>Dutch Cochrane Centre/Bahrain UK Cochrane Centre. The Cochrane Collaboration</i></p> <p>Assessment of ‘Risk of Bias’ in Randomised Controlled Trials.</p>
<p><u>Workshop 3</u></p> <p>Marian Showell /Karen New <i>Cochrane Menstrual Disorders & Subfertility Group/Neonatal Group.The Cochrane Collaboration</i></p> <p>Finding the evidence: The Cochrane Library</p>	<p><u>Workshop 3</u></p> <p>Kalipso Chalkidou/Mike Clarke <i>Director Policy Consulting National Institute for Health & Clinical Excellence [NICE]/ Director UK Cochrane Centre The Cochrane Collaboration</i></p> <p>Evidence is not value-free: challenges of evidence-informed policy making.</p>
	<p><u>CLOSING CEREMONY</u></p>