

Topics Proposed by Member States for the WHO Annual meeting of National Pharmacovigilance Centres, 5-8 November 2018, Geneva, Switzerland

Plenary

- Assessment of PV systems
- Pharmacovigilance success stories from countries
- PV of biologicals, biosimilars
- Impact assessment: WHO indicators in measuring impact of Pharmacovigilance (PV)
- Competency based PV Curriculum
- Current developments and advances in WHO PV strategies

Updates

- PV Research updates
- Risk-based approaches
- Patient reporting
- Antimicrobial resistance
- PV in vulnerable populations: Pregnant women

Working Groups

- Reporting quality problems with pharmaceuticals
- Regional collaborations
- Medication errors
- Educational tools: latest updates
- Strategies for improving the quality of information
- Improving communication/sharing of signals
- Rational use of drugs: Antimicrobial Resistance
- Monitoring the safety of herbal medicines

Tutorials

- Signal detection: practical exercises
- Spontaneous reporting versus active surveillance
- Benefit-harm assessments
- Pharmacovigilance Tools