

Cochrane Workshop on Systematic Reviews on Network Meta-analysis

WORKSHOP TIMETABLE

Workshop Day 1	
Time	Contents
08:30 – 09:00	<i>Registration & Collection of Course Materials</i>
09:00 – 09:10	Opening and Welcome Address
09:10 – 09:30	L1: Refresher of systematic review processes
09:30 – 10:00	L2: Overview of Network meta-analysis
10:00 – 10:20	<i>Tea Break</i>
10:20 – 11:00	L3: Systematic reviewing for a NMA – special considerations
11:00 – 11:30	L4: Introduction to the research question & evidence for the practical exercise
11:30 – 12:30	P1: Refresher of pair-wise meta-analysis using RevMan
12:30 – 13:30	<i>Lunch</i>
13:30 – 14:00	L5: Introduction to indirect & multiple treatment comparisons
14:00 – 15:00	P2: Practical exercise in estimating effects by ITC & MTC
15:00 – 15:20	<i>Tea break</i>
15:20 – 15:50	P3: Dataset structure and entry in Stata
15:50 – 16:30	P4: Repeat of P2 exercise using Stata
16:30 – 16:45	Recap of the Day
16:45	<i>End of Day 1</i>

Workshop Day 2	
Time	Contents
08:30 – 09:00	<i>Registration</i>
09:00 – 09:30	L6: Assumptions & assumption checking for ITC
09:30 – 10:30	L7: Checking the Consistency assumption for MTC MA
10:30 – 10:50	<i>Tea Break</i>
10:50 – 12:00	L8: Overview of the NMA meta-regression model
12:00 – 13:00	<i>Lunch</i>
13:00 – 14:00	P5: Conducting an NMA using STATA I (Continuous outcome)
14:00 – 15:00	L9: Interpreting the results I
15:00 – 15:20	<i>Tea break</i>
15:20 – 16:00	P6: Conducting an NMA using STATA II (Binary outcome)
16:00 – 16:30	L10: Interpreting the results II
16:30 – 17:00	L11: Critical appraisal of NMA
17:00	<i>End of Day 2</i>