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10:00am – 16:30pm
BioCity, Nottingham

The NIHR Office for Clinical Research Infrastructure (NOCRI) and HealthTech & Medicines KTN have launched a new series of regional workshops to support the medical technology industry. For the first time, the NIHR is providing companies with a comprehensive overview of the innovation landscape on a regional basis.

With speakers from the NIHR, industry, Department of Health and NICE, each event provides companies with a “route map” to successfully translate ideas into commercial products. To support the uptake of new technology into clinical practice, these events will highlight the importance of understanding unmet clinical need and the generation of appropriate clinical evidence for medical technologies.

This event being hosted by Medilink East Midlands will help businesses to navigate the complex and changing innovation landscape for medical devices. It will provide information on how best to access support mechanisms that currently exist.

HOW TO REGISTER:

Early registration is recommended as places are limited.

To register, please visit
<http://www.medilinkem.com/events-training/events-calendar/2012/02/23/optimising>

Places are charged at £80 plus VAT, with a discounted rate of £50 plus VAT for KTN Members and Medilink Members.

Through a combination of informative presentations and industry case studies, this full day programme will present a definitive “route map” to assist medical device companies successfully convert ideas into commercial products and accelerate their development, and eventual adoption.

PROGRAMME:

Session 1: Medtech Innovation Landscape

- An introduction to the Innovation Pathway
- Understanding The Importance of Unmet Clinical Needs
- Regulatory Requirements & Medical Device Studies
- Funding for Innovation

Session 2: Understanding Clinical Research

- Clinical Research within the NHS
- An introduction to the NIHR Clinical Research Network
- An Industry Perspective: Working with the NIHR Clinical Research Network
- Collaborative Research – Engaging with World-Leading Clinical Academics
- Delivering Collaborative Research through the NIHR Clinical Research Infrastructure

Session 3: Adoption of Innovation

- NICE & the Medical Technologies Evaluation Programme
- An Industry Perspective of the NICE Medical Technologies Evaluation Programme

This event forms part of a national roadshow. Further events will be held in London, Bristol and Scotland. For further information about these events please contact Emma Martin.

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