



الهيئة العامة للغذاء والدواء  
Saudi Food & Drug Authority



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SFDA Academy

## SFDA Academy Training Programs

## Training Program Name

## Training Program Goals

### 01 Introduction to Quality of Inspection Laboratories

- 01 Understand the intended meaning of "quality" term.
- 02 Understand the importance of applying quality at the national level.
- 03 Learn about the basics and elements of quality infrastructure.

### 02 Food Quality and Safety

- 01 Identify the sources of contamination in food and protection methods.
- 02 Learn about the basics of inspection of establishments and the most important inspection points to consider during field visits
- 03 Identify the difference between the food quality and food safety.
- 04 Learn about the remarkable international systems of food safety and quality applicable to food facilities.

### 03 Implementation of the safety food standards in food industries

- 01 Identify food safety systems and standards.
- 02 Identify the proactive requirements for food safety and how to determine them
- 03 Development of decision-making capabilities and the positive impact on results.

### 04 Classification and organization of integrated and combined products

- 01 Identify the concept of integrated/ combined product.
- 02 The SFDA's approach and the sectors' role in organization, registration, and assessment of integrated and combined products.
- 03 The remarkable updates in the project of integrated and combined product regulation

### 05 Borderline products classification

- 01 Understand the regulations approved by the SFDA and borderline products.
- 02 Identify the mechanisms and standards of regulation and classification of products and borderline products.
- 03 Remarkable updates in the regulations and procedures of product classification.

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### 06 Technical procedures for feed products registration

- 01 Develop the trainees' cognitive skills within the scope of feed products registration
- 02 Learn about the laws and regulations governing the feed products in Saudi Arabia.
- 03 Identify the methods of feed product classification and apply them practically with trainees.
- 04 Identify the documents required for feed products registration.
- 05 Identify the approved types of package cards according to the feed product classification.

### 07 Conformity of food products with the technical regulations and standards

- 01 Explain the SFDA employees' mechanism for conformity of the food products with the technical regulations and food standards approved by SFDA.

### 08 Methods of research assessment

- 01 Identify the research types.
- 02 How to read scientific paper in detail.
- 03 Critical assessment of the research

### 09 How to develop research question and conduct literature review

- 01 How to develop and evaluate research question

### 10 Requirements for safe use of medical devices inside healthcare facilities

- 01 Learn about executive administration activities for control and biometrics
- 02 Identify the requirements for safe use of medical devices inside healthcare facilities

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### ISO 22000 Food safety management

- 01 Identify and understand the reasons for developing ISO 22000 and its relation to the other ISO standards.
- 02 Understand the requirements for applying ISO22000 (food safety management) to food facilities.
- 03 Ability to evaluate compliance of facilities with ISO22000 requirements.

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### Assessment of medical devices and supplies files

- 01 Having good knowledge of the laws and regulations of medical devices and supplies required for technical file assessment.
- 02 Identify the mechanism for reviewing medical devices and supplies files.
- 03 Analysis the common mistakes in the technical files of medical devices and supplies

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### Requirements for the safe use of radioactive medical devices

- 01 Assess the compliance of the healthcare facilities with the requirements for the safe use of radioactive medical devices.

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### Integrated Vector Management (IVM)

- 01 Identify the integrated management
- 02 Action plan for combating disease-vectors such as mosquitoes and cockroaches, and how to control these pests in the environment.
- 03 Use of available resources for reducing economic costs, environmental and health impacts and minimizing dependence on pesticides.
- 04 Have full knowledge and know-how to manage these pests.

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### Scientific research and database

- 01 Identify and understand the scientific research properly.
- 02 Explain and describe the different contents of scientific papers and how to select the paper type according to the researcher's goal.
- 03 Explain scientific magazines and discuss the theme of impact factor and selecting the proper magazine for publication
- 04 Identify the scientific databases and academic search engines and how to use them properly to select the appropriate and reliable scientific paper.

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### Risk management in laboratories

- 01 Identify and understand laboratories related risks.
- 02 Identify, analysis and assess risk sources.
- 03 Learn about how to deal with and treat each risk.

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## **Basic Medication Safety Course**

- 01 Enhance the knowledge of the healthcare providers about medication safety.
- 02 Promote Safe Medication Practices
- 03 Promote a Just Culture for reporting and managing medication errors
- 04 Provide tools for incorporating medication safety into work processes.

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## **How to transfer the studies' results into scientific opinions**

- 01 Identify how to read scientific paper.
- 02 How to critically evaluate scientific proofs.
- 03 Identify the scientific statement concept and phases of its issuance.
- 04 How to write a scientific opinion.

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## **Standard specifications and technical committees**

- 01 Develop the participants' skills in the field of measurement and standard specifications.
- 02 Skills of drafting the standard specifications

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## **Hand-on GC-FID**

- 01 Why do we perform alcohol analysis.
- 02 Apply standard operating procedure for alcohol analysis by GC-FID.
- 03 Explain principle and software of GC-FID and interpret analysis results.

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## **Requirements for safety and laboratories approval according to ISO17025 & ISO9001**

- 01 Reasons behind paying attention to implementing comprehensive quality in laboratories
- 02 Identify ISO17025 and ISO9001 and their relation to implementing quality systems in laboratories.
- 03 Developing the knowledge on basics of quality management systems in laboratories

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### Pharmaceutical Laboratory

- 01 Identify and apply the General Pharmaceutical Laboratory Tests (Physical).
- 02 Identify and apply the General Pharmaceutical Laboratory Tests (Chemical).
- 03 Operate Pharmaceutical analysis Instruments.
- 04 Avoid Pharmaceutical analysis mistakes
- 05 Increase your productivity

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### Research study design and ethics

- 01 Identify the types of research methodologies.
- 02 Learn about the remarkable concepts in research study design.
- 03 Learn about the remarkable concepts in scientific research ethics.

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### Pharmaceutical, biological and advanced therapy medicinal products clinical studies: Clinical evaluator perspective

- 01 Pharmaceutical, biological and advanced therapy medicinal products clinical studies: Clinical evaluator perspective
- 02 Appraise the safety and efficacy data in clinical studies

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### Heavy metals analysis by ICP-MS

- 01 Why do we perform heavy metals analysis.
- 02 Apply standard operating procedure (SOP) for heavy metals analysis by ICP-MS.
- 03 Explain principle and software of ICP-MS and interpret analysis result.

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### Dissolution testing for semisolids

- 01 Explore the different dissolution systems for semisolids.
- 02 Identify the critical parameters of drug release studies on semisolids
- 03 Discuss the Applied methods for certain active pharmaceutical ingredients.

**Identify  
ISO2200:2018 Food  
safety management  
systems**

- 01 Identify ISO22000 Food safety management system.
- 02 Learn about the benefits of implementing the system to guarantee the food safety.
- 03 Difference between the food safety management system, risk assessment system and critical control points.



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