



21-22 MARCH 2018  
**IPFA 3<sup>rd</sup> Asia Workshop on  
*Plasma Quality and Supply***

**IPFA 3rd Asia Workshop on Plasma Quality and Supply - technological, regulatory and organisational tools to produce plasma for fractionation  
*Programme as per 13 February 2018***

**Day 1: Wednesday 21 March 2018**

**09.00 hrs Session 1: Opening and Setting the Scene**

**Chair: Dr P. Strengers**

- Opening:
  - Traditional opening (10 mins)
  - IPFA welcome remarks – Dr P. Strengers, IPFA (the Netherlands) (10 mins)
  - Formal opening by Director General Datuk - Dr Noor Hisham Abdullah (10 mins)
- Keynote Setting the Scene – Dr F. Rossi, IPFA (the Netherlands) (30 mins)
- Current status of plasma/PDMP supply in Malaysia - Dr N. Abu Amin, Pusat Darah Negara (Malaysia) (20 mins)

**10.30 hrs Coffee Break**

**11.00 hrs Session 2: Meeting Patient Needs**

**Chair: Dr A. Verma**

- Management of Haemophilia in Malaysia: Patient Perspective – Mr T.A. Khalib, Haemophilia Society Malaysia (Malaysia) (20 mins)
- Clinical Management Immunodeficiency in Malaysia/Region – Dr A. Ali, UKM Medical Center, Malaysia (Malaysia) (20 mins)
- Intravenous immunoglobulin for non-immune replacement indications – Dr P. Crispin, Canberra Hospital (Australia) (20 mins)
- Prothrombin Complex (PCC) - Prof H. Nandurkar, Monash University (Australia) (20 mins)

**12.45 hrs Lunch Break**

**14.15 hrs Session 3: Development of Quality Systems for Blood Establishments**

**Chair: Mr J. Vincini**

- Getting the basics right / GMP for collection – Singapore experience – Dr A.L. Ang, Health Sciences Authority (Singapore) (20 mins)
- Developing a Culture of Quality in Blood Establishments – Dr P. Flanagan, New Zealand Blood Service (New Zealand) (20 mins)
- Quality systems – Delivering Cost Savings – Dr J-C. Faber, LuxConsulTrans (Luxembourg) (20 mins)
- Panel Discussion



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**15.45 hrs Coffee Break**

**16.15 hrs Session 4: Quality Management**

**Chair: Dr P. Flanagan**

- National Regulatory Authority Milestone in Promoting GMP Compliance in Blood Establishment - Mr M.L. Ibrahim, NPRA (Malaysia) (20 mins)
- Specific Requirements for Plasma for Fractionation – Mr S. Merrien, LFB Biomédicaments (France) (20 mins)
- Quality Management – A Risk Based Approach, Mr M.N. Mohd Nasrul, NPRA (Malaysia) (20 mins)

**17.30 hrs End of Day I**

**19.00 hrs Departure for Dinner**

**Day 2: Thursday 22 March 2018**

**08.30 hrs Session 5: Manufacturers' Session**

**Chair: Dr B. Perry**

- T.B.A.
- Grifols
- Tangential Flow Filtration challenges and consideration for Plasma, Ms K. Chan, Merck (Singapore) (20 mins)

**10.30 hrs Coffee Break**

**11.00 hrs Session 6: Strategies for National/Regional Supply of PDMPs**

**Chair: Dr F. Rossi**

- Secure national supply – the Australian experience – Mr M. Stone, National Blood Authority (Australia) (20 mins)
- Perspective of Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) – Ms A. Cooray, Grifols Diagnostic Solutions (USA) (20 mins)
- Example from the region: The National Fractionation Programme in Thailand - Dr U. Charoonruangrit, the Thai Red Cross Society (Thailand) (20 mins)
- Setting up a fractionation facility – Mr M. Tsuda, Japan Blood Products Organization (Japan) (20 mins)
- Panel Discussion



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**12.45 hrs Lunch Break**

**14.15 hrs Session 7: Donor Recruitment and Plasma Collection**

**Chair: Dr B. Perry**

- Converting whole blood donors into plasma donors – New Zealand Experience – Ms A. Burge, New Zealand Blood Service (New Zealand) (20 mins)
- Experience in the region - Dr Y. Soedarmono, Ministry of Health (Indonesia) (20 mins)
- Establishing Plasma Donor panels in Australia – Mr C. Richards, Australian Red Cross Blood Service (Australia) (20 mins)

**15.45 hrs Session 8: Epidemiological considerations and donor screening strategies**

**Chair: Dr P. Strengers**

- Donor epidemiology in the region – T.B.A. (20 mins)
- Emerging TTIs – Ms S. Lam, Health Sciences Authority, (Singapore) (20 mins)
- Screening strategies: Serology/NAT screening algorithms (20 mins) – Mr W. Dimech, National Reference Laboratory (Australia) (20 mins)

**17.00 hrs Closure**

**17.15 hrs Farewell Drinks**