

Schedule of IAEA/EANM Courses in 2008 under Regional TC Project RER/6/014: Improving Clinical Practice in Nuclear Medicine

Course Title	Location	Seats	Course Dates in 2008	Deadline for submission of Nominations	Selection Criteria	Educational Objectives
IAEA/EANM Radionuclide Therapy – Dosimetry Course	VIENNA, Austria	5	3-4 May	15 Feb 2008	NM physicians working in places with already implemented therapeutic activities Physicists with strong commitment to start dosimetry studies	This intensive two-day course will be of benefit to clinicians, physicians, medical physicists and technicians and will provide an overview of the field and lecture material prepared by acknowledged experts. Interactive sessions will also be employed to demonstrate therapy and dosimetry techniques.
IAEA/EANM Paediatric Oncology & Nephro-Urology Course	VIENNA, Austria	5	29-30 November	20 June 2008	NM physicians with proven experience in clinical NM, preferably with background in pediatric applications, willing to implement this activity in their departments	The goals of the course are: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. To give an overview on nuclear medicine in paediatric nephro-urology and oncology 2. To offer personal access to practical examples via the presentation of clinical cases on the workstations of the - EANM Educational Facility 3. To provide an opportunity for constructive discussion both with the facilitators and among the participants

IAEA/EANM Learning Course on PET and PET/CT in Oncology	VIENNA, Austria	10	6-7 December	15 August 2008	NM physicians from countries having programs to implement PET in their practices	Starting with physical principles, biodistribution of FDG and patient preparation the main goal of the course is to demonstrate the clinical value of FDG PET/CT in oncology. In contrast to the previous PET course more space is left to general knowledge of the disease including epidemiology, diagnosis, strength and weakness of other modalities than PET, treatment and the question why the clinician needs PET/CT for decision making. The PET/CT revision group tried to provide educational high quality PET/CT images where the advantage of the fused images is clearly demonstrated.
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RER/6/014: Improving Clinical Practice in Nuclear Medicine
Planned Programme of Training in 2008

IAEA support for participation in EANM Teaching Courses

On a pilot basis, there are a number of training courses organized by the European Association for Nuclear Medicine (EANM).

1. Please complete a **separate** form “Nomination for Training Courses” for **each** applicant, quoting project code and course title, and submit it to IAEA through the official channels by the deadline indicated. Because of the time required for administrative arrangements, applications received after this date or replacement of the persons nominated cannot be considered.
2. Applicants should state whether they are members of EANM.
3. Persons who have attended a particular EANM teaching course before should not apply for the same course again.
4. Once an applicant is selected, cancellation is not possible unless under exceptional circumstances. Applicants’ understanding would be appreciated.
5. Nominating institutions are strongly encouraged to note the intended target participants for each activity and purpose of the training course as described in the attached list. Some of the events are very specific and are intended to assist particular countries only. For each activity, priority will be given to those countries and institutions for which participation is most appropriate.
6. At the request of developing Member States, the IAEA will consider the possibility of providing coverage of the applicable course fee and a stipend for the duration of the training course, as well as a prepaid air ticket or grant for international travel (standard class) between the home country and the venue of the training course, to selected participants from outside of the host country.
7. Unless otherwise stated, the working language will be **English**. Applicants must have sufficient command of the working language in order to follow the course.