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COURSE ON CLINICAL TRIALS

The scientific and technological progress is fostering, particularly in some medical fields, the advent of innovative drugs, while, on the other hand, other fields, though deserving the greatest attention, are still burdened by unmet therapeutic needs.

This implies that future medical doctors should acquire the competence to, on one side, grasp in a critical and constructive manner the real advancement associated with the newest therapeutic opportunities and, on the other side, to play a proactive role in clinical research, carried out in accord to the principles of scientific rigor and respecting patients rights.

The Degree Course in Medicine and Surgery and the chair of Pharmacology organize four lectures directed to students/ residents/ PhDs to review some relevant aspects of clinical trials.

Programme

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| November 30th | 10.00-12.00 | Innovation in pharmacology and EBM
<i>Maria Luisa Barbaccia (chair of Pharmacology,
University of Rome Tor Vergata)</i> |
| December 1st | 10.00-12.00 | Goals and designs of clinical trials/ GCP
<i>(Expert from Aifa, to be confirmed)</i> |
| December 2nd | 10.00-12.00 | Role of Ethical Committees
<i>Maria Grazia Marciari (President, Independent Ethical
Committee - Policlinico Tor Vergata)</i> |
| December 6th | 10.00-12.00 | Informed consent
<i>Maria Luisa Di Pietro (Center for Global Health Research
and Studies Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore - Roma)</i> |

Venue: Aula Bovet , Bldg A, Faculty of Medicine, University of Rome Tor Vergata