



# ICMHD

## Short Courses





## **MIGRATION: IMPLICATIONS FOR HEALTH AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT**

### **Introduction**

**Migration and its implications for health and social development has become a major concern to both receiving and sending countries. At a time when the politics of migration are changing everywhere and when the integration of migrants is being questioned, it is essential that people receiving and working with migrants, refugees and asylum seekers be conversant with the dynamics of migration and social integration, and what steps they can and should take to promote health and facilitate integration.**

### **Short Courses**

**During 2017, the International Centre for Migration and Health (ICMHD) will organize three training courses on reception and response to migrants, refugees and asylum seekers. The courses will be of two days duration, and will be provided over a weekend. They are designed for healthcare and public health professionals, humanitarian workers and others with responsibilities in this field. Certificates will be provided on completion of the course. The course fee is 800 CHF, including meals.**

**For more details please contact Ina Gudumac at [igudumac@icmhd.ch](mailto:igudumac@icmhd.ch) for more details on the courses.**



## **COURSE OUTLINE**

- **CHANGING PATTERNS OF MIGRATION**
  - **Types of migration and migrants**
  - **Factors affecting voluntary and forced migration**
- **EMERGING HEALTH CHALLENGES**
  - **Preparing for and responding mass migration**
  - **New epidemiological profiles**
  - **Non-communicable and communicable diseases**
  - **Psychosocial health in emergencies**
  - **Reproductive health in emergencies**
  - **Accessing and using healthcare services**
  - **Surveillance and screening**
  - **Cultural competency**
  - **Social integration and the role of health systems**



### **DATES**

13-14 May

2-3 September

4-5 November

Presentations by experts from ICMHD, WHO and other international agencies are in English, and are accompanied by written handouts. Daily attendance is from 9am to 5pm. Lunch and refreshments will be provided. Participants will receive a certificate of achievement on completion of the course.

Deadline for registration for the May course is 15<sup>th</sup> April. Please register as soon as possible as the number of participants is limited.

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