WEB LINKS TO FDA EDUCATIONAL AND DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

INTRODUCTION

FDA offers many online educational resources for industry, health professionals, scientists, consumers, regulatory counterparts, and potential FDA employees to improve their knowledge and understanding of the Agency and its work.

Information relevant to these different audiences such as online education, FDA opportunities for professional development and internships, web-based training for regulatory partners, classroom education for healthcare professionals, and requests for FDA speakers can be accessed by clicking on the underlined web links below.
FDA EDUCATION ONLINE

**FDA Basics:** Provides information about FDA and what the Agency does.

- FDA Fundamentals
- Animal & Veterinary
- Cosmetics
- Dietary Supplements
- Drugs
- Foods
- Medical Devices
- Radiation-Emitting Products
- Tobacco Products
- Vaccines, Blood, Biologics

**FDA Basics for Industry:** From A to Z

**CDER Learn:** FDA’s Center for Drug Evaluation and Research Web page for educational tutorials.

- CDER World
- The Past, Present, and Future of FDA Human Drug Regulation
- Medicines in My Home - An Interactive Home
- Bringing an Unapproved Drug Into Compliance
- Risk Assessment and Communication
- FDA Medwatch and Patient Safety
- The FDA Process for Approving Generic Drugs
- An Introduction to the Improved FDA Prescription Drug Labeling

**CDRH Learn:** FDA’s Center for Devices and Radiological Health Web page for industry education.

- Overview of Regulatory Requirements: Medical Devices
- Quality System Regulation 21 CFR Part 820 Basic Introduction
- Introduction to Medical Device Recalls: Industry Responsibilities
- CDRH Regulated Software: An Introduction
- Device Establishment Registration and Listing
- Overview of the Premarket Notification Process – 510(k)
• How to Get Your Electronic Product on the U.S. Market
• Phantom Image Scoring (For MQSA Inspectors)
• eSubmitter Tutorial Videos
• Bioresearch Monitoring (BIMO)
• Export Certificates for Medical Devices
• Medical Device Reporting (MDR)

Foreign Regulatory Web-Based Seminar: CBER’s Regulation of Biologics

FDA’s Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research (CBER) offers this web-based program to regulators worldwide on CBER’s oversight of biological products in the United States.

FDA's Guidance Webinar Series: Fosters transparency in developing guidance documents via live video outreach to affected stakeholders. Provides real-time question and answer sessions with the guidance's primary authors. Includes archived webinars, transcripts, and audience questions.

FDA Continuing Education Programs on Medscape: FDA offers a series of web-based educational activities featuring FDA experts, focusing on the safe use of drugs and medical products.

ORA University: FDA's Office of Regulatory Affairs (ORA) offers free, high-quality, web-based training for state, local, and tribal regulatory partners.
  • An Introduction to FERN
  • Computer-Based Case Study: "Salmonella in the Caribbean"
  • An Introduction to Food Security Awareness FD251A
  • CARVER + Shock Software Tool
  • ALERT: Food Defense Awareness
  • Basics of Auditing for Regulators MP1050
  • A Tour of FDA
  • June 28, 2010 Integrated Food Safety System Webinar

CLASSROOM EDUCATION

FDA’s Clinical Investigator Training Course: FDA's annual 3-day course for medical professionals provides FDA perspectives on a range of clinical study design and conduct issues.

FDA 101: Under development.
FDA DEVELOPMENTAL OPPORTUNITIES

Fellowships, Internships, Graduate and Faculty Programs: Provides information on fellowship, internship, graduate, and faculty programs open to individuals interested in pursuing a career in science at FDA.

INFORMATIONAL SITES

For Health Professionals: Provides topics of interest to health professionals, from information on recalls and misleading drug ads to upcoming public meetings.

Meetings, Conference and Workshops: Provides information on FDA-sponsored public meetings by topic.

About FDA: Provides information on FDA’s operations, organization, and web site.

REQUESTING FDA SPEAKERS

CBER: Describes the process for requesting a CBER speaker for a meeting, conference, or workshop.

CDRH/OCER: To request a CDRH speaker, contact: cynthia.garris@fda.hhs.gov (Phone: 301-796-5861, Fax: 301-847-8142).

CTP: Provides information on Formal Correspondence and Speech and Meeting Requests