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Re: Organisation and accreditation of educational events under the current circumstances (COVID19)

Dear Provider, Dear Colleague,

First, we would like to express our kindest wishes to you and your loved ones for good health during those most challenging times with the pandemic of COVID 19.

UEMS-EACCME appreciates immensely your work and collaboration with EACCME and wishes to assure you that we are taking all possible measures to allow you to continue to provide top quality education accredited by EACCME.

In that regard, we have already put the following measures in place:

- Possibility to postpone an accredited event or an event in review;
- Streamline/live transmission of an event at the date planned or at another date, with the option to shorten the original programme for organizational purposes.

In all cases, providers are kindly invited to upload the new programme on their event page on the EACCME platform, indicating the new dates and highlighting any differences with the original programme submitted at the time of application, and to inform the EACCME office by email when this is done (accreditation@uems.eu).

The EACCME office will go through the new programme and:

- In the case of an accredited event, confirm the accreditation with the new dates (or recalculate the credits granted in the case of an amended or shortened programme) and will regenerate the letter of accreditation and certificate.
- In the case of a submitted event or an event in review, proceed to the review of the new programme.

All providers who have contacted the EACCME office have been informed of these measures and have expressed their gratitude and appreciation to the UEMS-EACCME for its flexibility and understanding during these difficult times.



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If you have any further questions or face any further challenges, please contact the EACCME office and we will do our utmost best to help you.

We wish you all the best during those challenging times.

Yours sincerely,

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