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Re: Organisation and accreditation of webinars related to COVID 19

Dear Provider, Dear Colleague,

During the past weeks, many webinars related to COVID 19 emerged targeting healthcare professionals in their own field of practice and providing them with specific specialty-related guidance.

In order to support providers and the medical community in these most challenging times, the UEMS-EACCME has decided to offer a special review and accreditation process for webinars organised under the specific issue of COVID 19, during this period of pandemic disease.

This special review and accreditation process allows providers to submit an application for a webinar on COVID 19 at the latest one week prior to the start of the webinar. The UEMS-EACCME will take care of having the review done as expeditiously as possible and have it completed before the date of the webinar. The application for example will be sent for review without waiting to receive the payment.

To apply, please complete the application for live educational events and provide the necessary documents (programme, director's declaration, COI form(s), evaluation form) with your submission. For ease of identification of your application, please start the event title with "COVID 19".

We kindly rely on you to submit complete applications and to be responsive should our reviewers request any additional information regarding your application. EACCME will dedicate a lot of extra resources to ensure the expeditious review (without compromising our accreditation principles) of COVID 19 related webinars, thus aiming to support the medical community.

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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