

***Ophthalmological Society of the West Indies
Ophthalmic Assistants, Nurses and Technicians***

Programme

***Royal Torarica Hotel
Paramaribo, Suriname
July 10 – 13, 2013***

Wednesday, July 10, 2013

<i>12:00 pm – 4:30 pm</i>	<i>Registration</i> <i>Royal Ballroom foyer</i>	
	<i>Banquet Hall 1</i> <i>Chairperson: Y Forte</i>	
<i>1:00 pm – 1:30 pm</i>	<i>Joint Commission on Allied Health Personnel in Ophthalmology (JCAHPO) updates</i>	<i>L Anderson</i>
<i>1:30 pm – 2:00 pm</i>	<i>Perimetry – ‘it’s a dog’s life’: a patient’s perspective</i>	<i>D Sirju, S Lalchan, N Ragoobar</i>
<i>2:00 pm – 2:30 pm</i>	<i>Visual fields</i>	<i>L Vaughan</i>
<i>2:30 pm – 3:00 pm</i>	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
<i>3:00 pm – 3:30 pm</i>	<i>Supplemental skills</i>	<i>AM Hinds</i>
<i>3:30 pm – 4:00 pm</i>	<i>Perimetry – a technician’s life</i>	<i>N Ragoobar, S Lalchan</i>
<i>4:00 pm – 4:30 pm</i>	<i>Patient services: are psychobiological defects real?</i>	<i>Y Forte</i>
<i>4:30 pm – 5:00 pm</i>	<i>Lensometry</i>	<i>S Amarakoon</i>
<i>5:00 pm – 5:30 pm</i>	<i>History taking</i>	<i>T Allan</i>
<i>6:15 pm</i>	<i>5K Run/Walk</i> <i>(Participants congregate in hotel lobby of the Royal Torarica at 6:00 pm)</i>	
<i>1:00 pm – 5:30 pm</i>	<i>Exhibition Floor Open</i>	

You must register and wear your badges in order to enter the exhibit hall and conference room on all days

Evaluation forms must be handed in at the end of each lecture to obtain CME credits from JCAHPO

Thursday, July 11, 2013

7:30 am **Registration**
Royal Ballroom foyer

8:00 am – 8:30 am JCAHPO practical examinations (COT and COMT)
– Royal Meeting Room 2 L Anderson, M Watkins

OPENING CEREMONY

Chairperson: J Pawiroredjo

8:35 am – 8:45 am Opening remarks and welcome address to the
Republic of Suriname J Pawiroredjo

8:45 am – 8:55 am Welcome address L Mowatt
President, OSWI

8:55 am – 9:05 am Greetings and update from JCAHPO L Anderson

9:05 am – 9:10 am Introduction of Minister of Health of Suriname J Pawiroredjo

9:10 am – 9:25 am Feature address
Minister of Health of Suriname M Blokland

9:25 am – 9:30 am Vote of thanks N Barker
Member, OSWI

Scientific Session 4

Dr Garth Taylor Memorial Lecture
Chairperson: H Shillingford-Ricketts

9:30 am – 9:35 am Chairman's remarks

9:35 am – 10:05 am **Memorial Lecture**
Combination therapy for perfused central retinal vein
occlusion using intravitreal ranibizumab and
laser-induced anastomosis B Leonard

10:05 am – 10:30 am **Sponsor awards**
Chairpersons: A Anduze, S Benskin

10:30 am – 11:00 am **Coffee Break**

Banquet Hall 1
Chairperson: Y Forte

11:00 am – 11:30 am Pupil assessment S Benskin

11:30 am – 12:00 pm Visual assessment AM Hinds

12:00 pm – 12:30 pm Tonometry D Grosvenor

12:30 pm – 1:00 pm	Microbiology	A Anduze
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	Lunch	
2:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Contact lenses	S Amarakoon
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Spectacle skills	M McIntosh
3:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Ophthalmic imaging	M Leighton
3:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Multifocal lenses	J Wickham
8:00 am – 2:00 pm	Exhibition Floor Open	
4:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Tennis	
7:30 pm	OSWI's Night with the Sponsors (Cocktails) and Sports Awards	

Friday, July 12, 2013

7:30 am	Registration Royal Ballroom foyer	
8:00 am – 3:00 pm	JCAHPO practical examinations (COT and COMT) and OSA written examination – Royal Meeting Room 2	L Anderson, M Watkins
	Banquet Hall 1 Chairperson: Y Forte	
8:00 am – 8:30 am	Assisting in surgery	S Burnett
8:30 am – 9:00 am	Assisting in surgery	S Burnett
9:00 am – 9:30 am	Keratometry	N Barker
9:30 am – 10:00 am	Coffee Break and Exhibits	
10:00 am – 10:30 am	Oculoplastics	J Hurwitz
10:30 am – 11:00 am	Instrument maintenance	D Singh
11:15 am – 12:15 pm	Lunch	
12:30 pm – 1:00 pm	Medical ethics – legal and regulatory	L Mowatt
1:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Ocular motility part 1	S Burnett
1:30 pm – 2:00 pm	Ocular motility part 2	S Burnett
2:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Ocular trauma	S Burnett
2:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Pharmacology	R Bhola

3:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Pharmacology	R Bholra
3:30 pm – 4:00 pm	Refractometry	D Singh
4:00 pm – 4:30 pm	Refractometry	D Singh
8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Exhibition Floor Open	
7:00 pm	Group Photo	
7:30 pm	President's Dinner and Closing Ceremony	

Saturday, July 13, 2013

8:00 am – 1:00 pm	JCAHPO written examinations (CCOA, COA, COT and COMT) – Banquet Hall 1	L Anderson, M Watkins
8:00 am – 10:00 am	Live surgeries – Suriname Eye Centre (for those not doing examinations)	
10:00 am – 10:30 am	Coffee Break and Exhibits	
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Live surgeries – Suriname Eye Centre (for those not doing examinations)	
	Closing Ceremony	
8:00 am – 11:00 am	Exhibition Floor Open	
3:00 pm	After Conference Function (Lime)	