



United States Cochrane Center
Workshop on *Finding and Using the
Best Evidence for Healthcare Practice*

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Agenda



7:30 – 8:30	Faculty meeting (with breakfast)
8:30 – 9:00	Registration
9:00 – 9:10	Welcome and description of workshop (Kay Dickersin, PhD)
9:10 – 9:20	Introduction to The Cochrane Collaboration (Barbara Fuller, MPH)
9:20 – 10:20	Critical Appraisal of the Literature (Kay Dickersin, PhD)
10:20 – 10:30	Break
10:30 – 11:00	Using <i>The Cochrane Library</i> Effectively (Molly Harris, MA)
11:00 – 11:50	An Example of Critical Appraisal (<i>A Randomized Trial of Patching Regimens for Treatment of Moderate Amblyopia in Children</i>) (Kay Dickersin, PhD and Karen Robinson, MSc)
11:50 – 12:15	Presentation of a Cochrane systematic review (Bob Ferrer, MD, MPH)
12:15 – 1:15	Lunch
1:15 – 2:00	Small group exercise 1 (faculty)
2:00 – 2:15	Break
2:15 – 3:00	Small group exercise 2 (faculty)
3:00 – 3:45	Group discussion (Jane Scott, ScD, MSN)
3:45 – 4:00	Evaluation and conclusion (Kay Dickersin, PhD)

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