

## APPENDIX D

### Common CPD Activities according to CPD Framework Levels

Level 1 Focus on knowledge, skills	Level 2 Change-facilitating activities	Level 3 Change-evaluating activities
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Local, national, international meetings, symposia, workshops: attendance, presentation, chairing</li> <li>• Hospital grand rounds</li> <li>• Formal: postgraduate courses (Masters, Ph.D)</li> <li>• Short courses</li> <li>• Self-assessment tests</li> <li>• Journal clubs</li> <li>• Individual reading: journals, texts</li> <li>• Trainee supervision</li> <li>• Mentoring</li> <li>• Teaching</li> <li>• Presentations to community groups</li> <li>• College/professional association/hospital involvement: committee membership, examiner, publication reviewing/editing</li> <li>• Writing and publishing</li> <li>• Grant application reviews</li> <li>• Literature searches</li> <li>• Representative activities</li> <li>• Expert witness/medico-legal activities</li> <li>• Video/audiotapes: production and use</li> <li>• Computer-based learning</li> <li>• Overseas aid trips/pro-bono work</li> </ul>	<p>Key factors are collection of data related to a particular question/issue or the ability to demonstrate an improvement in practice resulting from increased knowledge or skill</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Critical incident monitoring</li> <li>• Criteria auditing</li> <li>• Morbidity/mortality meetings</li> <li>• Clinico-pathology meetings</li> <li>• Practice review/opinion leader visits</li> <li>• Simulator/skill centre sessions</li> <li>• Primary clinical research</li> <li>• Patient/family, carer satisfaction studies</li> <li>• Retrospective peer review of cases Quality control studies</li> <li>• Development of clinical practice guidelines</li> <li>• Benchmarking studies arising from clinical indicators</li> </ul>	<p>Learning projects resulting from involvement in Level 2 activities. Key factor is the measurement of effect(s) of selected intervention(s)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Outcome studies</li> <li>• Collaborative outcome projects</li> <li>• Evaluation studies – techniques, processes, therapies</li> </ul>