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GRADE for Guideline developers

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Objectives

In this workshop, participants will be enabled to:

- Understand the basic principles of the GRADE approach and be able to comprehend the individual steps in the assessment of the evidence and their impact on the strength of the recommendation.
- Be able to interpret an evidence profile for an intervention based on a systematic review.

Brief description of content

GRADE (Grading of Recommendations, Assessment, Development and Evaluation) is endorsed or being used by over 110 organisations including the World Health Organization, Cochrane, and several professional health groups. GRADE is used to produce rigorous and transparent clinical practice guidelines and other healthcare recommendations. GRADE is a standardised and transparent approach to assessing the certainty of evidence and the strength of healthcare recommendations.

This workshop aims to lead participants through the complete process of guideline development with GRADE. The focus is on assessing the certainty of the underlying evidence as well as the strength of the recommendation.



