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**Bayer Schering Pharma  
Haemostasis, Anticoagulation  
and Thrombosis Award  
2010**



**Bayer HealthCare  
Bayer Schering Pharma**

Closing date: 1<sup>st</sup> September 2010

The HAT committee, on behalf of Bayer Schering Pharma, are delighted to be able to offer an award of £1500 which will enable the winner to present their work (by supporting full expenses) at the November symposium. All submissions are welcome for work which supports service improvement in the area of HAT! Think about projects that you or your team have worked on. Have you done something to support the NPSA agenda on anticoagulants? How is your team responding to the inclusion of Thromboprophylaxis in the NHS operating framework for 2010? Have you done something unique to support patients in understanding their medicines in the high risk area of anticoagulation? If you have introduced a change in practice would others like to hear about it? If so we would like to hear from you!

Applications are welcome from both primary and secondary care and must meet the following criteria:

#### Criteria for Entry

- The project must demonstrate a significant improvement in patient care / practice using valid patient orientated outcome measures.
- The project must demonstrate delivery of a QIPP.
- The project must demonstrate sustainability over time.
- The project must demonstrate transferability.

Applications are invited from UKCPA members who have completed work in any of the above areas.

The winner will be expected to present the work

- **as a poster presentation at the UKCPA Autumn Residential Symposium, 19 – 21 November 2010, DeVere Hotel, Staverton Park, Daventry**

The successful applicant will receive the **2010 Bayer HAT Award** at the Autumn Symposium in Daventry.

Winning of the award does not necessarily guarantee publication in a journal.

Neither UKCPA nor Bayer Schering Pharma accepts responsibility in respect of the referee's decision, which is final.

#### Outline of submission

The submission should be no longer than two sides of A4 portrait and should not exceed 1000 words, including references & a maximum of 2 tables or figures and should include the following:

1. Title

2. Background
3. Aim and Objectives
4. Methods
5. Results
6. Discussion and conclusion
7. References

#### Instructions for preparation of papers

- A4, typed single spaced, Arial 11pt (titles 12pt)
- Margins 2.5cm, justified text left and right
- Paragraphs, double spaced between with no indentation
- References: use Vancouver system as in Clinical Pharmacist (full details on UKCPA website).

#### Please include the following in a covering letter stating:

1. Category of work – whether the work is research, audit or practice/professional development.
2. If not successful for this award, whether you wish your paper to be considered for the UKCPA Autumn Symposium 2010 as a poster/oral presentation. If so, the submission must meet criteria as per UKCPA Guidance for Short papers/Call for papers (available on UKCPA website: [www.ukcpa.org](http://www.ukcpa.org))
3. Confirmation that the paper complies with the requirements for submission
4. Applicants should confirm that their proposals have not been submitted for any other award, state whether or not the work has already been published, and if so, give details of where. Work which has previously been published will still be considered for the award, but may not be published as an abstract in Clinical Pharmacist.

#### Submission requirements

- **ONE** full electronic copy of the submission in Microsoft® Word with all authors and organisations(s) cited
- **ONE** anonymous electronic copy of the submission in Microsoft® Word without author(s) and organisation(s) details for adjudication purposes – **please ensure your paper is totally anonymous throughout to avoid disqualification. This includes removing the name of the relevant Trust throughout the main body of the paper.**
- Entries should be submitted either on CD/memory stick enclosed with your covering letter or emailed direct to the UKCPA office ([admin@ukcpa.com](mailto:admin@ukcpa.com))
- Applications should be received **by 5.00pm, 1<sup>st</sup> September 2010** at: UKCPA, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Alpha House, Countesthorpe Road, Wigston, Leicestershire LE18 4PJ  
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