



ACCORD and NICNAS invite you to attend a joint workshop

Cosmetics Regulation in Australia


Learn first-hand how cosmetic products are now regulated in Australia

Cosmetic reforms are expected to be passed into law during 2007. This is your opportunity to learn what this will mean and how to prepare yourself for the expected changes.

You will hear from NICNAS, Australia's cosmetic regulator and ACCORD, Australia's cosmetic industry representative. The workshop will cover areas such as making a **notification and assessment, cosmetic interim applications and compliance** requirements.

The Workshop Registration Form is attached. Each venue is limited to 25 participants to maximise your learning opportunity, so register early to secure a place.

Registration closes - Sydney, Tuesday, 20 February 2007: Melbourne, Wednesday, 7 March 2007.

When:	Sydney Tuesday 27 February 2007	Melbourne Wednesday 14 March 2007
Where:	Dooleys Lidcombe Catholic Club 24 John Street, Lidcombe NSW 2141	Sofitel Melbourne (AM session only) 25 Collins Street, East Melbourne 3000
Session Times:	Sydney - Session 1: 9.00 to 12.30 and Session 2: 2.00 to 5.30 Melbourne 9.30am to 1.00pm	
Format	Structured workshop with classroom style set-up	
Program: <i>(common for Session 1 or Session 2 on each day)</i>	<p>Registration and arrival tea & coffee</p> <p>Welcome and overview of day's activities</p> <p>Cosmetics Regulation in Australia and Overview of NICNAS</p> <p>Compliance implications including understanding annual reporting requirements and preparing for a NICNAS audit</p> <p>NICNAS Cosmetic Interim applications – a users' guide and handy hints for preparing a complete application</p> <p>Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA) surveillance activities</p> <p>Summary of discussions and conclusions</p>	
Cost:	<p>ACCORD Members: \$99.00 (inc GST)</p> <p>Non-members: \$125.00 (inc GST)</p>	
Parking:	Free Parking off Church Street, Lidcombe	Collins Place Wilson parking accessible from Flinders Lane – commercial rates apply



Workshop Sessions

Cosmetics Regulation in Australia

Sydney 27 February 2007 (AM &PM)

Melbourne 14 March 2007 (AM only)

Learn how cosmetics are regulated in Australia

Learn what is meant by cosmetics - who regulates cosmetics in Australia, NICNAS's regulatory responsibility for cosmetics and the role of the States and Territories. As well, you will get a general introduction about NICNAS, what it does and what its Act covers.

Learn how to get the best use of the NICNAS cosmetic interim arrangements

This will cover the different types of applications, how to prepare an interim application, handy hints including common issues, what happens to your interim application on arrival to NICNAS and where to find help. It will also cover proprietary ingredients such as fragrances, how to determine unreasonable risk for exemptions and checking ingredients on the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS).

Learn about compliance requirements including the TGA's surveillance activities

Learn about your obligations associated with the introduction of new and existing chemicals. Topics include registration, record keeping, annual reporting, secondary notification of new and existing chemicals, and chemicals subject to a condition of use.

You will learn how to prepare for a NICNAS audit (what NICNAS looks for), what it means to the notifier to have an interim permit, obligations with interim permits and consequences of possible contraventions. The session will also provide guidance on self-reporting a breach of the Act and NICNAS's approach to handling a self-reported breach.

You will also learn about the role of the TGA in market surveillance and how this might affect your products.

It is essential that you attend these workshops if you want to:

- Find out about the changes to cosmetic regulation, and what they mean for you.
- Find out how you can best use the Cosmetic Interim Arrangements.
- Learn about your NICNAS compliance obligations.
- Understand how the TGA's surveillance activities may affect you.

The workshops will be run jointly by ACCORD and NICNAS and will include speakers from these organisations as well as the TGA.

Cosmetics Regulation Workshop

Program Registration Offer/Tax Invoice

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(Please complete this form for each delegate)

Title: _____ Given name: _____ Surname: _____

Position: _____

Company/Organisation: _____

Address: _____

_____ Postcode: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

Venue: *(please tick appropriate venue and time box)*

Sydney, 27 February 2007, Dooley's Lidcombe Catholic Club, 24 John Street, Lidcombe 2141

9.00am or 2.00pm

Melbourne, 14 March 2007, Sofitel Melbourne, 25 Collins Street, East Melbourne, 3000

9.30am only

(An afternoon session will be offered on Tuesday, 13 March 2007 subject to demand)

Registration Fee: ACCORD Members - \$99.00 (inc GST) Non-members - \$125.00 (inc GST)

Payment Method - please fax this completed Form to 02 9281 0366 and mail the original with payment

Mark cheques "Not Negotiable", payable to ACCORD Australasia. The total amount payable includes GST for supply. This completed document will be a **tax invoice for GST** when you make payment. Please post all cheques to ACCORD Australasia, PO Box 290 BROADWAY NSW 2007

Payment by EFT can be made to: Account Name: ACCORD Australasia; Bank: Bank of Melbourne BSB 033 000; Account No: 13 0260

For further information phone Dusanka Sabic on (02) 9281 2322 or 0422 569 222

Refund policy – a substitute is welcome if you are unable to attend. No refunds will be provided unless written notice is provided at least 3 working days prior to your registered event.