

# Ghana

<b>Institutional Partner</b>	Ghana Health Service and the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)
<b>Project dates</b>	July 31, 2019 – January 31, 2021
<b>Project Title</b>	Continuing Professional Development for Ghana Weekly Epidemiological Report

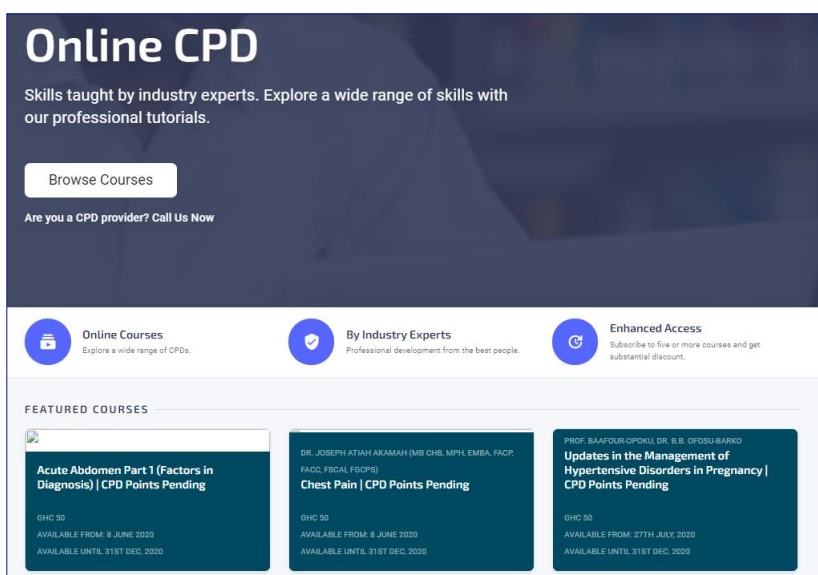
Project Objectives	Project Outcomes and Impact
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Transition educational material for continuous professional development (CPD) onto online platforms accessible to physicians on a remote basis.</li> <li>Host CPD material on the Ghana Weekly Epidemiological Report (GWER) website, a platform developed to provide community health updates to physicians.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Launched the online CPD platform on the <a href="#">GWER website</a>. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hosting 10 modules to date, covering topics such as chest pain, hypertensive disorders during pregnancy, glaucoma and cervical cancer.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Trained 51 staff from the Disease Surveillance Department on how to use Adobe Captivate to build interactive online trainings.</li> </ul>

Project Sustainability
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Approved by the Medical and Dental Council in Ghana to provide CPD materials for physician accreditation.</li> <li>As the COVID-19 pandemic shuttered in-person gatherings, the online CPD platform was positioned to transition lectures remotely. The Ghana College of Physicians recognized the usefulness in this tool and will manage the online CPD platform moving forward. They will use the tool to host future CPD modules as well as carry out online examinations for current students.</li> </ul>

Project Outputs
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">Online CPD Platform</a></li> </ul>

***The Continued Professional Development (CPD) Platform allows professionals to take CPD courses throughout the year at their convenience, on any device, eliminating the long distances that doctors have to travel to take CPD in classroom settings”***

- Ken Oforu-Barko, MD  
Editor-in-Chief, GWER





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**FEATURED COURSES**


**Acute Abdomen Part 1 (Factors in Diagnosis) | CPD Points Pending**  
 GHG 50  
 AVAILABLE FROM: 8 JUNE 2020  
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**DR. JOSEPH ATIAH AKAMAH (MB CHB, MPH, EMBA, FACIP, FACG, FBGAL, FRCPS) Chest Pain | CPD Points Pending**  
 GHG 50  
 AVAILABLE FROM: 8 JUNE 2020  
 AVAILABLE UNTIL: 31ST DEC, 2020


**PROF. BAWOYU-OPOKU DR. B.B. OFOSU-BARKO Updates in the Management of Hypertensive Disorders in Pregnancy | CPD Points Pending**  
 GHG 50  
 AVAILABLE FROM: 27TH JULY 2020  
 AVAILABLE UNTIL: 31ST DEC, 2020

Home Page for CPD-Platform