



## INTRODUCTION TO PROCUREMENT & SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

### Free online certificate course by UNDP

The introduction to Procurement and Supply Chain Management course is an introductory level course jointly developed by **UNDP** and **Empower School of Health**.

Effective supply chains not only help ensure commodity security, they also help determine the success or failure of any public health program. Typically substantial amount of grant funding goes for health commodities; efficient PSM is paramount to addressing the long held goals of universal access to healthcare through the provision of reliably available, quality assured medicines. The global stakeholders in public health should be able to effectively manage the PSM systems for the health commodities.

A well trained PSM workforce is needed not only at national level, but also at state and district level. This online course provides a platform for beginners to understand the basics by laying the foundation for Procurement and Supply Chain Management. The course focuses on PSM in general, and PSM issues related to public health programs for HIV/AIDS, tuberculosis and malaria programme funded by The Global Fund in particular. The aim of the course is to describe the importance of PSM in ensuring the uninterrupted supply of life-saving medicines and other health products.

For registration and login, follow this link: <http://www.undp-psmtraining.com/login/index.php>



- Open source platform
- Accessible on: Computer, Tablet, Smartphones
- Languages available: English, Français & Русский
- 8 modules and one final assessment
- Course duration – 2 months
- Certificate of Completion awarded by UNDP

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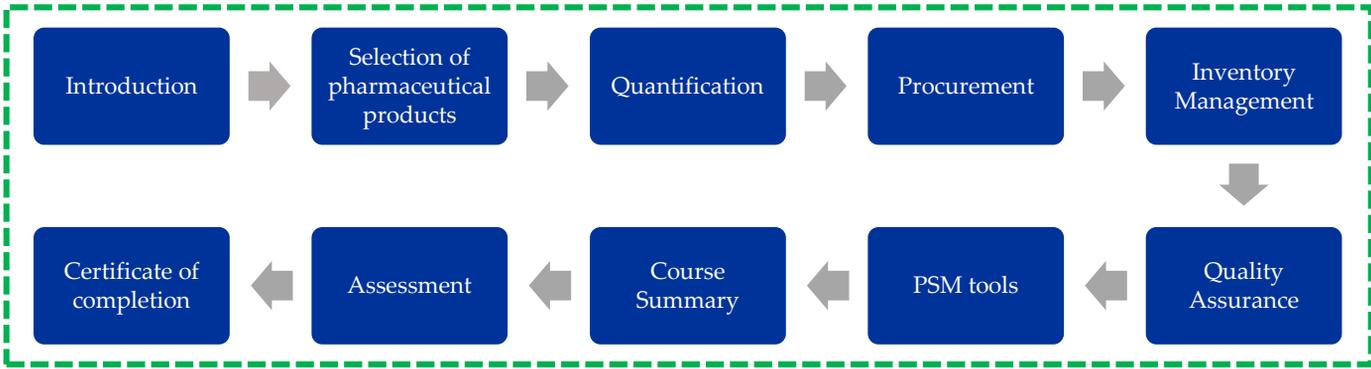
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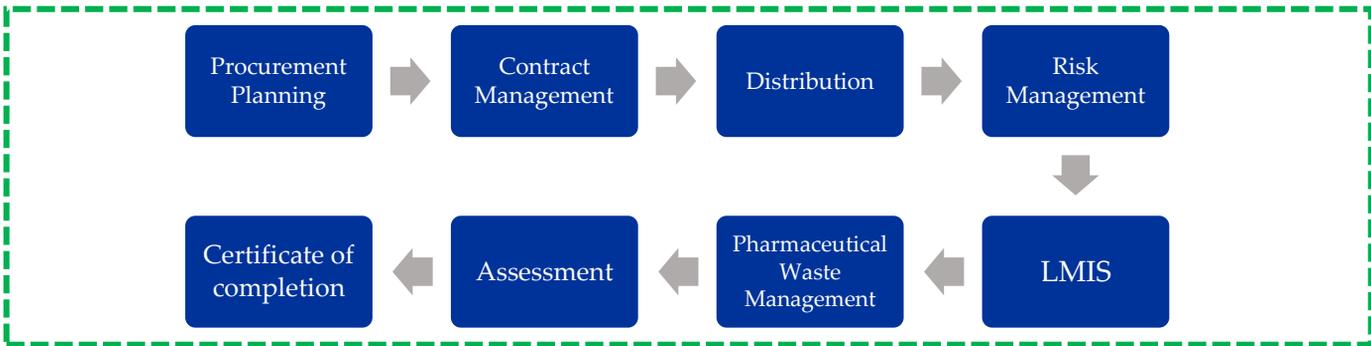
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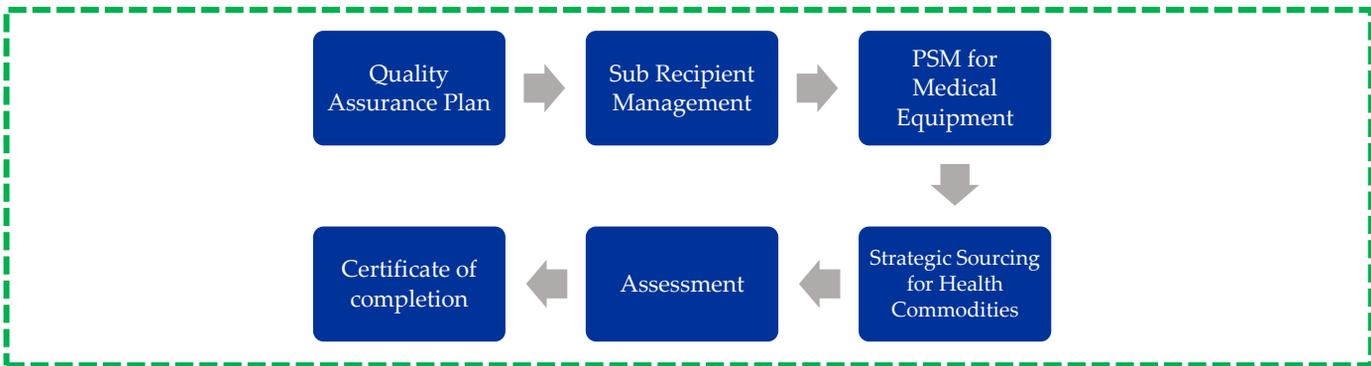
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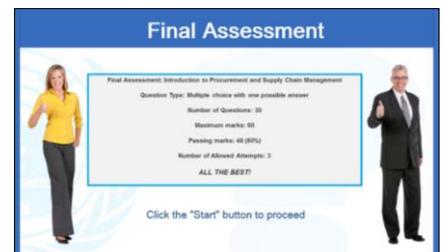
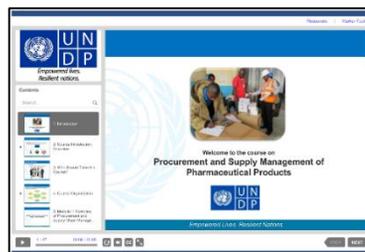
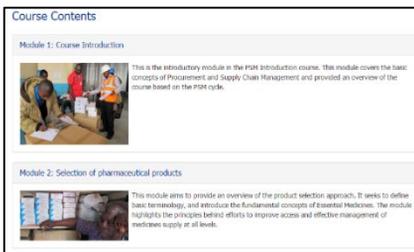
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For aspirants who wish to pursue an advanced course in PSM, Empower offers 11-month **online Post-Graduate Diploma in Global Health Procurement and Supply Chain Management**, certified by the CILT, India and Kent State University, in collaboration with UNAIDS and Red Cross (Kenya). For more details, follow this link: <http://www.empowerschoolofhealth.org/Post-Graduate-Diploma>