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## PathWise and Irish Medicines Board Offer Intensive CAPA Training in Dublin

6/15/2009 – Salt Lake City, Utah – Last month, representatives from PathWise and the Irish Medicines Board presented a 2-day, intensive CAPA workshop in Dublin. The event, held at the St. Helens hotel on Stillorgan Road, drew 35 participants from more than 10 local medical device companies.

Course participants learned enhanced Corrective and Preventive Action techniques, including Issue Review, Root Cause Analysis, Implementation and Effectiveness Checking, gaining the tools necessary to identify and prioritize non-conformances, investigate root causes, and identify, implement and monitor corrective and preventive actions. The course focused on a “how-to” approach to meeting IMB and FDA quality system requirements. The instructor, Nathan Conover, presented a blended application of regulatory material and interactive exercises, including case studies and group exercises.

Representatives from the Irish Medicines Board, including Maria Carleton and Chris Cullen, presented local regulatory material, including Common Struggles Faced by Irish Manufacturers, Best Practices for Quality System Improvements and Future Policies and Standards. Exhibitors included the Irish Medical Device Association and MasterControl.

With over a 90% positive response rate from course attendees, the course was deemed to be a success. PathWise is planning to hold a similar event in Ireland next year, with talk of further training in the European Union.

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