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Public Health  
Seminar Series

Quality, Efficacy and Transparency in the Medical  
Recommendations and Practices of National Health  
Institutions and Actors in the Medical World

Examples of the H1N1 crisis and the vaccine “Gardasil”

with Dr. Philippe De Chazournes

Friday, August 15

5PM – 6PM

413W, Paramaz Avedisian  
Building

**Description**

Dr. Philippe De Chazournes is a « Field » General Practitioner both in the clinic and the field since 1990, committed to Medical Ethics and doctors’ independence with respect to pharmaceutical companies, as well as uncertain medical recommendations from different National Health Agencies. He is a strong supporter of the Evidence-Based Medicine methodology. He has been working with other doctors, patients, Public Health Researchers, and main French National Health Institutions for the last 15 years on trainings, conferences, seminars, articles, and auditions for the French National Assembly and Senate.

His main topics of research and interventions are efficacy and quality of National Public Health Organizations/Systems, conflicts of interest (doctors, health institutions and experts), lifelong critical and independent training of doctors, and the ways to deal with epidemic crises (eg. H1N1 flu crisis, Chikungunya in Reunion).

During his presentation Dr. Philippe De Chazournes will address, in a synthetic way, the various issues and challenges related to the quality of care that physicians should provide, based not only on a critical academic education, but also on independent training throughout the medical career. This first point will then allow him to address National Health Institutions’ independence and transparency, which lead to quality and cost-efficient medical recommendations that improve citizens’ health.

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*Admission to this event is free. The lecture will take place in French with consecutive translation available in English.*

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