

What if continuing education becomes a game?

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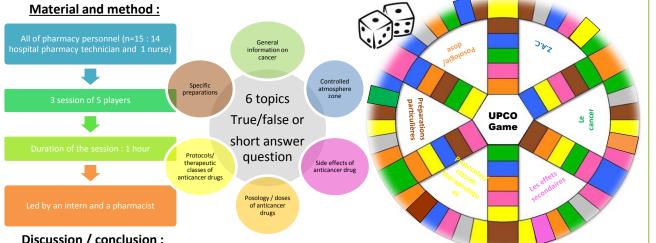
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Introduction:

- Staff working in a centralized cytotoxic reconstitution unit must be qualified through specific initial and continuing education (according to the French manual "Good preparation practices"):
 - Theoretical training (chemical risk, risk for the patient, pharmacology of anticancer drugs, etc.)
 - Practical training (mastery of handling gestures, control of preparations, incident management, etc.).
- In continuing education, the "active" method which implicates the staff is the best to captivate their attention and enhance learning.

In this context, a new educational tool, presented in the format of a board game inspired by the "trivial pursuit" was built, called "UPCO GAME".



Percentage of succes by theme Protocols/Therapeutic classes of 69% anticancer drugs Dose/posology of anticancer drugs 82% General information on cancer 47% 73% Specific preparations 75% Controlled atmosphere zone Side effects 52% 100 % were very satisfied or 67 % have less satisfied with the game than 5 years seniority Satisfaction questionnaire 100% were very satisfied or satisfied with the

Results:

53 % are

assigned full-time

to the sector

100% are

received initial

practical and

theoretical training upon

their arrival

Discussion / conclusion:

- This game is part of our continuing education program.
- This pedagogical tool enables to evaluate the theoretical knowledge of authorized manipulators while being educational.
- According to the results, an additional training dealing with cancer generalities and anticancer drug side effects has been planned.
- This educational tool will be used at least once a year with updated topics and questions. Practical scenarios will be integrated for the next sessions in order to develop a comprehensive continuing education program