

Training Course Agenda

Exploring Container Closure Integrity (CCI) Testing Methods Training Course (PDA 109.1)

DAY 1		
8:30	Welcome and Introductions	
8:45	Regulatory Requirements CCI introduction, regulatory requirements, and industry trends	
9:15	Introduction CCI assurance throughout product lifecycle Testing requirement definition – risk based approach CCI profile & testing strategy development	
10:15	Break	
10:30	 CCI Method Fundamentals CCI defects and commonly used positive controls "Sizing" and characterization of CCI defects Evolution of CCI testing technology: liquid flow, gas flow, electron flow (electric current) Deterministic vs probabilistic definitions 	
11:15	 CCI Test Methods: Overview Physicochemical methods vs microbiological methods: differences and correlations Microbial and dye ingress testing Seal quality testing 	
12:00	Lunch	
13:00	Special Topic	
13:30	Helium Leak Detection of Syringes	
14:00	 CCI Testing Technologies Tracer gas (helium leak detection) Vacuum and pressure decay Mass extraction Headspace analysis HVLD OES 	
14:30	Break	
14:50	CCI Testing Technologies (cont.)	
15:20	Special Topic	
15:50	Application Case Studies Vacuum & pressure decay Mass extraction	
16:20	Day 1 Wrap-Up	
16:30	End of Day 1	



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DAY 2	
9:00	Application Case Studies Helium leak detection Optical emission spectroscopy
9:40	Hands-On Training: Rotation 1 & 2 ■ All instrument stations ○ HVLD station (PTI) ○ Vacuum decay (Wilco) ○ Headspace (Lighthouse) ○ Helium leak detection (LDA by PTI) ○ Mass extraction (Pfeiffer) ○ OES (Pfeiffer)
10:30	Break
10:50	Application Case Studies Headspace HVLD
11:30	Hands-On Training: Rotations 3
12:00	Lunch
13:00	Application Case Studies Residual seal force
13:30	Residual Seal Force Machine Demo
13:50	Hands-On Training: Rotations 4&5
14:40	Break
15:00	Hands-On Training: Rotation 6
15:25	Approaches to CCI Testing Method Selection • Method selection considerations
16:00	Group Exercise #1 • Method selection review, discussion, Q&A
17:00	End of Day 2



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DAY 3	
9:00	Current Topics "Case Study: Systemic Evaluation of Vial Container Closure System Suitability at Frozen Conditions" Peter Sargent, Eli Lilly and Company
9:30	Development and Validation of Integrity Test Methods • Method development best practices • Method validation strategy • Pitfalls and solutions • Case study
10:15	Method Development Introduction
10:30	Break
11:00	Method Development in Groups (one instrumentation station per group) • Based on a set of samples, work to develop best/sensitive CCI method for routine analysis
12:00	Lunch
13:00	Method Development in Groups (one instrumentation station per group) • Based on a set of samples, work to develop best/sensitive CCI method for routine analysis
14:15	Class Discussion
14:30	Recognition and Certification
14:30	End of Event