



Pan-African Diabetic Foot Study Group (PADFSG)

Invitation to 5th Pan-African Diabetic Foot Study Group 14th to 16th September 2020



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On behalf of the local organizing committee, I would like to invite you to the 5th Pan-African Diabetic Foot Study Group biannual meeting in Abuja, Nigeria.

The event will be held 14 to 16th September 2020. The Meeting will be a unique event with interdisciplinary collaboration between diabetologists, podiatrists, specialist nurses, orthopedic and vascular surgeons, as well as all other interested specialties in the field of diabetic foot.

This meeting is in collaboration with the Department of Medicine, College of Health Sciences, University of Abuja. The aim of this joint meeting is to increase awareness on the importance of diabetes foot complication in people with diabetes and the value of prevention and early screening. It also plans to train healthcare professionals (physicians, surgeons and nurses) on management of diabetic foot disease across Nigeria and Africa.

Abuja, the capital city of Nigeria since 1991, is one of the few properly planned capital cities in Africa, With its beautiful modern parks, architectural designs, and monumental buildings, Abuja is indeed a worthy capital city of Nigeria. Abuja has been aptly tagged the “centre of unity” due to its physical central position in the country and lack of ethnic and religious differences.

The city has an estimated population of 6 million people, making it Nigeria’s 4th largest city. It has so many great prospects but you may feel a bit unsure about what to expect of Abuja. We look forward to seeing you in September 2020, in Abuja, Nigeria.