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BGS Yorkshire Region Spring meeting 2019 27th March 2019, Education Centre, Pinderfields Hospital

Chairs: Dr Rebecca Leigh, Consultant Harrogate District Hospital and

Dr Abhay Das, Consultant Dewsbury Hospital

- 09:30 Dr John Hutchinson, Consultant Hepatologist, York Teaching Hospital
 - Acute & chronic liver failure
- 10:30 Prof Martin J Vernon, National Clinical Director for Older People, NHS England
 Ageing Well: Integrating Care for Older People
- 11:30 Coffee 20 mins

09:00 Coffee & registration

- 11:45 Mr Terry Robinson, Nurse Consultant, Harrogate Hospital
 Respiratory update including new inhalers
- 12.45 Lunch 45 mins
- 13:30 Regional BGS meeting
- 13.45 Dr Abhay Das, Pontefract General Infirmary
 - Vague presentation: grave outcome
- 14:45 Registrar interactive session Dr Simon Stapley
 - The National Delirium Screening Audit and Improving Delirium Detection Locally
 - Sharing Practice: Diagnosing and Managing Cognitive Decline in Inpatients
- 15:45 Meeting close

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CPD Accreditation: This meeting has applied for 5 CPD credits

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Speaker biographies and learning outcomes

Dr John Hutchinson

Dr John Hutchinson is a consultant hepatologist and endoscopist at York Teaching Hospitals Foundation Trust.

Learning objectives

- To understand key clinical features and management of chronic liver failure, particularly in elderly patients
- To understand key clinical features and management of acute liver failure, particularly in elderly patients

Mr Terry Robinson

Terry Robinson is a Respiratory Nurse Consultant at Harrogate Hospital and past president of the Yorkshire Thoracic Society. She has a wealth of community experience having previously worked as a practice nurse for many years then as a respiratory nurse trainer, working across North Yorkshire. Her role is 50% clinical, running specialist clinics and 50% non-clinical, doing audit and research, developing guidelines and new services. She also arranges specialist respiratory training for other health care professionals regionally. She has co-written and edited a respiratory text book for nurses and had several papers published. She has presented at International conferences and been awarded the Nursing Times Respiratory Nurse of the Year.

Learning Objectives

- Understand new medications available for treating airways diseases
- Understand different inhaler devices
- Understand benefits and difficulties of different devices in relation to older patients

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Dr Simon Stapley

Dr Simon Stapley is specialist trainee in Elderly Care at York Hospital. He has a postgraduate certificate in medical education

Learning outcomes

- Outline the current prevalence and risk of harm of Delirium in non-elective inpatients in the UK
- Recall the NICE guidance for identifying which inpatients are at risk of Delirium
- Be able to use a validated screening tool for identifying delirium
- Compare local delirium screening results to national figures
- Summarise the details of an ongoing national project to assess prevalence of delirium and delirium screening

Prof Martin Vernon

Martin qualified in 1988 in Manchester. Following training in the North West he moved to East London to train in Geriatric Medicine where he also acquired an MA in Medical Ethics and Law from King's College. He returned to Manchester in 1999 to take up post as Consultant Geriatrician building community geriatrics services in South Manchester. Martin was Associate Medical Director for Manchester Primary Care Trust in 2010 and subsequently Clinical Champion for frail older people and integrated care In Greater Manchester. He was the British Geriatrics Society Champion for End of Life Care for 5 years and was a standing member of the NICE Indicators Committee. In 2015 Martin moved to Central Manchester where he is a Consultant Geriatrician. He also holds an Honorary Academic Post at Salford University and was appointed as Visiting Professor at the University of Chester in 2016. In 2016 Martin was appointed National Clinical Director for Older People and Person Centred Integrated Care at NHS England. In 2017 he became Chair of the NHS England Hospital to Home Programme Board and is currently leading national work on Integrated Personalised Care for Older People.

Register online here

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There is a £20.00 registration fees for the meeting. There will be no facility to pay on the day so please register in advance

Venue Information

The Education Centre

Pinderfields Hospital

Aberford Road, Wakefield

WF1 4DG

Direction: From M62 come off Jn 30 - take A642 towards Wakefield town centre turn right at the roundabout signposted for the hospital. Hospital entrance is on the next roundabout on the left.

Car Parking: Turn right at the second roundabout to enter the visitors' car park (take a ticket at the barrier and pay by card or cash in any machine before leaving.

The Education Centre is on the ground floor of the Trust Head Quarter located to the left while facing the main hospital building.