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Risk Management and Medico–Legal Issues in Women’s Healthcare

1–2 May 2014



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DURATION
2 DAYS
LOCATION
RCOG

Overview

The meeting provides a forum for learning from patient safety incidents and sharing good practice in promotion of patient safety. This is the only annual national conference on risk management in obstetrics and gynaecology. The emphasis throughout the meeting is on practical as well as theoretical concepts, and delegates have the opportunity to network with colleagues involved in safety and quality improvement.

Why Attend?

- Emphasis throughout the meeting is on practical rather than theoretical concepts
- Delegates have the opportunity to network with colleagues involved in safety and quality improvement
- Claim 11 CPD credits for full attendance at this meeting

Who Should Attend?

- All Trainees and Consultants in Obstetrics and Gynaecology
- Staff Doctors, Staff Grades, Trust Doctors and Associate Specialists
- Midwives
- Academic/Research Staff
- Risk Managers
- Clinical Governance Leads
- Claims Managers
- Solicitors

Course Organiser:

Mr Leroy Edozien FRCOG, Manchester

Honorary Director of Conferences:

Miss Raneer Thakar MD FRCOG, London

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PROGRAMME

Thursday 1 May

9.00am *REGISTRATION AND REFRESHMENTS*

9.30am **Welcome and introduction**

9.40am **The Scottish maternity care quality improvement collaborative**
Ms Bernadette McCulloch, Improvement Advisor, Scottish Patient Safety Programme,
Healthcare Improvement, Scotland

10.10am **The Francis Inquiry report: legal and risk management implications for
maternity and gynaecology**
Professor Alan Cameron, Vice President, Clinical Quality, RCOG

10.30am **Discussion**

10.45am *REFRESHMENTS*

11.15am **Managing the risks associated with postpartum haemorrhage: new insights into
an old problem**
Professor Sir Sabaratnam Arulkumaran, Professor Emeritus of Obstetrics and
Gynaecology, St George's University, London

11.40am **Reducing the risks associated with placenta praevia/accreta – organisation of
services**
Professor Stephen Robson, Professor of Fetal Medicine, University of Newcastle,
Newcastle upon Tyne

12.05pm **Reducing the risks associated with placenta praevia/accreta – surgical
technique**
Mr Edwin Chandraharan, Consultant Obstetrician, St George's Hospital, London

12.25pm **The risks (and benefits) of interventional radiology**
Dr Nicholas Chalmers, Consultant Radiologist, Central Manchester University Hospitals
NHS Trust

12.45pm **Discussion**

1.00pm *LUNCH (2 course standing fork lunch)*

2.00pm **Multidisciplinary obstetric simulated emergency scenarios (MOSES)**
TBC

- 2.20pm **Error in prenatal diagnosis**
Professor Dilly O C Anumba, Honorary Consultant in Obstetrics and Gynaecology;
Subspecialist in Fetomaternal Medicine, Jessop Wing, Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS
Foundation Trust
- 2.40pm **Managing the risk of sepsis**
Dr Jacqueline Bamfo, Subspecialty Trainee, St Mary's Hospital, Manchester
- 3.00pm **Discussion**
- 3.15pm *REFRESHMENTS*
- 3.45pm **Masterclass: root cause analysis**
Mr Leroy Edozien, Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist, St Mary's Hospital, Manchester
- 5.30pm *CLOSE*

Friday 2 May

- 8.30am *REFRESHMENTS*
- 9.00am **The rate of obstetric anal sphincter injuries as a patient safety indicator**
Miss Raneef Thaker, Consultant Urogynaecologist, Mayday Hospital, Croydon
- 9.25am **Enhanced Recovery in gynaecology: risk management issues**
Mr Robin A F Crawford, Clinical Director for Gynaecology; Consultant Gynaecologist,
Addenbrooke's Hospital, Cambridge
- 9.50am **Clinical governance: complex obstetric surgery and the obstetrician**
Mr David Churchill, Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist, New Cross Hospital,
Wolverhampton
- 10.10am *REFRESHMENTS*
- 10.40am **Medico-legal issues in obstetrics and gynaecology**
Professor Vivienne Harpwood, Professor of Law, Cardiff University, Wales; Vice Chairman,
Cwm Taf Local Health Board
- 11.10am **Lessons from past cases in obstetrics and gynaecology**
Medical Protection Society
- 11.40am **Litigation associated with failure of diagnosis in obstetrics and gynaecology**
Mr Patrick Mullarkey, Lawyer, Campbell Fitzpatrick Solicitors, Belfast

- 12.10pm **Discussion**
- 12.30pm *LUNCH (2 course standing fork lunch)*
- 1.30pm **Personal professional indemnity and contractual issues for trainees in obstetrics and gynaecology**
Mr Jay Chatterjee, Sub-Specialty Fellow in Gynae-oncology, Imperial Hospitals NHS, London
- 1.50pm **Refusal of interventions to protect the life of the viable fetus: a case-based transatlantic overview**
Professor Kevin Dalton, Consultant Obstetrician, St Catharine's College, University of Cambridge
- 2.15pm **Discussion**
- 2.30pm *REFRESHMENTS*
- 3.00pm **Masterclass: being open. Supporting staff after adverse events**
TBC
- 4.30pm *CLOSE*

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