



Royal College of
Obstetricians &
Gynaecologists

Joint Meeting



E•N•T•E•R
Registered Charity



Risk Management and Medico–Legal Issues in Women’s Health Care

23–24 April 2015



**12
CPD**

**DURATION
2 DAYS
LOCATION
RCOG**

Overview

The meeting provides a forum for learning the basics of healthcare risk management, learning from patient safety incidents and sharing good practice. It is in its 16th year, and remains the only national conference on risk management in obstetrics and gynaecology. Participants in past meetings have come from across the UK, Europe, Africa, Australia, and Canada.

The programme is based on the RADICAL framework for healthcare risk management. The breakout sessions will use interactive approaches and clinical scenarios to promote understanding of basic concepts such as 'safety wisdom', situational awareness, resilience, teamwork, communication, error tracking and the impact of clinician behaviour on patient safety.

During this conference you will have ample opportunity to network with colleagues in safety and quality improvement, and to collaborate in research and innovation.

Registered participants will electronically receive some relevant materials and references one week before the meeting, and will have the opportunity to complete a risk management assessment questionnaire before and after the meeting.

After completing this course, you will have:

- Gained familiarity with theoretical foundations and practical problems relating to risk management
- Covered aspects relating to clinical governance in the RCOG core curriculum
- Acquired knowledge relevant to a leadership role in clinical governance
- Picked up numerous tips for safe clinical practice
- Become eligible to claim up to 12 CPD credits for full attendance at this meeting

Who Should Attend?

- All Trainees and Consultants in obstetrics and gynaecology
- Academic research staff
- Clinical governance leads, including risk managers and claims/complaints managers
- Midwives and nurses
- Staff Doctors, Staff Grades, Trust Doctors and Associate Specialists
- Solicitors

Course Organiser:

Mr Leroy Edozien FRCOG, Manchester

Honorary Director of Conferences:

Miss Raneë Thakar MD FRCOG, London

Honorary Deputy Director of Conferences:

Mr Nicholas Panay MRCOG, London

12
CPD

DURATION

2 DAYS

LOCATION

RCOG

COST

£530

£475

£425

£360

AHP
RCOG
STD
TRN
RCOG

BOOK ONLINE
SAVE
£ 10
www.rcog.org.uk

PROGRAMME

Thursday 23 April

9.00am *REGISTRATION AND REFRESHMENTS*

9.20am **Introduction**

Session I: Raising awareness of patient safety

9.30am **A patient safety education and training curriculum based on the RADICAL framework**

Mr Leroy Edozien, Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist, St Mary's Hospital, Manchester

10.00am **Safety culture and healthcare: what is it and how can we measure it?**

Dr Patrick Waterson, Reader in Human Factors and Complex Systems, Loughborough University

10.30am **Discussion**

10.45am *REFRESHMENTS*

Session II: Designing for patient safety

11.15am **How do we reduce the occurrence of intrapartum-related stillbirths?**

Dr Andrew Loughney, Consultant Obstetrician; Associate Medical Director for Clinical Governance, City Hospitals Sunderland NHS Foundation Trust

11.45am **Avoiding and managing complications in obstetric surgery**

Dr Andrew Loughney

12.15pm **Avoiding and managing complications in gynaecological surgery**

Mr David Milliken, Consultant Gynaecological Oncologist, Musgrove Park Hospital, Taunton

12.45pm **Discussion**

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

2.00pm **Breakout sessions**

Delegates will attend all breakout sessions on a rotational basis

A. Human factors

Dr Jane Carthey, Human Factors and Patient Safety Consultant

B. Root cause analysis

Ms Julie Hogg, Head of Midwifery, University College London Hospitals

C. Risk management case study

Mr Leroy Edozien

3.30pm *CLOSE*

Friday 24 April

Session III: Involving service users in patient safety

9.00am **Review of day one**

9.10am **Consent to treatment: legal and professional issues in the protection of self-determination**

Mr Leroy Edozien

9.50am **Discussion**

Session IV: Collecting and analysing patient safety data

10.00am **Analysis of maternity claims – NHSLA**

Mr John Mead, Technical Claims Director, NHS Litigation Authority

10.30am **Analysis of gynaecology claims – NHSLA**

Mr John Mead

11.00am **Discussion**

11.15am *REFRESHMENTS*

11.45am **Setting up and managing risk registers**

Dr Allison Binns, Assistant Director of Governance, Sandwell and West Birmingham Hospitals NHS Trust

12.15pm **Integrating risk management with clinical audit**

Dr Allison Binns

12.45pm **Discussion**

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

Session V: Learning from patient safety incidents

2.00pm **What have we learned in two decades of risk management?**

Professor Phil Steer, Emeritus Professor, Academic Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Chelsea and Westminster Hospital, London

2.45pm **Litigation in obstetrics and gynaecology: a review of selected interesting cases**

Mr Malcolm Griffiths, Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist; Associate Medical Director, Luton and Dunstable University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

3.30pm *REFRESHMENTS*

4.00pm **Medico-Legal report writing**

Mr Malcolm Griffiths

5.00pm *CLOSE*

Sponsorship and Exhibition:

From sponsorship of the meeting, to exhibition stands and delegate pack inserts, there are plenty of ways to promote your product or service at this event. For more information and to discuss the packages available please contact:

Ursula Samson **Tel:** +44 (0) 20 7772 6460 **Email:** usamson@rcog.org.uk

Venue

Venue: RCOG, 27 Sussex Place, Regent's Park, London NW1 4RG.

Tel: 020 7772 6200 Fax: 020 7772 6388

Train: Marylebone Station - 10 minute walk

Underground: Baker Street - 10 minute walk

Parking: Regent's Park Outer Circle (pay and display), NCP on corner of Park Road and Rossmore Road, Tel: 0870 242 7144 for further information

Fee and payment

Fees must be paid in full before or on the morning of the first day of the meeting. The RCOG reserves the right to refuse admission in the event of non-payment. The fee includes refreshments, lunch, admission to the lectures and any technical exhibitions. You are not guaranteed a place until you receive confirmation. If you have not received confirmation of your place before the start of the event, please telephone the Conference Office on +44 20 7772 6312.

Cancellations

Cancellations must be received in writing by **Thursday 9 April 2015** and be accompanied by a copy of your confirmation letter and receipt. An administrative charge of £25 will be made on all cancellations received before or on the above date. We regret the College cannot refund fees after this date. Cancellations will be processed after the conference. Substitutions are welcome at any time. In the unlikely event the course is cancelled by the RCOG, we regret we are unable to refund any travel and/or accommodation costs that have already been incurred by the delegate, or any administration charges relating to cancellation of travel tickets or accommodation.

Visa Information

If you are from a country outside the European Union, you may be required to have a valid visa to enter Britain. Please check your visa requirements before you book a place on any of our events and before you travel. We are unable to refund course fees outside of our cancellation deadline in the event that your visa is denied or not received in time for you to travel. More information on visa requirements is available from the UK Border Agency.

For full terms and conditions please visit www.rcog.org.uk/events/terms-and-conditions

Book your place now!

Online: easiest and quickest way to book with instant confirmation of your place and saving £10!

By phone: speak to our team directly who can book your place on the event, please have your card details handy

By fax: send your completed booking form and payment details direct to the Conference Office

By post: send your cheque and completed booking form to the team by mail



RCOG Conference Office: Our team are here to help and advise you in your choice of courses. If you have any further questions, contact the RCOG Conference Office on kcollings@rcog.org.uk or call +44 20 7772 6312