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Optimising the prevention of the AF (Atrial Fibrillation) -related stroke in primary care

Saturday 1st October 2016

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- Listen to Key Local and National Speakers
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Meet the Speakers ...

Dr Matthew Fay

Dr Matthew Fay is a General Practitioner at the Westcliffe Group of practices and is now based at The Willows in Queensbury, Bradford.

In 2001 he established a GPwSI cardiology service in North Bradford which has expanded to provide services in Ilkley and Queensbury. He was a member of the NICE AF Guideline Development Group and is a standing committee member of NICE Quality Standard Advisory Committee.

Among his other roles: he is currently executive of Arrhythmia Alliance, a medical advisor to STARS (the Syncope Trust), Anticoagulation Europe, on the Expert Advisory Panel for the Stroke Association, the Faculty for Heart Valve Voice and a Trustee of AF Association and Thrombosis UK.



Dr Mark Merrick

Originally from South Wales, I studied medicine at Southampton University. I pursued a career in ophthalmology for 3 years then decided to change to general practice. I did my VTS scheme in Carlisle, became a full time partner at Hannage Brook Medical Centre in 2002 and have been there ever since. I have been responsible for overseeing anticoagulation at the practice and as part of that role, I have introduced DVT pathway and also done work on identifying and managing AF patients appropriately.



Professor Michael Norton

Dr Norton is a Community Cardiologist based in Sunderland and a Visiting Professor at the University of Sunderland. He is also Head of Department at the Falls & Syncope Service in Newcastle's Royal Victoria Infirmary. On completing his hospital training, Michael then trained in general practice on the Northumbria Vocational Training Scheme.

He served as an elected council member of the Primary Care Cardiovascular Society from 2010-2012 and has previously held a seat on the UK Stroke Forum Steering Committee. Michael is a founding member and director of the CVGP (The Society for healthcare Professionals with a Cardiovascular Interest in General Practice).

His clinical interests include atrial fibrillation, heart failure, erectile dysfunction, cardiovascular disease prevention, out of hospital cardiac arrest and neurocardiovascular syncope.



Programme and Learning Agenda ...



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Time	Title	Speaker
09.00-09.30	Registration and Refreshments	
09.30-09.35	Introduction	Chair Professor Michael Norton Community Cardiologist Sunderland Visiting Professor at University of Sunderland
09.35-11.00	<p>AF strokes can be preventable</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ How are we doing ▶ What role do you and can you play <p>Making an informed choice as a clinician and as a patient</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Evidence based decisions ▶ What does the real world evidence tell us <p>How to make it happen: a practical approach</p>	<p>Dr Matt Fay GP Principal Westcliffe Medical Practice GPwSI and Co-Founder Westcliffe Cardiology Service</p> <p>Professor Michael Norton</p> <p>Dr Mark Merrick GP Hannage Brook Medical Centre</p>
11.00-11.30	Refreshments	
11.30-13.00	<p>Putting the theory into practice with practical cases</p> <p>The AF patient in your waiting room - Common scenarios faced in primary care and how to manage them</p>	<p>Professor Michael Norton Dr Matt Fay Dr Mark Merrick</p>
13.00	Meeting Close	

Learning Agenda

- The impact of the AF related stroke to the NHS, patient and family
- Diagnosis and Screening
- Current guidance in the management of AF
- Case finding – who to look for and how
- Understanding your patient anticoagulant options and meeting their needs
- Increase confidence with practical usage of anticoagulation
- Counselling your patient
- Evidence based decisions
- Non vitamin K Oral AntiCoagulation (NOAC) use : current real world experience

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