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# Ophthalmology Workshop

# Saturday 4th March 2017

Jurys Inn Middlesbrough Fry Street, Middlesbrough TS1 1JH

Introducing your speaker

**Dr Andrew Partner**BM DCH DRCOphth MRCGP

Full-time GP Oxfordshire GPSI Ophthalmology

#### All delegates will receive

- A set of lecture notes available for download for delegates' personal use
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**Course Accredited for 3 hours CPD** 

#### Meet the Speaker ...

#### **Dr Andrew Partner** BM DCH DRCOphth MRCGP

Dr Andrew Partner is a full-time GP with a special interest in Ophthalmology.

He was also the RCGP Curriculum Guardian for the eve statement and the RCGP representative on the strategic advisory group of the UK Vision Strategy up until recently

He has extensive experience teaching GPs and believes Primary Care is well placed to manage many eye conditions in the community.

Andrew also runs an Ophthalmology training organisation with colleagues, providing tuition for health professionals in treating eye conditions in the Community.

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Please bring your ophthalmoscope for the practical part of the course

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#### **Background**

"Eye problems account for 1.5% of GP consultations in the UK with a rate of 50 consultations per 1000 population per year" (RCGP Curriculum Statement 15.5). In primary healthcare, one has the opportunity to home in on preventable causes of blindness with only limited tools available. Key to GP, the history is often underestimated and can provide your diagnosis with the "opening gambit". A formal measurement of visual acuity and competent use of the ophthalmoscope can reveal all the necessary signs to either manage the eye complaint or coordinate effective and appropriate care with other specialist eye services.

#### **Objectives**

The workshop will expand upon the knowledge and skill of current GP eye care by providing a practical, thorough and time efficient approach to the eye patient that the GP can immediately put into practice.

#### The Day

Registration at 9.00am with presentations between 9.30am and 1.00pm. The style is informal and interactive, designed by Dr Partner.

It is recommended that delegates bring their Ophthalmoscopes for the practical element of the day.

#### Programme ...

9.00-9.30am	Registration, Coffee & Exhibition
9.30-11.00am	How to approach the eye patient in General Practice
11.00-11.30am	Coffee, Biscuits & Exhibition
11.30-1.00pm	A concise summary of eye problems in the young, middle aged and the elderly
1.00pm	Conference closes



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