

Course is aimed at
General Practitioners as
some background
knowledge assumed

Understanding Lab Results Part 3

Saturday 28th September 2019

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Introducing your speaker

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3 hours CPD**

Meet the Speaker ...

Dr Ahai Luvai FRCP Edin, FRCPath

Dr Luvai is a consultant at The Newcastle upon Tyne Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (NuTH) based at the Freeman Hospital.

He provides expert support for the diagnosis and management of biochemical clinical problems, advises on appropriate investigations on an individual patient basis and the repertoire provided by the Clinical Biochemistry Department.

He is the clinical lead for the Lipid and Metabolic Clinic at the Royal Victoria Infirmary and chairs the regional Familial Hypercholesterolaemia Steering Group. He is the Deputy Chair of the Lipid Specialists Advisory Group within the Northern England Strategic Clinical Networks. The group aims to promote evidence based practice in the management of lipid disorders, including FH, raise the profile of Lipid Specialist Services, inform commissioners and influence investment decisions.

He has an interest in reference intervals, performance of clinical decision limits and the impact of biological variation on disease monitoring.



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Your Learning Agenda ...

Endocrine diseases	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ PCOS ▶ Amenorrhoea ▶ Menopause –value & relevance of tests ▶ Low testosterone in males ▶ Androgen replacement for erectile dysfunction ▶ Monitoring of transgender patients ▶ Calcium disorders ▶ Hypertension
IBD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Faecal calprotectin in diagnosis & monitoring of IBD
Heart failure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Role of BNP
Haematinic deficiencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Vitamin B12 ▶ Folate ▶ Ferritin/Transferrin/Saturation
Cancer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Tumour markers ▶ Immunoglobulins, paraproteins, serum electrophoresis ▶ Faecal Occult Blood/FIT ▶ PSA ▶ Urine/sputum

Programme ...

09.00 - 09.30am	Registration, Coffee and Exhibition
09.30 - 11.00am	Understanding Lab Results Part 1
11.00 - 11.30am	Coffee, Biscuits and Exhibition
11.30 - 1.00pm	Understanding Lab Results Part 2
1.00pm	Conference Closes

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