

Free Study Morning for GPs and Practice Nurses

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Lung Cancer and COPD and Evolving Developments in the Management of COPD

At this event:

- Listen to National and Key Speakers
- Update knowledge and understanding of Lung Cancer and COPD
- Update knowledge on Evolving Developments in the Management of COPD
- Receive a certificate for your appraisal portfolio

Saturday 29th June 2019

Grand Hotel Blackpool North Promenade, Blackpool FY1 2JQ

Meet the Speakers...

Prof. Dave Singh BA (Hons) MB, B.Chir. MA (Hon) MRCP MD

Head of the airway pharmacology group, using human lung tissue models to study inflammation in asthma and COPD

Medical Director for early phase clinical trials in the Medicines Evaluation Unit (MEU)

After graduating in Medicine from Cambridge University, Prof Singh trained in respiratory medicine and clinical pharmacology. This included an industrial placement for phase 1 experience. He completed an MD at the University of Manchester, and then was appointed as senior lecturer in respiratory pharmacology based in the University Hospital of South Manchester in 2003. Prof Singh's research interests are the pharmacotherapy of Asthma and COPD with studies spanning from basic pharmacology investigations of anti-inflammatory drug action to clinical trials. He is medical director of the Medicines Evaluation Unit performing proof of concept studies in obstructive lung diseases.



Member of:-

University Of Manchester representative on CHOP (Committee of Heads and Professors of Clinical Pharmacology and Therapeutics). British Pharmacology Society. British Association of Lung Research. British Thoracic Society. Royal College of Physicians. American Thoracic Society. European Respiratory Society. British Society of Immunology.

Teaching & Training

Undergraduate training – Prof Singh has supervised 5 medical students' 10-week research project options. Prof Singh has contributed every year to undergraduate examinations, and medical student teaching. Prof Singh has acted as Mres tutor for year 4 medical students for the last 3 years, delivering seminars on asthma.

Emma Rickards

Respiratory Nurse Consultant - Knowsley Community Respiratory Service

Passionate about reducing health inequalities in respiratory medicine.

PhD student EoL Care for patients with COPD in ED, Bsc Nursing studies, Msc Difficult Asthma, Mphil, Advanced respiratory nurse practitioner, NMP. Intern at UCLAN for CLAHRC.

Received Florence Nightingale research Scholarship 2017/2018 and again 2018/2019.

On the BTS Professional Advisers Panel.

Worked in respiratory medicine for 12 years.





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Programme and Learning Agenda ...



The Burden of COPD

British Lung Foundation - Battle for Breath 2016

- ▶ 1.2 million people in the UK are living with COPD
- 4.5% of people aged over 40 have COPD
- 115,000 people are diagnosed with COPD each year one every 5 minutes
- ▶ 1.7% of hospital admissions are due to COPD 144,000 per year and greater than 1 million bed days
- Prevalence 2.5 times higher in most socially deprived quintiles

This Programme will be led by Prof. Dave Singh and Emma Rickards

Your Learning Agenda

Part 1 - Lung Cancer and COPD

- ▶ Diseases caused by smoking- COPD/Lung cancer/Cardiovascular disease
- Awareness of City project to screen for COPD/Lung cancer
- Reducing Emergency presentation
- Pathways and timing of chest optimisation
- ► Treatment options

Part 2 - Evolving Developments in the Management of COPD

- To review and discuss the Daffodil standards for GPs.
- ▶ Re-thinking conversations surrounding the care of patients with Long Term Conditions.
- Advanced Care Planning
- Palliation of symptoms

Programme ...

09:00 - 09:30am Registration and refreshments 09:30 - 11:00am Part 1: Lung Cancer and COPD

11:00 - 11:30am Coffee break

11:30 - 1:00pm Part 2: Evolving Developments in the Management of COPD

1:00pm Conference close

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