

All that coughs is not COVID19

WEBINAR

Wednesday 30th September 2020

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Introducing your speaker

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Meet the Speaker ...

Dr Steve Holmes MMedSci, MBChB, FRCGP



Steve has been a general practitioner for more than 30 years and has been involved as a GP educator (trainer, tutor, course organiser, APD) through most of this time.

He has had a respiratory interest through most of his career working closely with the BTS and other bodies producing national and international guidelines as well as having more than 250 publications to his name.

He is a core member of the NHS Your COVID Recovery group, has been involved in guidance and papers on COVID regionally and nationally and was the opening speaker on the virtual International Primary Care Respiratory Group conference talking on Post COVID recovery.

Your Learning Agenda ...

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As Winter approaches many active clinicians are going to be faced with assessing people remotely (telephone or video) or face to face in a time when we are being cautious of infection spread. We are all going to be challenged with distinguishing between a simple, innocent cough, a more prolonged acute viral bronchitis – but from October onwards often influenza in previous years, potentially COVID19 – and as ever the second commonest reason for hospital admission (community acquired pneumonia). These all require potentially different treatment – the talk will cover in detail the potential grey areas, the likely pointers to a specific diagnosis and the evidence base. It will also cover how to distinguish between these causes and COPD or asthma flare ups.

It will cover the challenges of when to examine, how to use pulse oximetry, silent hypoxia – and the value of examination. A useful update to help you feel confident facing the challenges of what may be the toughest winter the NHS has ever faced.

Programme ...

7.30pm -8.15pm	Session 1
8.15pm -8.45pm	Break and Promotional Presentation TBC
8.45pm-9.30pm	Session 2
9.30pm	Webinar Ends

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