

Anaesthetics Updates

17-18 March 2020



Venue: Royal College of Anaesthetists, London

Registration:

One day: Member/Fellow £250, Non-members £315 (discounted rates available)

Two days: Member/Fellow £380, Non-members £475 (discounted rates available)

Clinical Content Lead: Professor Akbar Vohra, Manchester

This event has been designed to give a broad overview of important topics for all anaesthetists. It is aimed at providing an update on a wide range of topics at basic and advanced levels. In this context, it should enable participants to maintain or develop clinical knowledge and practice. This may support improved patient care and enable progress for revalidation requirements. Therefore, there is an eclectic mix of topics covered in these two days:

Key topics include:

- Managing work life balance
- Optimising and investigating patients in the perioperative period
- Update on physiology of hypoxia
- Management of the paediatric patients presenting for surgery
- Orthopaedic patients
- Update on the management of specialist subgroups of patients

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Day 1: Tuesday, 17 March 2020

09.00–09.30	Registration	
09.30–09.40	Welcome and Introduction	Professor Akbar Vohra, Manchester
Session 1: Chair: Professor Akbar Vohra, Manchester		
09.40–10.05	Managing patients with pacemakers	Dr Darshan Pathak, Manchester
10.05–10.30	Managing fatigue. What strategies do we have?	Dr Emma Plunkett, Birmingham
10.30–10.45	DISCUSSION/ Q&A SESSION	
10.45–11.05	REFRESHMENTS	
Session 2: Chair: Professor Akbar Vohra, Manchester		
11.05–11.30	Managing patients on anticoagulants coming in for surgery: Issues and strategies	Dr Nick Goddard, Southampton
11.30–11.55	Do we know the best way to provide anaesthesia for fracture neck of femur patients?	Dr Andrew Castello-Cortes, London
11.55–12.20	Anaesthesia for shoulder surgery	Dr Nigel Bedforth, Nottingham
12.20–12.35	DISCUSSION/ Q&A SESSION	
12.35–13.35	LUNCH	
Session 3: Chair: Professor Akbar Vohra, Manchester		
13.35–14.00	The management of anaesthetic anxiety in children	Dr Amy Norrington, Middlesbrough
14.00–14.25	Improving pain management in children undergoing day case surgery	Dr Glyn Williams, London
14.25–14.50	Managing difficult airway issues in children	Dr Elina Fernandez, London
14.50–15.05	DISCUSSION/ Q&A SESSION	
15.05–15.25	REFRESHMENTS	
Session 4: Chair: Professor Akbar Vohra, Manchester		
15.25–15.50	Managing patients undergoing major spinal surgery	Dr Ramprabu Krishnan, Middlesex
15.50–16.15	Neuraxial blocks: Current fad or the way forward?	Dr Pawan-Kumar Gupta, Leeds
16.15–16.30	DISCUSSION/ Q&A SESSION	
16.30	CLOSE	

Day 2: Wednesday, 18 March 2020

09.00-09.30	REGISTRATION AND REFRESHMENTS	
09.30-09.40	Welcome and introduction	Professor Akbar Vohra, Manchester
Session 1:	Chair: Professor Akbar Vohra, Manchester	
09.40-10.05	Burnout and resilience in anaesthesia and intensive care. Current problems and future strategies	Dr Segun Olusanya, Berkshire
10.05-10.30	Emergency laparotomy management. Have we improved?	Dr Geeta Aggarwal, Guildford
10.30-10.45	DISCUSSION/ Q&A SESSION	
10.45-11.05	REFRESHMENTS	
Session 2:	Chair: Professor Akbar Vohra, Manchester	
11.05-11.30	Managing the right ventricle - issues and strategies	Professor Susanna Price, London
11.30-11.55	Amputation or revascularization in critical limb ischaemia, anaesthetic perspectives	Dr Simon Howell, Leeds
11.55-12.20	Heart disease in pregnancy	Dr Kailash Bhatia, Manchester
12.20-12.35	DISCUSSION/ Q&A SESSION	
12.35-13.35	LUNCH	
Session 3:	Chair: Professor Akbar Vohra, Manchester	
13.35-14.00	CPEX: is it really making a difference?	Dr Michael Parker, Cheshire
14.00-14.25	Investigating and managing preoperative anaemia	Dr Seema Agarwal, Liverpool
14.25-14.50	Role of Ultrasound for assessing Trauma patients	Dr Alexander Scott, Cleveland
14.50-15.05	DISCUSSION/ Q&A SESSION	
15.05-15.25	REFRESHMENTS	
Session 4:	Chair: Professor Akbar Vohra, Manchester	
15.25-15.50	Managing patients with difficult airways	Professor Anil Patel, London
15.50-16.15	Thrombectomy for stroke - implication for anaesthetists	Dr Judith Dinsmore, London
16.15-16.30	DISCUSSION/ Q&A SESSION	
16.30	CLOSE	

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