Latest Advances in Cancer Pain Management: Basic Science to Clinical Practice

11-12 April 2019
The Royal Marsden Conference Centre, Stewart’s Grove, London SW3 6JJ
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Dear Colleague
The pain management team at the Royal Marsden Hospital has developed a new series of four conferences for 2019. These Conferences cover all aspects of modern pain practice including cancer pain, chronic pain and acute pain, as well as the latest developments in the use of Opioids (12th Royal Marsden Opioid Conference).
We have gathered together prominent speakers from the UK and around the world to provide the most stimulating talks on these aspects of pain management.
We cordially invite you to attend these conferences, which will be beneficial for all medical and nursing practitioners involved in the management of pain, palliative care and anaesthesia.

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Conference Aim
The aim of this conference is to outline the latest developments in cancer pain management. The conference is divided into four parts;

• **Part 1** covers the neurobiology of cancer pain, neuropathic pain and bone pain, and then focuses on the evidence for specific treatments of these conditions.

• **Part 2** outlines the problem of cancer pain in the UK, and also covers the impact of IT systems in pain and palliative care.

• **Part 3** reviews treatments for cancer pain including oncological treatments and the use of nerve blocks.

• **Part 4** is a session on the impact of cancer pain throughout the world.

We hope that this conference will update delegates on the latest developments in cancer pain, and look forward to welcoming you in April 2019.

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# Programme of Events

## Thursday 11th April 2019

### 08:45 – 09:15 Registration and Coffee

### 09:15 – 09:20 Introduction and Overview
Dr John E Williams  
Consultant in Pain Medicine, Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust

## Morning session: Neurobiology of Cancer Pain and its Treatment

### 9:20 – 10:10 Cancer pain: mechanisms and targets
Professor Steve Hunt  
Professor of Molecular Neurobiology, University College, London

### 10:10 – 10:55 The WHO Ladder: past, present & future
Professor Sam Ahmedzai  
Professor of Palliative Medicine, University of Sheffield

### 10:55 – 11:15 Coffee break

### 11:15 – 12:00 Cancer-related neuropathic pain
Professor Sam Ahmedzai  
Professor of Palliative Medicine, University of Sheffield

### 12.00 – 12:30 Cannabis use in Cancer Pain
Dr Paul Farquhar-Smith  
Consultant in Pain Medicine, Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust

### 12.30 – 13:00 Gabapentinoids in Cancer Pain Practice
Panel discussion: Professor Ahmedzai, Dr Williams and Dr Farquhar-Smith

### 13:00 – 13:50 Lunch

## Afternoon Session: Cancer pain epidemiology and Informatics

### 13:50 – 14:35 Epidemiology of Cancer Pain
Dr Johan Haumann  
University of Maastricht

### 14:35 – 15:15 Use of Health Informatics in modern cancer pain practice
Caroline Cake  
Chief Operating Officer, Health Data Research UK

### 15:15 – 15:35 Tea

### 15:35 – 16:05 IT systems in Palliative Care & Pain, ‘Co-ordinate My Care’
Professor Julia Riley  
Professor of Palliative Medicine, Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust

### 16:05 Closing Remarks and Panel Discussion

## Friday 12th April 2019

### Morning Session: Evidence Based Treatments

### 9:20- 9:55 Nerve blocks and Interventions for Cancer Pain: when should we consider them?
Dr Hadi Bedran  
Consultant Anaesthetist, St George's Hospital

### 9:55 – 10:40 Neurosurgical treatments for Cancer Pain
Mr Erlick Pereira  
Consultant Neurosurgeon, St George's Hospital

### 10:40 – 11:00 Coffee

### 11:00 – 11:40 Mechanisms and clinical use of Radiotherapy for cancer pain
Dr Katherine Aitken  
Consultant Clinical Oncologist, Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust

### 11:40 – 12:40 Evidence Based Psychological treatments for Cancer Pain
Professor Chris Eccleston  
Director Centre for Health Research, University of Bath

### 12:40 – 13:20 Lunch

### 13:20 – 14:00 ‘Early Palliative Care’ and improved survival, a review
Dr Elaine Boland  
Consultant and Honorary Senior Lecturer in Palliative Medicine, Queens Centre for Oncology and Haematology, Hull and East Yorkshire NHS Trust

### 14:00 – 16:00 Global Cancer Pain issues: Special Interest Group on Cancer Pain
Dr Matt Brown  
Consultant in Pain Medicine, Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust
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