

America Square Conference Centre, London
Friday 13th & Saturday 14th October 2017



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A three to four minute walk from Tower Hill tube station. On leaving Tower Hill tube station turn right and walk for 100 metres past the Grange City Hotel and under the overhead train line bridge. Turn right into Crosswall and the entrance to America Square Conference Centre is 50 metres on your right through the revolving doors.

Terms and Conditions

1. Registrations can only be accepted on receipt of a completed registration form. Completion of this form constitutes a legally binding agreement and you must sign, agreeing to the terms and conditions, in order for your booking to be processed.
2. Your place is not guaranteed until you have received confirmation.
3. Confirmation will be sent to you within 14 working days of receiving your booking. If you have not heard from us within this time frame, it is your responsibility to contact us to ensure your place is booked and paid in full.
4. PCDS cannot be held responsible should your registration form not be received.
5. All bookings close one week before the course.
6. Registration fees include VAT at the prevailing rate.
7. Cancellations will only be accepted in writing, but there will be no refunds. However, delegates may defer the fee to another course, or substitute an alternative delegate.

**NO PHOTOGRAPHS OR VIDEO OF PRESENTATIONS
ALLOWED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES**



We look forward to welcoming you to the fifth PCDS surgical course to take place in our capital city of London.

Skin surgery is a very interesting and important part of GP work, but GPs who undertake skin surgery need to be safe, confident and up-to-date with techniques and guidelines. This course is designed to be very 'hands-on' with a large proportion of the course time spent in practical sessions backed up by factual lectures and operating videos clips.

The tutors will be Plastic Surgeons, Clinical Assistants and experienced GPwSs in Dermatology. The number of delegates for these courses is restricted to allow an approximate ratio of 1 tutor to 4 delegates to ensure each delegate has an intensive learning experience suitable to their surgical capabilities. Use of minor surgery instruments and pig skin will give a realistic feel to surgery.

Delegates will be assessed pre-course to ensure that groups of similar abilities work together. A final assessment at the end will provide delegates with feedback on their progress during the course. I look forward to meeting you in London in October.

Dr Christy Chou

Skin Surgeon & PCDS Committee Member



Invitation & Programme

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Who Should Attend this Course?

THIS SURGICAL WORKSHOP is aimed at GPs and GPSIs who are interested in improving their surgical skills, ideally performing skin surgery on a regular basis and familiar with basic techniques.

Delegates will be assessed pre and post course to ensure that groups of similar abilities work together. The assessment will also provide the delegates with feedback on their progress during the course.

Lectures will cover Update on Management both Surgical and Non-surgical of Skin Cancer; Tips on Wound Healing and Grafts & Flaps.

The tutors will be Consultant Dermatological and Plastic Surgeons. It is intended to have approximately 3-4 delegates to 1 instructor ratio to ensure each delegate has an intensive learning experience whatever their level. We shall be using high quality surgery instruments and pig skin to give a realistic feel to surgery.

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12.45pm	Registration and Lunch	2.30pm	Skin Surgery Dr Christy Chou
1.30pm	Meeting Introduction & Welcome Dr Christy Chou, Department of Plastic Surgery University Hospital of Durham, Primary Care Surgeon, County Durham PCT	3.15pm	Refreshments
1.45pm	Surgical Skills Assessment	3.40pm	Practical 1
		5.00pm	Meeting Close

Saturday 14th October 2017

9.00am	Cyst & Lipoma Dr Christy Chou	2.00pm	Practical 4
9.20am	Practical 2	3.00pm	Refreshments
10.45pm	Refreshments	3.15pm	Final Assessment
11.00am	Wound Healing & Dressing	4.00pm	Non Surgical Treatment Dr Timothy Cunliffe, GPSI Dermatology Middlesborough
11.30am	Practical 3		
1.00pm	Lunch		
1.30pm	Flaps	4.45pm	Meeting Close

Booking Form

Name _____

Address _____

Postcode _____

Telephone _____

Email _____

Job title _____

Early Bird to end on 31st July 2017:

Early Bird rate..... £475.00

Rate from 1st August 2017:

Normal rate..... £525.00

Please tick here for the vegetarian meals

Please tick here for the gluten free meals

Please select appropriate rate: cost is per delegate and includes meeting, lunch and refreshments on both days, but not accommodation

Delegate's Name _____
(IN CAPITALS)

Payment Details

I enclose a cheque made payable to PCDS for £ _____

Credit/Debit Card

Please debit my credit/debit card for the sum of £ _____

Card No.

Expiry: Security No. Issue No.

I confirm I have read and agree to the terms & conditions of booking as seen on the back cover.

Signature _____ Date _____