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Recent Advances in Epilepsy

Hallam Conference Centre, London, W1
Thursday 27th May 2010

6 CPD POINTS APPLIED FOR



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Objectives

Recent Advances in Epilepsy

will bring together leading experts in the field to discuss the current clinical issues, latest developments and practical management of epilepsy

It is anticipated that participants will benefit from:

- A comprehensive overview of the current and future pharmacotherapies used in the treatment of epilepsy
- A greater understanding of the diagnosis of epilepsy
- A raised awareness of the role of the epilepsy nurse specialist
- An insight into specific treatment considerations in the elderly and in women of child bearing age
- A review of current surgical interventions used in the treatment of epilepsy
- An opportunity to share and exchange ideas with leading practitioners in the field

Who should attend?

Recent Advances in Epilepsy

is aimed at all medical professionals but will be of particular interest to the following:

- Neurologists
- Neurosurgeons
- Physicians with an interest in epilepsy
- Epilepsy nurse specialists
- Neuroscience nurses
- Neurophysiologists
- GPs with an interest in epilepsy
- Neuropharmacologists
- Practice nurses
- Allied health professionals specialising in neurology
- All trainees in these disciplines

Recent Advances

Thursday 27th May AM

08.00 – 08.55 Registration & refreshments

08.55 – 09.00 Welcome & introduction

09.00 – 09.40 **KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Antiepileptic drugs: past, present and future**

Professor Martin J Brodie

Director, Epilepsy Unit
Western Infirmary, Glasgow

09.40 – 10.10 **Diagnosis of epilepsy: which investigation and when?**

Dr Michalis Koutroumanidis

Clinical Neurophysiologist and Neurologist & Honorary Senior Lecturer, GKT School of Medicine, King's College, London

10.10 – 10.40 **Clinical predictors of outcome and risk in epilepsy**

Professor Tony Marson

Professor of Neurology
University of Liverpool

10.40 – 10.50 Discussion

10.50 – 11.20 Refreshments

11.20 – 11.50 **Clinical syndromes and current controversies in idiopathic generalised epilepsy**

Dr Ann Johnston

Neurology Specialist Registrar & Neurology Clinical Tutor
Morrison Hospital, Swansea

11.50 – 12.20 **Multidisciplinary management and the role of the epilepsy nurse specialist**

Anthony Linklater

Epilepsy Nurse Specialist
National Hospital for Neurology & Neurosurgery, London

12.20 – 12.50 **A carers perspective and the importance of family involvement**
Representative from Epilepsy Action

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12.50 – 13.00 **Discussion**

13.00 – 13.50 **Lunch**

13.50 – 14.20 **Epilepsy in the elderly: specific treatment considerations**

Dr Philip Smith

Consultant Neurologist
University Hospital of Wales, Cardiff

14.20 – 14.50 **Epilepsy in women of child bearing age: specific treatment considerations**

Dr Pamela Crawford

Consultant Neurologist, York Hospital

14.50 – 15.00 **Discussion**

15.00 – 15.20 **Refreshments**

15.20 – 15.50 **Management of pharmaco-resistant epilepsy**

Dr Paul McKee

Consultant Neurologist,
James Cook University Hospital, Middlesbrough

15.50 – 16.20 **Vagus nerve stimulation: current status and future prospects**

Cathy Queally

Epilepsy Clinical Nurse Specialist
King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust, London

16.20 – 16.50 **Surgical approaches to insular epilepsy**

To be confirmed

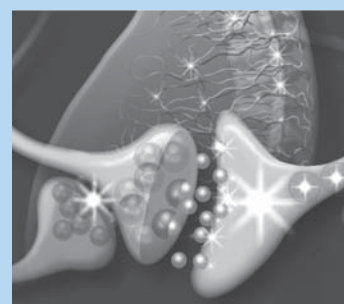
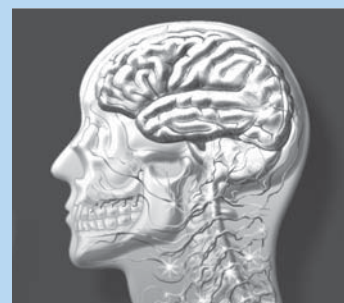
16.50 – 17.00 **Discussion and close of conference**

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How to get to the venue

Hallam Conference Centre, 44 Hallam Street, London W1W 6JJ
Tel: 020 7706 7700

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The Hallam is a 3 minute walk from Great Portland Street Underground Station: On leaving the station double back on yourself and walk along Great Portland Street until you come to the Villandry Restaurant. Use the zebra crossing to cross the road and walk up Weymouth Street, directly opposite the Villandry with Hallam Street on the left and the Conference Centre 100 metres on the left.

Accommodation details

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