

WEST MIDLANDS PHYSICIANS' ASSOCIATION
AUTUMN MEETING

to be held at

**Postgraduate Centre
City Hospital
Dudley Road
Birmingham B18 7QH**

On

Friday 27th November 2009

**P R O G R A M M E
CPD = 5 HOURS**

- 9.30 am Registration and Coffee
- CPD in Thoracic Medicine – Chairman – Professor Donald Singer**
- 10.00 am *“Advances in the diagnosis and management of lung cancer”*
Dr I Woolhouse, Consultant Physician, University Hospital Birmingham
- 10.30 am *“Advances in the management of suppurative lung disease”*
Dr J Whitehouse, Consultant Physician, Birmingham Heartlands Hospital
- 11.00 am **Coffee**
- CPD in Thoracic Medicine – Chairman – Dr P Cadigan**
- 11.30 am *“The use of NIV in respiratory emergencies”*
Dr D Banerjee, Consultant Physician, Birmingham Heartlands Hospital
- 12.00 pm *“Progress in the understanding of genetic lung disease”*
Professor R Stockley, Consultant Physician, University Hospital Birmingham
- 12.30 pm **GUEST LECTURE**
“The DNAR Form: Making difficult decisions easier”
Dr David Pitcher, Secretary to the Resuscitation Council and Consultant Physician, Worcestershire Royal Hospital
- 1.00pm Lunch**
- 2.00 pm **Annual General Meeting**
- Scientific Papers – Chairman – Dr P Cadigan**
- 2.30 pm # *“The Birmingham weight loss in idiopathic intracranial hypertension and intracranial pressure study”*
Dr A Sinclair, MA Burdon, AK Ball, PG Nightingale, P Good, TD Matthews, A Jacks, M Lawdon, CE Clarke, EA Walker, J Tomlinson, PM Stewart, S Rauz, Birmingham Neuro-Ophthalmology Unit, Birmingham & Midland Eye Centre, University of Birmingham, University Hospitals NHS Trust, Birmingham, Leicester General Hospital
- 2.50 pm # *“High-risk myocardial infarction patients derive greater mortality benefit from short door-to-balloon time”*
Dr P K Kong, DL Connolly, C Varma, GYH Lip, T Millane, RC Davis, RA Ahmad Sandwell & West Birmingham Hospitals NHS Trust

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- 3.10 pm # *“Metabolic modulation in hypertrophic cardiomyopathy: randomized, double blinded clinical trial of perhexiline in symptomatic hypertrophic cardiomyopathy”*
Dr K Abozguia, P Elliott, W McKenna, TT Phan, G Nallur-Shivu, I Ahmed, AR Maher, A Henning, H Ashrafian, H Watkins, M Freneaux
 University of Birmingham, University College London Hospitals, University and ETH Zurich, University of Oxford
- Case Presentations - Chairman – Dr P Cadigan**
- 3.30 pm * *“An unusual cause of chronic cough with eosinophilia”*
Dr B Barker, G slocombe, K Srinivasan, H Moudgil
 County Hospital, Hereford and Princess Royal Hospital, Shrewsbury
- 3.45pm * *“A curious case of breathlessness”*
Dr A Chauhan, A Jayaratnam, N Nathani
 City Hospital, Birmingham
- 4.00 pm **Tea**
- 4.30 pm * *“Gastro-electrical stimulation for gastroparesis caused by Type 1 diabetes mellitus”*
Dr R Kakad, J Dale
 Russells Hall Hospital, Dudley
- 4.45 pm * *“Just another case of D&V?”*
Dr A Last, M Roberts
 Worcestershire Acute Hospitals NHS Trust
- 5.00 pm **THE GEORGE WHITFIELD LECTURE**
“In sickness and in power”
Lord David Owen,
- 5.45 pm Presentation of Stephen Whittaker and Owen Wade Prizes followed by close of meeting
- 6.00 pm **Drinks Reception**
- 6.30 pm **Dinner**

KEY

Eligible for Stephen Whittaker Prize

* Eligible for Owen Wade Prize