

Doctors of all grades, nurses, midwives and allied health professionals caring for pregnant women with medical disorders would benefit from attending this internationally-acclaimed three-day meeting, now in its 25th year!

It provides the theoretical element of the RCOG ATSM in Maternal Medicine. Leading specialists will discuss the most important and common medical problems which complicate pregnancy, delivery and the puerperium.

The conference also covers management of medical disorders arising both before and during pregnancy, including workshops and case histories to stimulate audience interaction.

Course Directors: Professor Cathy Nelson-Piercy, Dr David Williams and Professor Catherine Williamson

Venue: The Royal College of Physicians, London NW1 4LE

Registration Fee: £609 (Course only) / £679 (Course plus 25th anniversary dinner)

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Medical Complications in Pregnancy 2019 Programme

Day 1 - Wednesday 13 November 2019

09:00	Registration	
Introduction by Chairman: Professor Catherine Williamson		
09:30	Why obstetric medicine is important	Dr David Williams
09:55	HIV and pregnancy	Dr Yvonne Gilleece
10:25	Infectious diseases in pregnancy	Professor Alison Rodger
11:05	<i>Coffee</i>	
11:30	Connective tissue disorders	Professor Cathy Nelson-Piercy
12:10	Inflammatory bowel disease	Dr Sara McCartney
12:40	<i>Lunch</i>	
Chairman: Dr David Williams		
13:40	Thyroid disease	Dr Tim Korevaar
14:10	Other endocrine problems	Professor Catherine Williamson
14:50	<i>Tea</i>	
Chairman: Professor Catherine Williamson		
15:15	Pre-existing diabetes	Dr Anita Banerjee
15:45	Gestational diabetes and obesity	Dr Ken Hodson
16:15	Discussion on diabetes in pregnancy	Dr Anita Banerjee, Dr Ken Hodson, Dr Lucy MacKillop
17:00	<i>End of day 1</i>	

Day 2 - Thursday 14 November 2019

Chairman: Professor Catherine Nelson-Piercy

09:00	Pre-eclampsia: where are we with prediction and diagnosis	Professor Gordon Smith
09:25	Pre-eclampsia: management	Dr Jenny Myers
09:50	Pre-existing hypertension	Dr David Williams
10:15	Hypertension and pre-eclampsia workshop	Professor Gordon Smith, Dr Jenny Myers, and Dr David Williams
11:00	<i>Coffee</i>	

Chairman: Dr David Williams

11:30	Essential haematology for obstetricians	Dr Sue Pavord
12:00	Thromboembolism	Professor Cathy Nelson-Piercy
12:40	<i>Lunch</i>	

Chairman: Professor Cathy Nelson-Piercy

13:40	Heart disease in pregnancy	Dr Cathy Head
14:15	Respiratory disease in pregnancy and TB	Dr Lucy MacKillop
14:45	Discussion of heart disease and critical care	Dr Cathy Head, Dr Lucy MacKillop, Dr Nuala Lucas
15:15	<i>Tea</i>	
15:45	Clinical cases workshop	Dr Kirun Gunganah, Miss Mandish Dhanjal, Dr Charlotte Frise
17:00	<i>End of day 2</i>	
	<i>Drinks reception and 25th anniversary dinner (optional)</i>	

Day 3 - Friday 15 November 2019

Chairman: Professor Catherine Williamson

09:00	Epilepsy	Dr John Craig
09:30	Other neurology in pregnancy	Dr Pooja Dassan
10:10	Psychiatric problems in pregnancy	Dr Roch Cantwell
10:40	<i>Coffee</i>	

Chairman: Professor Cathy Nelson-Piercy

11:10	Liver disease in pregnancy	Professor Catherine Williamson
11:40	Renal disease (Chronic Kidney Disease)	Dr Kate Wiles
12:10	Renal disease (Acute Kidney Injury)	Dr David Williams
12:40	<i>Lunch</i>	

Chairman: Dr David Williams

13:40	Cancer	Professor Frédéric Amant
14:10	Management and prescribing of medical disorders in pregnancy	Professor Cathy Nelson-Piercy, Dr David Williams, Professor Catherine Williamson
15:10	Quiz: 20 Questions	
15:30	<i>Closing remarks and end of meeting</i>	