

BASL X-tra Programme

Session 1: Immune mediated liver disease

TUESDAY 29th April 2025

13:00 - 13:10	Welcome and introduction Dr Tim Cross and Dr Ian Rowe Chairs – Dr Deepak Joshi and Sandra Walsh CNS
13:10 - 13:30	An overview of autoimmune hepatitis Dr Lin Lee Wong - Royal Devon & Exeter Hospital
13:30 – 13:50	Best approaches to management of immunosuppression Fiona Rees, Consultant Pharmacist in Gastroenterology - Royal Sussex County Hospital, Princess Royal Hospital
13:50 - 14:10	Improving adherence in the AIH patient Dr Jemma Day - King's College Hospital
14:10 - 14:20	PANEL discussion with speakers on panel
14:20 - 14:30	BREAK
	Chairs: Dr Deepak Joshi and Dr Tamar Avades
14:30 – 14:50	What's new in PSC? Dr Ramu Chimakurthi - Leeds Teaching Hospitals
14:50 – 15:10	Endoscopic management of biliary strictures Dr Jonathan Potts - Royal Free Hospital
15:10 – 15:30	Immunotherapy induced liver disease: Dr Sreelakshmi Kotha - Guys & St Thomas's Hospital Dr Philip Berry - Guys & St Thomas's Hospital
15:30 - 15:50	Genetic cholestasis Dr Jeremy Nayagam - King's College Hospital
15:50 – 16:00	PANEL discussion with speakers on panel
16:00 – 16:15	Industry Symposium - Ipsen



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Session 2: Optimising health in people with decompensated cirrhosis - joint BASL/BLNA

WEDNESDAY 30 th April 2025		
13.00	Welcome by chairs Chairs: 1 st half – Dr Louisa Vine and Laura Kent CNS	
13:00 – 13:20	Decompensated cirrhosis care bundle Professor Stuart McPherson - Freeman Hospital, Newcastle Laura Brown – Liver specialist nurse, Gateshead	
13:20 – 13:40	Coagulopathy in my patient with liver disease – investigations and how to manage Dr Lara Roberts, Consultant haematologists - Kings College Hospital	
13:40-14:20	Dietitian and pharmacist approach to recognising and improving hepatic encephalopathy Jenny Towey, Specialist Dietitian - University Hospitals Birmingham Sarah Sawieres, Specialist Pharmacist - Kings College Hospital	
14:20 – 14:30	PANEL discussion with speakers on panel	
14:30 - 14:40	BREAK	
	Chairs: 2 nd half – Dr Louisa Vine and Leslie Wong Specialist Pharmacist	
14:40 – 15:00	Nurse led decompensated clinic Dianne Backhouse - Hull University Teaching Hospital Patient Jayne Miller	
15:00 – 15:20	Providing quality end of life care Dr Lucia Macken - Brighton and Sussex University Hospitals NHS	
15:20 – 15:40	AKI in decompensated cirrhosis, the point of no return or a bump in the road Professor Alastair O'Brien – Royal Free Hospital	
15:40 – 16:00	Paracentesis v Long term drains Professor Sumita Verma - Brighton and Sussex Medical School and University Hospitals Sussex Dr Yas Haddadin - Brighton and Sussex Medical School and University Hospitals Sussex	
16:00 - 16:10	PANEL discussion with speakers on panel	



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Session 3: Liver Grand-rounds: Complex and controversial cases

Thursday 1 st May 2025		
13.00	Welcome by chairs Chairs: Dr Ian Rowe and Dr Wenhao Li	
13:00 – 13:45	Up to date management of co infection - HBV and delta virus Professor Patrick Kennedy - Queen Mary University of London Sital Shah, Consultant Pharmacist – King's College Hospital	
13:45 – 14:30	Fontan associated liver disease Dr Kush Abeysekera - Bristol Royal Infirmary	
14:30 - 14:40	BREAK	
	Chairs Dr Ian Rowe and Dr Victoria Kronsten	
14:40 - 15:25	Haemochromatosis/hyperferritinaemia: Insights into iron dysregulation Dr Jeremy Shearman – South Warwickshire University NHS Foundation Trust	
15:25 – 16:10	Advances in polycystic liver disease: Diagnosis, management, and future therapies Dr Richard Aspinall - Portsmouth Hospitals University NHS Trust Joanna Henry, Specialist Pharmacist - Liverpool University hospitals	
16.10 - 16:15	Close of meeting Dr Tim Cross and Dr Ian Rowe	

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