

MIGRANT HEALTH: Improving Health Outcomes

Free half-day seminar, 12 May 2011. Lunch provided.

An afternoon seminar for GPs and primary care staff exploring infectious disease and health provision for migrant populations.

Late presentation of infectious disease is associated with worse outcome, ongoing transmission and increased healthcare costs. For many of these infections (eg HIV, TB, Hepatitis B & C, parasitic infections), exposure in high prevalence countries is a major risk factor. This and future events aim to share best practice through education, research, community engagement and development of a migrant health primary care network.

TOPICS:

- Why is it important?
- How should we approach diagnosis in primary care?
- Issues with access to healthcare.

SPEAKERS INCLUDING:

- Professor Jane Anderson, Chair-Elect of BHIVA
- Professor Graham Foster, Hepatologist
- Fizza Qureshi, Doctors of the World
- Dr Jane Jones, HPA.

WHEN: 12 May 2011, 1.30pm to 5pm

WHERE: A.E. Clark-Kennedy lecture theatre in the QM Innovation Centre, 6 Walden Street, London, E1 2AN.

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