

**Local Awareness and Early Diagnosis Initiative  
LAEDI Educational Workshop**

**Thursday 21st October 2010  
Kassam Stadium, Oxford  
16:00 – 21:00**

This event can be used to support information for medical revalidation.

This is an educational event for General Practitioners and primary care staff working across Thames Valley Cancer Network who have an important role in raising cancer awareness and improving early diagnosis. It is also for cancer commissioners and professionals who are concerned about health inequalities and can use the information to make decisions about service innovations at community and primary care level.

In the first session, participants gain insight into people's journey when presented with the signs and symptoms of cancer and the individual path taken to being diagnosed as a cancer patient. What can or should we be doing to support this journey and address existing health inequalities?

In the second session, we examine in detail audits from practices across the Network of bowel cancer patients and their journey when they first present to healthcare to when they were referred and diagnosed with cancer. What do these audits tell us and how can this information be used to support early diagnosis for patients? Delays, risk assessment, referral guidelines, screening, and diagnostics will form part of the discussion.

**Places are limited so please register by 31<sup>st</sup> August 2010.** To register, e-mail following information to [vicky.pinder@tvcn.nhs.uk](mailto:vicky.pinder@tvcn.nhs.uk) or fax at 01865 857155.

Title and full name	
Job title	
Affiliation	
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Contact number	

**Please indicate which session(s) you would like to attend:**

- 1st session (16:00 – 18:00): Patient Experiences of Cancer  
 2nd session (18:00 – 21:00): Improving Early Diagnosis in Primary Care  
 Both sessions

**Will you be participating in the Networking session? (18:00 – 18:30 buffet dinner and displays)**

- Yes       No

**Please state any requirements:**