

This skin surgical skills course is for GPs, GPSIs and Drs who wish to improve their surgical skills; ideally those performing or planning to perform skin surgery in primary care. All aspects of skin surgery will be covered from planning, marking of lesions, injecting, cutting, suturing techniques, skin flaps, z plasty etc and anything else delegates would like to know or practice. All skill levels are catered for ('novice' to 'advanced'). Pig skin and novel jigs give a realistic feel to the surgery.

The course is being held in the luxury boutique Malmaison Hotel in the heart of Birmingham, that is a part of the 'Mailbox' complex with its designer stores and chic bars/café's. 'It is Birmingham's answer to Bond street!' The Malmaison Hotel has its own leisure club & health/beauty spa (ref www.malmaison-birmingham.com). Accommodation must be booked directly with the hotel 'in-house reservations' on 0121 246 5000 quoting Primary Care Training Academy to get preferentially secured rates (£99pp B&B! or £109 B&B Double Occupancy - normally ~£170 RO). Accommodation must be booked by 1 month prior to the meeting to secure these rates. The course starts on Saturday morning, and closes with lunch on Sunday.

Delegates will be assessed pre and post course for feedback. The course is informal and sociable. The course consists of mainly practical sessions, but micro lectures will cover lesion recognition, non-surgical treatment of lesions, BCC's, LA's, surgical pitfalls and tips. This course has been fully approved for GP training by the Regional Postgraduate Deanery.

The intended faculty members are all experienced surgical trainers: -

- Mr Sultan Hassan FRCS(Eng) FRCSEd, Senior Registrar Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery, West Midlands Deanery, **Course Lead**.
- Dr Christy Chou, Plastic Surgery Unit, Univ. Hosp. of North Durham, also as Primary Care Surgeon for Durham & Darlington PCT, PCDS Committee.
- Mr Justin Chatterjee MSc MRCS, Specialist Registrar Plastic Surgery, Pan Scotland Deanery.
- Mr Ramesh Vidyadharan FRCS, Consultant Plastic Surgeon, Children's Hosp, and also some support staff. (Faculty is subject to change - depending on availability etc)

Places for this meeting will be allocated on a first come, first served basis. Places are limited and can only be confirmed upon receipt of the delegate fee **IN FULL**. A strictly **NO REFUNDS** policy applies. All places subject to availability.

I enclose payment in full and agree to the terms and conditions*.

Print name: _____ **Signed:** _____ **Date:** _____

Please print off, complete, sign and return this booking form along with full payment via cheque or postal order, made payable to '**Primary Care Training Academy**'. BACS payments will also be accepted - please contact for details. Send to: -

Primary Care Training Academy
Primary Care Surgery Skills Course
 16 St Peters Road, Harborne, Birmingham B17 0AS.

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PROGRAMME & BOOKING FORM*

Saturday - Day 1

08:45hrs	Registration & Coffee
09:15hrs	Introduction & Welcome: Aims and Objectives Mr Sultan Hassan
09:30hrs	Surgical Skill Assessment
10:15hrs	Non surgical treatment of skin cancer/lesions
10:45hrs	Coffee and snacks / Exhibition stands
11:15hrs	Surgical tips and instrument handling

- 11:45hrs **Practical session 1- Basic techniques/Tissue handling**
- 13:00hrs Luncheon and Trade Exhibitions**
- 13:50hrs Local Anaesthesia
- 14:00hrs **Practical session 2 - Suturing techniques**
- 15:15hrs Afternoon Tea and Exhibition stands**
- 15:45hrs Peri/Post-operative wound care
- 15:55hrs Cryotherapy
- 16:05hrs **Practical session 3 - Advanced techniques**
- 17:15hrs Questions & Answers/Summing up
- 17:30hrs Meeting Close**
- 19:30hrs Pre-dinner drinks followed by dinner**
- Sunday - Day 2**
- 09:15hrs Coffee/Tea
- 09:30hrs Cysts / Lipomas +/- Skin Flaps.
- 10.00hrs **Practical Sessions 4 - Misc**
- 11.30hrs Morning Coffee and Exhibition stands**
- 12.00hrs Final Assessment
- 13.00hrs Close of Meeting & Feedback.**



*Final programme is subject to change

Please select (✓) preferred course date by selecting ONE BOX

28/2-1 Mar 2009 16-17 May 2009 19-20 Sep 2009 28-29 Nov 2009

Personal details: -

Name: - _____

Correspondence Address: - _____

Postcode: - _____

Contact telephone no: - _____ Mob:- _____

Email: - _____

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Delegate Rate <i>(Selected course date above?)</i>	£400.00	
Accompanying Guest [Course Dinner(Sat) & Lunch(Sun) only]	£60.00	
Please make payments payable to 'Primary Care Training Academy'	TOTAL PAYMENT ENCLOSED	£

Please let us know if you have any special requirements, including dietary i.e. vegetarian etc:

For directions to the Malmaison Hotel please go to website: - <http://www.malmaison-birmingham.com/find-us/directions>

PLEASE BOOK EARLY TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT!!

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