

West of Scotland Ophthalmology Review UK Ophthalmology Alliance – Sharing Best Practice

Date: Friday 1 March 2019
Time: 10:00 – 16:00 (registration from 09.30)
Venue: Lecture Theatre, the William Quarrier Scottish Epilepsy Centre, 20, St Kenneth Drive, Glasgow G51 4QD

Overview

Ophthalmology services across Scotland face challenges associated with rising demand, staff availability and financial constraints. There are also, however, significant opportunities that we in the West of Scotland (WoS) can draw on to sustain and improve our services.

Recognising these challenges but also the potential for positive change, the purpose of the WoS Ophthalmology Review is to develop a plan for delivery of Ophthalmology Services in the WoS in the next five years which will meet the needs of our patients, their families and our staff.

The purpose of this event is to bring together a range of acknowledged UK experts to discuss areas of mutual interest, review the WoS proposals to data, and agree the next steps for the West Region.

Key areas of focus will include; glaucoma, AMD, cataract, urgent care, new ways of working, productivity in outpatients and theatres, workforce, and understanding the benefits and challenges of networking eye care in the West of Scotland.

This event is part of a series of UKO^oA workshops designed to bring multidisciplinary clinical and managerial staff together across the UK for mutual support and learning.

This workshop is for medical, nursing, and optometry, AHP and management professionals working in community and acute settings in the West of Scotland. It is relevant to those in more senior, leadership or planning roles, as well as regulators and commissioners involved with ophthalmic services.

Agenda		
Time	Topic	Speakers/Facilitators
09.30	Registration	
Introduction and Welcome		
10:00	Ophthalmology in the West of Scotland - Overview	Jennifer Armstrong, Chair WoS Review and Medical Director NHSGCC
10:10	Progress with WoS Review	Ashley McCann, Project Manager WoS Review
10:25	What is the UKOA?	Melanie Hingorani, UKOA Chair and Consultant Ophthalmologist Moorfields,
Glaucoma		
10:40	Comprehensive MDT and community pathway glaucoma care	Fiona Spencer, Consultant Ophthalmologist Manchester Royal Eye Hospital
10:55	WoS glaucoma model	Sikander Sidiki, WoS Clinical Lead for Virtual Clinics Janet Pooley, Optometric Advisor, Scottish Government
11:10	Discussion and agree actions	All
Cataract		
11:35	Cataract efficiency – the Sunderland approach	Melanie Hingorani
11:50	WoS cataract model	Mark Stoddart, Chair WoS Cataract Group
12:05	Discussion and agree actions	All
12:15	Lunch	
Urgent care		
12:45	Urgent care – The Moorfields Model	Melanie Hingorani
13:00	WoS emergency care model	Zac Koshy, Chair WoS Emergency Care Group
13:15	Discussion and agree actions	All
AMD		
13:40	Challenges and potential solutions in AMD management – A WoS Approach	Mike Gavin, Consultant Ophthalmologist Greater Glasgow and Clyde
13:55	A successful pathway for providing Anti-VEGF drug choice for AMD	Steve Pike, Clinical Lead Medicines Management Coastal West Sussex CCG
14:10	Avastin – The WoS position	TBA
14:25	Discussion and agree actions	All
14:35	Coffee	
Enablers		
14:50	eHealth in WoS	Dennis Betts, WoS eHealth Programme Manager
15:05	Networked care – the Moorfields Vanguard learning	Melanie Hingorani
15:20	Discussion and agree actions	All
Round Up		
15:30	Round up discussion	Melanie Hingorani
15:45	What next? – Agree actions to take forward and timelines	Jennifer Armstrong
16:00	Close	

How to get there

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Bus Numbers - 21,23,23A,25,89,90,189,709,747,765,999
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Map

