



# Geriatric Oncology: Why Older Patients Need a Special Approach

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**Friday 23rd March 2018**

Education Centre (Dept. 17), The Christie, Manchester, M20 4BX

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## Overview

This multidisciplinary study day will raise awareness of geriatric oncology conditions, increase confidence in assessing older patients and identify how co-morbidities, frailty and geriatric syndromes may impact on cancer treatment

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## Further information

Fee	<b>£90/£80/£60</b>
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## Guest Speakers

**Martin Vernon** - National Clinical Director for Older People, NHS England

**June Davis** - National Cancer Rehabilitation Lead, Macmillan Cancer Support

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## Learning outcomes

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## Topics covered

- Treatment options
- Frailty
- Long term complications & recurrence
- Living with and beyond cancer
- Multi-disciplinary approach
- Dementia
- Patient centred research
- Ageing demographic of patients

## Aim/objectives

This event will raise awareness of geriatric oncology conditions and treatment options and develop a forum for multi professional groups to discuss and share knowledge and best practice. Attendees will feel more confident in assessing older patients and understand how to manage co-morbidities and other issues affecting older patients  
Intended Audience

## Intended audience

Medical, clinical and surgical oncologists, geriatricians, specialist nurses, GPs, allied health professionals, community hospital teams and junior doctors (foundation, core and specialist trainees)

## Fees

**£90** General Admission  
**£80** Early Bird (Before 12 Feb)  
**£60** Christie Staff

To register click [here](#)

## Delivery

This teaching will be delivered through a varied programmed of speaker presentations in the morning. An interactive MDT will take place after lunch and participative workshops will follow.

The day will provide the opportunity to meet all members of the multi-disciplinary team with the aim of building a support network to further improve patient care for the elderly patient.

## Accreditation

CPD applied for via Royal College of Physicians



## Sponsorship

If you would like to sponsor the event, please email [victoria.taylor2@christie.nhs.uk](mailto:victoria.taylor2@christie.nhs.uk) for further information

This event is supported by educational grants from the following companies who will be exhibiting with trade stands. They have had no input into the agenda or selection of topics or speakers

**09.20** Welcome

**09.30** Introduction to issue and why we should do something about it  
Speaker to be confirmed

**10.00** Breakout session (Delegates will be asked to attend either A or B – booked via eventbrite)  
*Lorraine Burgess, Dementia Nurse - Macmillan Cancer Support*

**10.20** Break

**10.40** Imaging  
*June Davies, National Cancer Rehabilitation Lead for Macmillan*

**11.10** Radiotherapy - special issues in older patients?  
Speaker to be confirmed

**11.20** Chemotherapy/immunotherapy - special issues in older patients?  
Speaker to be confirmed

**11.40** Geriatric Oncology Service +/- Launch of Macmillan Project  
Speaker to be confirmed

**12.20** Lunch

**13.00** Grand Round - Frailty, Local and National Developments  
*Martin Vernon, National Clinical Director for Older People - NHS England*

**14.00** Mini MDT

**14.30** Workshop 1  
Topic to be confirmed

**15.30** Workshop 2  
Topic to be confirmed

**16.15** Concluding remarks

**16.30** Close

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