

OBSTETRIC EMERGENCIES seven bedford row CLINICAL NEGLIGENCE TEAM



A 1 DAY SEMINAR ON 12th MARCH 2009

An incomparable opportunity to assess and interpret a wide range of real life obstetric emergencies at individual workstations supervised by experienced medical trainers.

Baby Lifeline is the only UK national mother and baby charity.

Seven Bedford Row is a leading clinical negligence chambers.

This conference provides a unique opportunity for legal practitioners involved in clinical negligence to experience the type of 'hands on' scenario training that midwives and obstetricians receive.

The programme provides current theoretical and practical knowledge on the management of obstetric emergencies and will be delivered by leaders in the field of medicine and law.

6 CPD Points in total

Objectives

- To provide a unique opportunity to receive hands-on training and appreciate the difficulties encountered in obstetric emergencies.
- To provide a thorough medical and legal update by leaders in the field for those who need to update their medical and legal knowledge.
- To provide knowledge of relevant law, medical issues policy and regulation relevant to clinical negligence.
- To enable practitioners to deal with obstetric emergency cases in a more effective way.

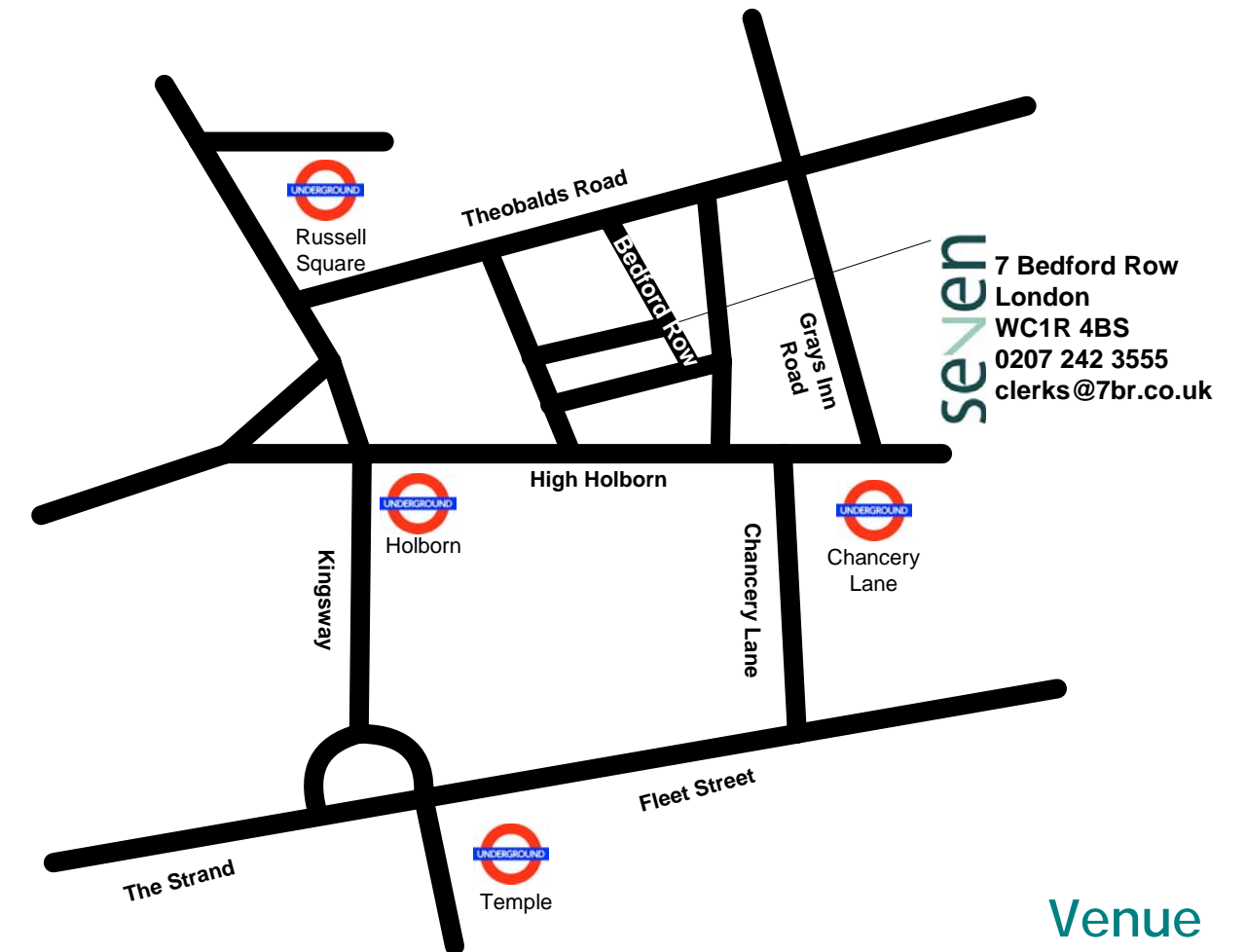
Who should attend?

- Clinical Negligence Practitioners
- Those whose practice involves an understanding of medical issues

PLACES ON THIS COURSE ARE VERY LIMITED DUE TO THE CONSTRAINTS IMPOSED BY THE PRACTICAL SESSIONS SO THERE IS A GENUINE NEED TO BOOK EARLY

Registration

The cost will be £250 plus VAT (£293.75) Please print and complete the attached registration form and return it along with a cheque payable to " Baby Lifeline Training Limited" to Mr. Paul Eeles, Seven Bedford Row, London, WC1R 4BS.



Venue

THE OBSTETRIC EMERGENCIES PROGRAMME

- 09.00 - 09.30 Registration and Refreshments
- 09.30 - 10.10 Welcome & Introduction - Chair, Simeon Maskrey QC
 • How to manage a Cerebral Palsy Claim
- 10.10 - 10.45 Mr Mark Waterstone, *Consultant Obstetrician - South East England*
 Rules for Good Practice or Rods for our Back!
 • Are the rules and guidelines the profession set in obstetrics and midwifery achievable? • Where is the evidence for things like the 30 minutes from decision to delivery time?
 • The management of pre labour rupture of membranes • Management of post dates pregnancy
- 10.45 - 11.15 Dr Felicity Plaat, *Consultant Anaesthetist & Lead Clinician at Queen Charlotte's and The Hammersmith Hospitals*
 • Anaesthesia in obstetric emergencies - the legal implications
- 11.15 - 11.30 Tea / Coffee Break
- 11.30 - 12.15 Mr Mark Waterstone, *Consultant Obstetrician - South East England*
 Advances in Fetal Monitoring for High Risk Labours
 • Use of fetal ECG (STAN) versus CTG and fetal blood sampling - what is the evidence? • How does it work? • What are the pitfalls and the potential for future claims?
- 12.15 - 12.45 Professor Edward Shaxted, *Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist*
 Vaginal Birth After Caesarean Section - On Whose Terms?
 • A discussion about the information readily available to women and the problems faced by clinicians
- 12.45 - 13.30 Lunch
- 13.30 - 16.30 Break out groups -
 • The afternoon will involve four interactive sessions running in parallel. Each session will last 40 minutes (with a further 5 minutes allowed to change rooms between sessions)
 • Delegates will be split into 4 groups and will rotate around all four interactive stations
 • Workstations will be provided on - CTG interpretation; management of shoulder dystocia; ventouse / forceps delivery; neonatal resuscitation
 • A variety of models and manikins will be used which will enable each delegate to practice the recommended manoeuvres and experience the type of 'hands on' training that midwives and obstetricians attend.

PRACTICAL SESSION SUPERVISORS

Dr Lidia Tyszczyk	Consultant Neonatologist, Queen Charlotte's and Chelsea Hospital, Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust. Interests include resuscitation and stabilisation of the preterm and sick infant. Currently developing a multidisciplinary Neonatal Simulation course to enhance staff training on the Neonatal Unit.
Mr Charles Cox FRCS FRCOG	Mr. Charles Cox is a Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist in Wolverhampton, a Founder member of Baby Lifeline, and is a much valued member of it's senior Clinical Advisory Panel.
Mr Srinivas Armechetti	Mr Srinivas Armechetti is a Senior Specialist Registrar in Obstetrics and Gynaecology at Queens Medical Centre, Nottingham. He is an instructor and has a special interest in Intrapartum Oobstetrics and Medical education.
Prof Edward J Shaxted DM FRCOG	Professor Edward Shaxted has been a consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist at Northampton General Hospital since 1984 and the clinical director of that unit since 2004. His earlier career was in the Royal Air Force as both a general practitioner and an obstetrician.

TIME	GROUP A	GROUP B	GROUP C	GROUP D
13.30 - 14.15	CTG INTERPRETATION	SHOULDER DYSTOCIA	VENTOUSE/FORCEPS DELIVERY	NEONATAL RESUSCITATION
14.15 - 15.00	SHOULDER DYSTOCIA	VENTOUSE/FORCEPS DELIVERY	NEONATAL RESUSCITATION	CTG INTERPRETATION
15.00 - 15.45	VENTOUSE/FORCEPS DELIVERY	NEONATAL RESUSCITATION	CTG INTERPRETATION	SHOULDER DYSTOCIA
15.45 - 16.30	NEONATAL RESUSCITATION	CTG INTERPRETATION	SHOULDER DYSTOCIA	VENTOUSE/FORCEPS DELIVERY

THE SPEAKERS

Chairman/Speaker	Biography
<p>Mr Simeon Maskrey QC</p> <p>Barrister, Seven Bedford Row</p>	<p>Ranked as a leader at the Bar in Clinical Negligence, Product Liability and Personal Injury in both <i>The Legal 500</i> and <i>Chambers</i> where he is described as <i>'fantastic and focussed', 'incisive and innovative'</i> and <i>'head and shoulders above the rest'</i>.</p> <p>Simeon's principal area of practice is acting in maximum severity clinical negligence and personal injury cases and in multi-handed product liability cases.</p>
<p>Dr Felicity Laat</p> <p>Consultant Anaesthetist & Lead Clinician at Queen Charlotte's and The Hammersmith Hospitals</p>	<p>Consultant Anaesthetist at Queen Charlotte's and The Hammersmith Hospitals. Honorary Senior lecturer, Imperial College School of Medicine, Honorary Secretary, Obstetric Anaesthetists' Association, Treasurer of the Group of Obstetric Anaesthetists in London, External advisor: NICE Guideline development group.</p> <p>Obstetric Anaesthesia and Analgesia:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The high risk obstetric patient. • Mobile regional analgesia for labour • risk management • Consent & Ethics in anaesthesia • Resuscitation training in obstetrics
<p>Mr Mark Waterstone</p> <p>Consultant Obstetrician - South East England</p>	<p>Mark qualified at St Thomas' Hospital in 1990 and was appointed Consultant Obstetrician at Queen Mary's Hospital, Sidcup in 2002. His special interests are in Labour Ward management, CTG interpretation and high risk obstetrics.</p> <p>From 1996 he conducted a 3-year research project into Severe Maternal Morbidity in South East Thames Region - UK arm of European-wide study (MOMS-B). This set the standard for maternal morbidity studies in the UK.</p> <p>Mark has been an expert witness in Obstetrics only since 2003, and Cardiff University Accredited Expert Witness since 2006. He has acted mainly for claimants, but also for the NHS, CPS and has given evidence at the Royal Courts of Justice, Family Courts and the Old Bailey.</p>
<p>Professor Edward Shaxted</p> <p>Consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist</p>	<p>Professor Edward Shaxted has been a consultant Obstetrician and Gynaecologist at Northampton General Hospital since 1984 and the clinical director of that unit since 2004. His earlier career was in the Royal Air Force as both a general practitioner and an obstetrician.</p> <p>He holds the position of Visiting Professor at Cranfield University, and is a surgical trainer recognised by the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists.</p> <p>Principle current interests are in short stay endoscopic surgery, medico-legal issues in obstetrics and medical management.</p>

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