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Early Cancer Diagnosis: Engagement & Education Event

19th November 2025

King's House Conference Centre

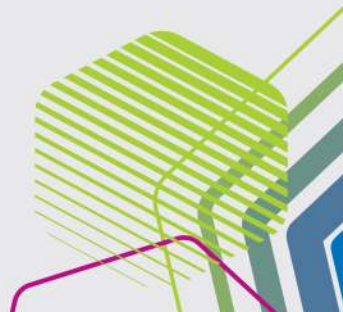
09.00-16.00

Suitable for: This session is open to all primary care professionals, including those in general practice, pharmacy, and clinical/medical roles.

Event information:

This Primary Care Education Event will provide essential learning and updates for the primary care workforce, with a focus on priority pathways that include: Lower GI, Urology, Lung, Gynaecology (including endocrine therapy), and Breast. There will also be an update on the metastatic strategy and its implementation.

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Agenda

09:00-09:30	Registration
09:30-09:35	Welcome Ali Jones & Dr Sarah Taylor
09:35-10:35	Lower GI/Colorectal Cancer Chair: Dan Clark Dr Arash Assadsangabi Caroline Mattinson Mike Armstrong Dr Konstantinos Kamposioras Dr Sarah Taylor
10:35-11:25	Lung Cancers Chair: Oliver Butterworth Louise Brown
11:25-12:20	Urological Cancers Chair: Sarah Taylor Mr Craig Jones
12:20-13:00	Lunch & Networking
13:00-14:15	Gynaecological Cancers Chair: Dr Sarah Taylor Ms Nadia Ali Ross



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| 14:15-15:15 | Innovation in Breast Cancer Pathways & Early Diagnosis
Chair: Ali Jones
Miss Clare Garnsey |
| 15:15-15:55 | Genomics in Cancer Pathways and Early Diagnosis: A Primary Care Perspective
Chair: Dr Sarah Taylor
Dr Mike Clark |
| 15:55-16:00 | Summary & Close |





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Speaker Symposium

Ali Jones	Director of Cancer Commissioning and Early Diagnosis Greater Manchester Cancer Alliance
Dr Arash Assadsangabi	Consultant Physician and Gastroenterologist, Salford Royal Foundation Trust
Miss Clare Garnsey	Breast Surgeon, Bolton NHS Foundation Trust Pathway Board Chair & Associate Medical Director, Greater Manchester Cancer Alliance
Caroline Mattinson	Cancer Screening Improvement Lead, Northern Care Alliance NHS Foundation Trust
Mr Craig Jones	Consultant Urological Surgeon, Stockport NHS Foundation Trust Clinical Lead for Early Diagnosis in Urology, Greater Manchester Cancer Alliance
Dan Clark	Health Inequalities Project Manager, Greater Manchester Cancer Alliance
Mike Armstrong	Pathway Improvement Project Manager, Greater Manchester Cancer Alliance
Oliver Butterworth	Targeted Lung Health Checks Project Manager, Greater Manchester Cancer Alliance
Dr Mike Clark	Deputy Clinical Director Primary Care NW Genomic Medicine Service Alliance.
Ms Nadia Ali Ross	Gynae Consultant, Bolton NHS Foundation Trust Pathway Board Chair, Greater Manchester Cancer Alliance
Dr Sarah Taylor	Associate Medical Director for Early Diagnosis and Primary Care Salaried GP
Dr Louise Brown	Consultant in Respiratory Medicine, Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust