

EDUCATION AND TRAINING PROGRAMME NEWSLETTER FEBRUARY 2022

Welcome to our latest Education and Training Programme Newsletter where you will find information about our upcoming events for 2022 and how to make a booking.

Lungs At Work runs a busy clinical service, and an active research programme, in occupational lung disease. Our unique training programme aims to share what we have learned in these ways, and is designed to provide up-to-date, carefully tailored and evidence-informed education to help patients and clinicians everywhere.

The events will be presented by some familiar faces! We are delighted that Jackie Ford has joined us as our course administrator. If you have questions relating to any of the events please contact us at: lungsatwork@imperial.ac.uk

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Please use this link for more details and all course bookings: http://www.lungsatwork.org.uk/courses/all

All courses are recorded and available for delegates to access after the event

Certificates of attendance are provided

Our events are accredited as CPD with the Faculty of Occupational Medicine or Royal College of Physicians

Registration fees are VAT-exempt

"The whole course was amazing but I enjoyed looking at specific cases and the discussions" "I have really learnt the importance of viewing flow time volume curves. This has been immediately applied to my clinical work with good effect. Amazing!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Lungs At Work evening webinar series

A series of three webinars each covering different contemporary aspects of occupational lung disease of interest to OH and respiratory professionals. The webinar is from 18.00-19.30; accreditation is being sought.

Dates:

- 17 March 2022
- 30 June 2022
- 1 December 2022

Cost: £30 per webinar (or £80 if you book all 3 webinars at the same time)

Lung function testing in the workplace: intermediate level

A one-day online course (accredited for 5 CPD points) for OH professionals with an interest in the use of spirometry in the workplace. Please note this is <u>not</u> a practical spirometry course and a working knowledge of spirometry is required

Topics:

- individual variation, interpretation, abnormalities, longitudinal changes
- case-based discussions
- the role of spirometry in health surveillance
- use in pre-placement screening/fitness to work

Dates:

- 10 March 2022 (online)
- 16 June 2022 (online)
- 29 September 2022 (format tbc)
- November 2022 (format tbc)

Cost: £175

Lung function testing in the workplace: introductory level

A one-day practical course (accredited for 5 CPD points) for OH advisors and technicians with limited, or no, experience of spirometry. Suitable for ARTP accreditation.

Topics:

- introduction to respiratory physiology
- hands on practicalities of spirometry with a variety of spirometers
- simple interpretation of results
- principles of surveillance in the workplace for short and long latency respiratory diseases
- quality control

This is a face-to-face course and we hope to release dates for it in the latter half of the year. We will notify everyone on our mailing list when dates are confirmed.

Bespoke educational and training workshops

We offer bespoke training workshops to organisations on specific topic areas of interest. Please contact us if you would like to discuss your local training requirements.

Introductory Medical Statistics course (run by colleagues)

Please see course details here and register your interest