

Skin cancer essentials: Assessment and management in the general practice setting

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Date

Saturday 24 September 2022

Time

9.00 am – 5.10 pm
Registration from 8.30 am

Venue

Illawarra Shoalhaven Health
Education Centre,
Wollongong Hospital
42 Loftus Street, Wollongong

Cost

RACGP member
early bird \$369 regular rate \$449

Non-member
early bird \$469 regular rate \$499

*Early bird cut-off 10 September
2022 Includes all instruments,
suture material and pork bellies*

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Skin cancer essentials is RACGP NSW&ACT's new workshop designed to upskill general practitioners (GPs) in assessing and managing skin cancers in the general practice setting. The workshop provides practical learning experiences in dermoscopy, and a variety of biopsy and suturing techniques to equip GPs with the necessary skills to safely assess and manage their patients with skin cancers.

Who should attend?

This workshop has been designed for GPs and GP registrars with minimal skin cancer experience, but who have a growing demand on their skills in this area.

Learning outcomes

- Use a systematic approach to analysing skin lesions.
- Differentiate between potentially sinister and non-sinister lesions.
- Recognise appropriate type of biopsies in skin lesions.
- Use a wide variety of suturing techniques.

Presenters

Dr Deshan Sebaratnam is a consultant dermatologist working at Liverpool Hospital. He is a Conjoint Senior Lecturer with the University of New South Wales and has an interest in medical, cosmetic and paediatric dermatology.

Dr Munter Zureigat is a consultant dermatologist in various practices in Sydney and Canberra. He previously worked as a GP in Wollongong and the south coast region and is the founder of TeamMed Wollongong. He is a lecturer with the university of Wollongong and has an interest in complex and surgical dermatology.

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Workshop program* | Saturday 24 September 2022

8.30 am	Registration and arrival coffee
9:00 am	Welcome and workshop overview
9.15 am	Introduction to skin cancers Dr Deshan Sebaratnam <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • skin cancer in Australia • BCCs and SCCs • melanoma and common benign lesions
9.45 am	Skin cancer assessment – what are we looking for? Dr Deshan Sebaratnam <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • history taking, examination and differentiating between skin cancers and benign lesions
10.15 am	Dermoscopy essentials Dr Deshan Sebaratnam <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3-point checklist and other diagnostic algorithms
11.15 am	Morning tea
11.35 am	Skin cancer investigation and treatment – when and what to do – biopsy techniques Dr Deshan Sebaratnam Dr Munter Zureigat <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • punch • excisional • shave biopsies • cryotherapy
1.35 pm	Lunch
2.10 am	Suturing techniques practical training session Dr Deshan Sebaratnam Dr Munter Zureigat <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • suturing • equipment review for biopsies and cryotherapy
4.10 pm	Afternoon Tea
4.30 pm	Pathology reports – key points Dr Deshan Sebaratnam <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • requesting pathology reports • reading and using pathology reports
5.00 pm	Evaluation and reinforcing activity
5.10 pm	End of workshop

*Program subject to change