

# Travel Medicine Essentials Foundation Workshops

The Travel Medicine Essentials Course is a half-day pre-conference session for the 6th Northern European Conference on Travel Medicine (NECTM6). Spaces will be limited so early pre-booking is essential and a preferential delegate rate of £50 has been secured for this event.

This session is aimed at all health professionals and designed to introduce the inexperienced to the basics of travel medicine practice but may also be of interest to those wishing to refresh their knowledge with cur-rent practice and information.

The programme includes four stand-alone interactive workshops, each facilitated by a topic expert.

#### **Chair: Sandra Grieve**

09.00 - 09.45. Workshop 1:

- Communication Basics Speaker: Adrienne Willcox
- Risk assessment
- Communication skills
- Information sources for health professionals and travellers

Imparting key messages - to include:

- Personal safety / accidents
- Food and Water advice
- Insect/animal hite avoidance

## Chair Hilary Simons

09.50-10.35. Workshop 2: Travel Immunisation Basics – Speaker: **Carolyn Driver** 

- Risk Assessment
- Information Resources
- Principles of immunisation and the immune response
- Travel vaccines
- Anaphylaxis

#### **Chair Fiona Genasi**

11.00 -11.45. Workshop 3: Malaria Basics – Speaker: Jane Chiodini

- Risk Assessment
- Information resources
- Epidemiology
- Malaria
- ABCD
- Prevention
- Chemoprophylaxis

# 10.35-11.00 Coffee

## Chair Sandra Grieve

11.50 -12.35. Workshop 4:

Risks for Pregnant Travellers and Children Basics

- Speakers Mike Starr (children) and Randi

- Hammer-Boge (pregnancy)
- Risk Assessment
- Information resources
- Specialist advice
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12.35 – 12.55pm Roundup with all presenters Nurses who are attending this session are welcome to join us at the Nurses Reception taking place in the Pickwick Suite from 13h00 - 14h00