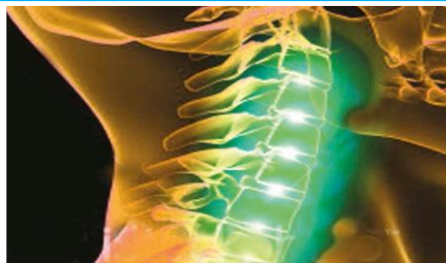


# The 12th Annual Royal Marsden Head & Neck Virtual Event: “Salvage treatment in head & neck cancer - when, why and how”

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2021



After the success of the last eleven years it is with great pleasure that you are invited to participate in the twelfth Royal Marsden Head and Neck Conference which this year will be a virtual event. Recurrent head and neck cancer represents an increasing burden of disease and although a variety of treatment options exist patients frequently do not have access to them. This year we have therefore chosen to focus on salvage treatment for recurrent head and neck cancer. The virtual event assembles some of the country's leading experts to critically discuss the evidence base for a wide range of pertinent topics. The event will be of particular interest to maxillofacial, ENT or plastic surgeons with an interest in head and neck oncology, as well as clinical/medical oncologists, radiologists and pathologists. Our invitation is extended to consultants and trainees alike, as well as other members of the multidisciplinary team. The event will be interactive with ample opportunity to discuss the evidence presented.

This course aims to build on the successes of the last eleven years and will explore the treatment options available for recurrent cancer in the head and neck setting. The day will consist of evidence-based lectures that will focus on salvage neck dissection, re-irradiation, palliative surgery and the complication of operating on irradiated tissues. Case-based discussion will be incorporated throughout the day.

#### Register:

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#### Cost:

£60 per delegate

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## Programme

- 12:30 Welcome and Introduction**  
Professor Vinidh Paleri, Consultant ENT / Head & Neck Surgeon  
The Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust
- 12:35 Recurrent disease – what's the size of the problem and who should we treat?**  
Dr Emma King, Consultant Head & Neck Surgeon, Poole Hospital NHS Foundation Trust;  
Associate Professor of Head & Neck Surgery, University of Southampton
- 12:50 Reducing surgical complications in the irradiated patient**  
Mr Jeremy McMahon, Consultant Oral & Maxillofacial/Head and Neck Surgeon  
Southern General Hospital, Glasgow, Scotland
- 13:05 Q & A**
- 13:15 Salvage neck dissection: when and how?**  
Ms Somiah Siddiq, Consultant ENT / Head & Neck Surgeon  
University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust
- 13:35 Reconstruction for recurrent disease – is keeping it simple the best plan A?**  
Mr Brian Bisase, Consultant Maxillofacial/Head & Neck Surgeon  
Queen Victoria Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
- 13:50 Q & A**
- 14:00 Panel Discussion: COVID impact on head and neck cancer diagnosis**
- 14:45 Break / Sponsors Virtual Exhibition**
- 15:00 Re-irradiation – SABR, protons or good old-fashioned photons?**  
Dr James Good, Consultant Clinical Oncologist  
University Hospitals Birmingham
- 15:15 Minimally-invasive surgery for recurrent disease**  
Professor Vinidh Paleri, Consultant ENT / Head & Neck Surgeon  
The Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust
- 15:30 Q & A**
- 15:40 Functional impact of treatment for recurrent disease – is it really worth it?**  
Dr Justin Roe, Consultant and Joint Head, Department of Speech, Voice and Swallowing  
The Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust
- 15:55 Systemic treatment for recurrent disease**  
Professor Kevin Harrington, Professor of Biological Cancer Therapies  
The Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust
- 16:10 Q & A**
- 16:20 Break / Sponsors Virtual Exhibition**
- 16:35 Will trials have the answer?**  
Speaker tbc
- 16:50 Panel discussion: COVID impact on head and neck cancer treatment**
- 17:40 Summary and Close**  
Professor Cyrus Kerawala, Consultant Maxillofacial / Head & Neck Surgeon  
The Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust
- The content will be available online for 30 days after the event**