

Airway Leads Day

A joint RCoA and DAS event
15 March 2024 | Online



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The Royal College of Anaesthetists (RCoA) and Difficult Airway Society (DAS) are delighted to announce the seventh Airway Leads Day.

Join fellow airway leads from across the country to share best practice and address key topics in airway management.

Plus, quick-fire presentations complement the programme and uncover best practice nationally.

Where permitted, talks will be recorded and made available to delegates post event. Once registered you will have access to the recorded material for up to six months after the live event. Viewing of the recording will carry the same number of CPD credits.

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09:00–09:10	Welcome and introduction	Dr Sandeep Sudan, National Airway Lead Dr Fiona Donald, President, Royal College of Anaesthetists
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Session 1 | Hot topics 1 | Chair: Dr Moon-Moon Majumdar, Trainee Representative, DAS

09:10–09:30	A thematic analysis of airway safety incidents published by the Safe Anaesthesia Liaison Group (SALG)	Dr Philip Barclay, London
09:30–09:50	NAP7 and the Airway Lead	Prof Tim Cook, Bath
09:50–10:00	DISCUSSION / Q&A SESSION	

10:00–10:15 BREAK

Session 2 | Hot topics 2 | Chair: Dr Moon-Moon Majumdar, Trainee Representative, DAS

10:15–10:35	Update on paediatric difficult airways	Dr Richard Lin, London
10:35–10:55	Tips and tricks for head and neck cancer airways	Dr Orla Lacey, London
10:55–11:05	DISCUSSION / Q&A SESSION	

11:05–11:15 BREAK

Session 3 | Examples of best practice | Chair: Dr Bhavesh Patel, Surrey

11:15–11:25 11:25–11:30 (Q&A)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Liverpool Head and Neck Centre's approach to surgical cricothyroidotomy training 	Dr Peter Groom, Liverpool
11:30–11:40 11:40–11:45 (Q&A)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developing and maintaining a multidisciplinary Difficult Airway Response Team (DART) 	Dr Rachel McKendry, Bristol
11:45–11:55	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Capnography tea trolley training online toolkit 	Dr Tobin Osicki, Bath
11:55–12:05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Prevention and recognition of oesophageal intubation: a multidisciplinary approach 	Dr Lauren Brain, Bath Dr Henry Oldershaw, Bath
12:05–12:15 (Q&A)		

12:15–13:00 LUNCH BREAK

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Session 4 | Hot topics 3 | Chair: Dr Anna Williams, Wrexham

13:00–13:20	HSSIB report – advanced airway management	Dr Sandeep Sudan, East Sussex
13:20–13:40	The Northwick Education in Oxygenation (NEO) experience – Multidisciplinary teams (MDT) training	Dr Rajinder Singh Chaggar, London
13:40–14:00	Debriefing – what is it really?	Dr Julie Highfield, Cardiff
14:00–14:20	DISCUSSION / Q&A SESSION	
14:20–14:30	BREAK	

Session 5 | Hot topics 4 and updates | Chair: Dr Patrick Ward, Livingston

14:30–14:50	Reusable vs single-use airway kit	Dr Cliff Shelton, Manchester
14:50–14:55	Q&A	
14:55–15:05	eFONA registry	Dr Parineeta Ghosh, CR&I Research Fellow
15:05–15:10	Q&A	
15:10–15:30	'Selling air'	Dr Tom Lawson, Swansea
15:30–15:40	BREAK	

Session 6 | Airway Leads soapbox and open forum – have your say!

Chair: Dr Sandeep Sudan, East Sussex

15:40–16:00	Soapbox	Dr Heather Gorton, Leeds Dr Matyas Andorka, East Surrey
16:00–16:30	Any questions? / Open forum	Panellists include: Dr Imran Ahmad, President, Difficult Airway Society Dr Orla Lacey, London Dr Bhavesh Patel, Surrey Dr Patrick Ward, Livingston

16:30 Close of meeting

Please note that this programme may be subject to change.