

Winter Academic Meeting - Friday 19th of December 2025

Fetal Medicine Research Institute  
16-20 Windsor Walk, Camberwell, London SE5 8BB

**Morning session: Epilepsy and Co-morbidities**

Chair: Dr Elaine Hughes and Dr Dennis Grigoratos

09:00 – Registration

09:25 – Introduction (Dr Dennis Grigoratos)

09:30 – The strengths and challenges of a regional epilepsy service – what have we achieved and what lies ahead? (Dr Raj Gupta & Dr Despina Mandelenaki)

10:00 – A multidisciplinary approach to managing CYP with epilepsy and complex learning and behavioural co-morbidities (Drs Michael Absoud & Dr Ashley Liew)

10:30 – Break for Coffee and Tea

11:00 – Modelling seizures and their consequences (Dr Richard Rosch)

11:30 – VNS for the genetic epilepsies (Dr David McCormick)

12:00 – Epilepsy and movement disorders (Dr Daniel Lumsden)

12:30 – Lunch

**Afternoon session: Connectivity – People, Places and Pathways.**

Chair: Dr David McCormick and Dr Richard Rosch

13:30 – Introduction (Dr David McCormick)

13:40 – Epilepsy surgery – a service for all ages: (Mr Richard Selway)

14:10 – Adult & paediatric epilepsy – learning from one another – What's in a name? (Dr Lina Nashef)

14:40 – Changing how we think about an EEG service; children leading the way (Dr Franz Brunnhuber & Dr Sushma Goyal)

15:10 – Break for Coffee and Tea

15:30 – How family and professional partnerships transform education, research and service delivery – (Prof Helen Cross)

16:00 – Running the Line (Prof Francis Hughes)

16:15 – An accidental paediatric neurologist (Dr Elaine Hughes)

16:45 – Close (Dr Dennis Grigoratos)

17:00 – 19:00 – Drinks Reception

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