

# Wellington Events

North London

**The Wellington Hospital is proud to introduce the first of four North London Masterclass events throughout 2011.**

These seminars, which are free of charge, will cover a range of topics and specialities, focusing on the Consultants and services available at The Wellington Diagnostics & Outpatients Centre (Golders Green) - your local private facility

## Seminar 1

# Cardiology in General Practice: Advice from the Experts

Wednesday 6th April 2011

Disorders of the heart affect millions in the UK. GPs regularly see patients who require further Cardiac investigations, for common conditions such as: chest pain, heart disease, hypertension and heart palpitations.

Our speakers are leading experts in their fields and provide fascinating insights into how GPs can successfully manage common and quite often, complex cases.

## Topics and Speakers

Screening for Coronary Artery Disease – Is it worth it? Dr David Lipkin

The changing role of Cardiac Imaging in early and cost-effective diagnosis of Chest Pain Professor Avijit Lahiri

## Venue

Inspiration Suite, Village Hotel, Elstree, Herts, WD6 3SB

## Timings

Registration & Buffet: 19.00

Talks Start: 19.45

## RSVP

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## Seminar 1 – Cardiology in General Practice: Advice from the Experts

### The speakers

#### Dr David Lipkin BSc, MD, MRCP

Dr David Lipkin, Consultant Cardiologist, qualified at Leeds University in 1978 with distinction. He trained at the London Chest, Royal Brompton, National Heart and Hammersmith Hospitals in London. He was later appointed Consultant Cardiologist at the Royal Free Hospital in 1987

He specialises in the assessment of chest pain, coronary artery disease, coronary angioplasty, stenting and other forms of coronary intervention. He also has an interest in heart failure, valvular heart diseases, hypertension and syncope (blackouts).

Dr Lipkin is the Medical Director of the Wellington Diagnostics & Outpatients Centre in Golders Green and a cardiology representative on the Medical Advisory Committee at The Wellington Hospital.

He has written numerous research publications in all aspects of general adult cardiology including a Coronary Care Manual that was published in book format by Oxford University Press. He has also contributed to major cardiology textbooks.

#### Professor Avijit Lahiri MB BS, MSc, MRCP, FESC, FACC

Professor Lahiri is a Consultant Cardiologist and Director of Cardiac Imaging and Research Centre (CIRC) at The Wellington Hospital. Previously, he was Director of Cardiac Research at Northwick Park Hospital for 17 years.

His main interest is the diagnosis and management of coronary heart disease, myocardial infarction, hyperlipidaemia, heart failure, coronary disease in diabetics and hypertension. He has extensive experience in therapeutics and cardiac imaging, with expertise in Nuclear Imaging and Non-Invasive Coronary Artery Imaging. Professor Lahiri directs both the clinical and research activities at CIRC. Research projects include: early detection of coronary artery disease, effect of statins on atherosclerosis, and heart disease in diabetics.

Professor Lahiri is widely published and was the founder member of the British and American Nuclear Cardiology and Heart Failure Societies, and was first in defining the role of Carvedilol in heart failure and myocardial infarction. He developed a highly skilled team of researchers at Northwick Park Hospital; the goal being to improve diagnosis and management of patients with common diseases in the community.

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Cardiology in General Practice

Buffet dinner

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