



Neonatal & Paediatric Surgical Study Day

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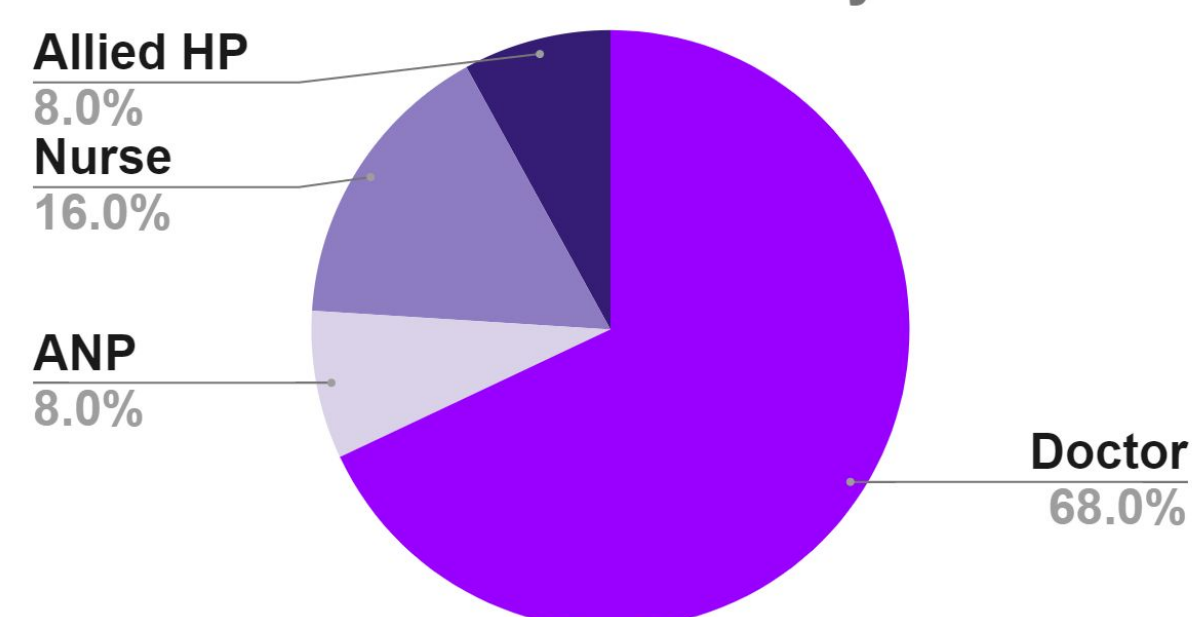
The what & the why.

This was a day of interactive lectures primarily aimed at paediatric trainees (SHO & junior registrars) but open to all members of the paediatric surgical multi-disciplinary team (ANPs, nurses, allied health professionals). Professionals working in 10 different hospitals across London attended the study day.

Paediatric trainees are involved in surgical cases in many different ways including; those presenting to A&E departments of district general hospitals, on surgical wards in tertiary centres and complex cases with both medical, and surgical pathology.

Teaching on paediatric surgery was identified as a need in trainee feedback and the study day was organised in response to this. Funds from the course fees went towards the St George's Hospital Charity Campaign and the Paediatric Education Fund.

Breakdown of Attendees by Job Title



The who & the what.

Consultant Neonatal & Paediatric Surgeons

- Mr Dean Rex - *The Role of Paediatric Surgery in Trauma*
- Miss Katherine Burnard - *Surgical Oncology & Surgical Lines*
- Miss Shabnam Parker - *Paediatric Surgery in the Rural Setting & Global Health Projects*

Consultant Paediatric Urologist

- Mr Hesham Elagami - *Posterior Urethral Valves*

Paediatric Surgical Registrars

- Miss Kathryn Ford - *Bilious Vomiting*
- Mr Osama El-Sharnoby - *Troubleshooting Gastrostomies*
- Miss Caroline Parady - *The Paediatric Acute Abdomen*

Other Surgical MDT Members

- Dr John Adu (Consultant Radiologist) - *Radiology from a Surgical Perspective*
- Clare Gough (Stoma CNS) - *Stoma Care & Complications*
- Dr Thomas Breen (Anaesthetist) - *Approach to the Sick Surgical Patient*

This talk was streamed live from Nepal. A voluntary project teaching rural GPs how to perform inguinal hernia repair & interviews of the Nepalese staff. The local staff have performed over 80 operations so far. Inspiring!

The Feedback.

"Thank you, [it] was a really useful day! [It] would be great to repeat the day next year with any surgical updates."

"Well organised, relevant, interesting, diverse."

"It would be helpful to offer a virtual web link for those that live far [away]."

"Excellent source, extremely relevant for paediatric trainees, with brilliant speakers."

"Felt very relevant to [my] current role and [the] patients I see."

"Well organised and well run study day, which was packed with various useful and interesting lectures."

The next steps...make the study day an annual event!