

## General Info

### Who should attend:

Gynaecology Trainees, Consultants, Nurses, CNS  
Oncology Trainees, Consultants with interest in Gynaecology  
General Practitioners  
Medical / Nursing students

### Course fee: **FREE**

Location:  
Virtual – via Microsoft Teams

### Call for Abstracts

Deadline for relevant abstracts (max 300 words): **31/12/2025**  
Email to: [dhft.deltacentre@nhs.net](mailto:dhft.deltacentre@nhs.net) for consideration

### Registration ( Deadline 23:59 on 26/2/26)

Online: <https://forms.office.com/e/La64PSuUJy>

### Further queries – Please contact:

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Save the date – 20<sup>th</sup> Gynaecological Cancer Symposium 26<sup>th</sup> February 2027

# 19th Gynaecological Cancer Symposium



## An Update on Cervical Cancer (Virtual / Teams meeting)

*27<sup>th</sup> February 2026*

**Course Director: Mr Summi Abdul**

**Course Organiser:**  
Miss Ayisha Ashmore  
Dr Risa Abedeen

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## Programme - AM

0845 – 0900	<b>Registration</b>
0900 – 0905	<b>Welcome</b> Mr Summi Abdul Consultant Gynaecological-Oncologist and DELTA Director <i>University Hospitals of Derby and Burton</i>
0905 – 0930	<b>An Overview of Cervical Cancer</b> Miss Ayisha Ashmore, Research Fellow <i>University Hospitals of Derby and Burton</i>
0930 - 0955	<b>Cervical Cancer Prevention: Updates on Vaccination, Screening and Colposcopy</b> Mr Onnig Tamizian Consultant Gynaecologist and Lead Colposcopist <i>University Hospitals of Derby and Burton</i>
0955 - 1025	<b>Histopathology Update: The New WHO Classification and Molecular Subtypes</b> Prof. Glenn McCluggage Consultant Histopathologist <i>Belfast Health and Social Care Trust</i>
1025 - 1040	<b>The Role of the Cancer Nurse Specialist: Coordinating Care and Empowering Patients</b> Miss Kirsty Berrington and Miss Seena Varghese Cancer Nurse Specialists, <i>University Hospitals of Derby and Burton</i>
1040 - 1100	Tea Break
1100 – 1125	<b>Imaging-Led Staging in Cervical Cancer: Current Standards and Future Directions</b> Dr Shama Puri Consultant Radiologist <i>University Hospitals of Derby and Burton</i>
1125 – 1200	<b>Trainee Presentations</b> Abstract 1 Abstract 2
1200 - 1300	Lunch

## Programme – PM

1300-1330	<b>Medical Treatment: The INTERLACE Protocol and Its Clinical Impact</b> Dr Mary McCormack , Consultant Oncologist <i>University College Hospital London</i>
1330 - 1355	<b>Palliative Care: Supporting Quality of Life and Symptom Management</b> Dr Elaine Boland ,Consultant Palliative Medicine <i>Hull and East Yorkshire Hospitals NHS Trust</i>
1355 - 1420	<b>LASH trial: Redefining Surgical Standards in Early-Stage Cervical Cancer</b> Dr Nicolo Bizzarri ,Gynaecological-Oncologist <i>Fondazione Policlinico Universitario A. Gemelli, IRCCS, Rome, Italy</i>
1420 - 1445	<b>Surgical Innovation in Recurrent Cervical Cancer: Challenges, Techniques and Outcomes</b> Mr Ali Kucukmetin ,Consultant Gynaecological-Oncologist <i>Gateshead Health NHS Foundation Trust</i>
1445 - 1505	Tea Break
1505 – 1530	<b>Tumour Biomarkers: A New Frontier in Cervical Cancer</b> Dr Sarah Kim ,Attending Gynaecological-Oncologist <i>Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Centre, New York, USA</i>
1530 – 1555	<b>A Global Perspective: The Cervical Cancer Elimination Strategy</b> Dr Heather White Global Public Health Specialist and Executive Director <i>TogetHER for Health, USA</i>
1555 - 1615	<b>A Patient's Experience</b> Dr Risa Abedeen ,Specialist Registrar <i>University Hospitals of Derby and Burton</i>
1615	<b>Close</b>



