



Acceleration for ACS  
Thursday 9 November 2017  
Registration opens at 9:00am | 9:45am – 3:45pm  
Macdonald Manchester Hotel & Spa, London Road, Manchester, M1 2PG

Location/directions are available via the link below:

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Acute coronary syndromes continue to carry significant morbidity and mortality across the UK, including Greater Manchester. Despite a well-established inter-hospital transfer system for NSTEMI patients, there is still wide variation in timely access to angiography.

This meeting will bring together key stakeholders including medical and non-medical specialists, operational managers in NHS Trusts and healthcare commissioners.

We will:

- Review the evidence of the importance of access to angiography within 24 hours for NSTEMI patients
- Review data on current practice across the UK
- Look at established models of good practice nationally and internationally through presentations from experts
- Discuss progress in Greater Manchester of our pilot program for introducing 24-hour access to angiography
- Demonstrate the benefits of this approach in terms of patient experience, hospital length of stay and savings to the health economy

The day will be of particular interest to:

- Cardiologists
- CATS Coordinators
- CATS Teams
- Chest Pain Nurses
- Emergency Department Clinical Leads
- MAHSC
- Medical Directors
- NWAS
- Operations Managers
- Urgent Care/CVD Commissioners

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Time	Title	Presenter
9:00 – 9:45am	Arrival registration, networking and refreshments	
9:45 – 9:55am	Welcome and introduction to the day	Dr Farzin Fath-Ordoubadi Clinical Director and Consultant Cardiologist, Manchester Heart Centre (MRI), Manchester University NHS FT and Cardiac Lead, GMEC SCNs Dr Sanjay Sastry Consultant in Cardiology, (Wythenshawe Hospital), Manchester University NHS FT
9:55 – 10:05am	New approach to service improvement in Greater Manchester	Dr Richard Preece Executive Lead for Quality, GMHSCP
10:05 – 10:25am	ACS burden/perspective – the national scene	Dr Richard Jones Consultant Cardiologist, Portsmouth Hospitals NHS T and Clinical Director for Cardiovascular Services, Wessex Clinical Networks
10:25 – 10:40am	Getting it right first time (GIRFT)/ system-wide change	Professor Simon Ray Consultant Cardiologist, (Wythenshawe Hospital), Manchester University NHS FT and Clinical Lead, MAHSC
10:40 – 11:10am	Fast track ACS model of care – Danish experience	Christian Juhl Terkelsen, MD, DmSc, PhD, FESC Department of Cardiology, Aarhus University Hospital, Denmark
11:10 – 11:40am	Refreshments and networking	
11:40am – 12:00pm	Fast track ACS model of care – Glasgow experience	Dr Mitchell Lindsay NHS National Waiting Times Board
12:00 – 12:50pm	Fast track ACS model of care – Manchester experience	

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	<p>Current Network ACS pathway</p> <p>Rapid Access to Angiography (RAACS) project</p> <p>AMU experience</p> <p>A&amp;E experience/risk stratification</p>	<p>Dr Sanjay Sastry</p> <p>Dr Farzin Fath-Ordoubadi</p> <p>Dr Karl Bonnici/ Dr Freya Levy Consultant Physician – Acute Medicine Consultant in Emergency Medicine, Stockport NHS FT</p> <p>Dr Richard Body Consultant in Emergency Medicine, Honorary Lecturer in Cardiovascular Medicine - Emergency and Urgent Services, Manchester University NHS FT</p>
12:50 – 1:50pm	Lunch and networking	
1:50 – 2:00pm	Outline for table discussions	Dr Farzin Fath-Ordoubadi/Dr Sanjay Sastry
2:00 – 3:30pm	Round table discussions to detail how the project will be extended and implemented across Greater Manchester (refreshments available)	Facilitated by Dr Richard Jones
3:30 – 3:45pm	Summary and close	Dr Farzin Fath-Ordoubadi/Dr Sanjay Sastry

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