



COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS, SINGAPORE

**MEDICINE REVIEW COURSE 2015**  
**AUDITORIUM, THE ACADEMIA**  
**PROGRAMME AT GLANCE**

Time	Sessions/Programme Directors	Theme	Topics/Speakers	Topic Description
0800 - 0845	<b>Registration &amp; Breakfast</b>			
0845 - 0900	<b>Course Introduction by Dr Terence Kee, Organising Chairman</b>			
0900 - 1000	<i>Symposium 1</i> <b>Cardiology</b>	What's Hot	<b>What's Hot in Cardiology 2015</b> <i>Dr Lee Chee Wan (KTPH)</i>	Update on the latest advances in diagnostics and therapeutics in cardiology
		On Call	<b>When Cardiac Devices Go Bad: How to Use ECGs &amp; CXRs</b> <i>Dr Chia Pow-Li (TTSH)</i>	Interpretation of ECGs and CXRs in management of cardiac diseases
		In a Nutshell	<b>Before Take-Off: Preparation for Non-Cardiac Procedures</b> <i>Dr Chai Ping (NUHS)</i>	Evaluation and preparation of patients with cardiac diseases for non-cardiac procedures
1000 - 1100	<i>Symposium 2</i> <b>Geriatric Medicine</b>	What's Hot	<b>Frailty: Reviewing the Evidence and Our Practice</b> <i>Dr Christopher Lien (CGH)</i>	Management of the frail elderly patient
		On Call	<b>Confused Grandma: Survival Guide When On Call</b> <i>Dr Anupama Roychowdhury (CGH)</i>	Management of the elderly patient who is confused
		In a Nutshell	<b>Facilitating a Safe Discharge with Geriatric Assessment Skills</b> <i>Dr Tan Thai Lian (TTSH)</i>	Discharge planning and execution of the elderly patient
1100 - 1120	<b>Morning Tea Break</b>			
1120 - 1220	<i>Symposium 3</i> <b>General Medicine</b>	In a Nutshell	<b>Hypercalcaemia</b> <i>Dr Endean Tan (TTSH)</i>	Diagnosis and management of hypercalcaemia
		On Call	<b>Management of Delirium Tremens on Call</b> <i>Dr Faisal Bashir (TTSH)</i>	Acute management of delirium tremens
		What's Hot	<b>Venous Thromboembolism Prophylaxis in Hospitalised Patients: Radical or Right On?</b> <i>Dr Ashish Anil Sule (TTSH)</i>	Updates in pharmaceutical approaches and principles to venous thromboembolism prophylaxis
1220 - 1320	<i>Symposium 4</i> <b>Neurology</b>	What's Hot	<b>Advances in Endovascular Management of Stroke</b> <i>Dr Raymond Seet (NUHS)</i>	Updates in endovascular management of stroke
		On Call	<b>A Practical Approach to the Management of the Patient with Seizures</b> <i>Dr Rahul Rathakrishnan (NUHS)</i>	Acute management of the patient with seizures
		In a Nutshell	<b>Multiple Sclerosis &amp; Neuromyelitis Optica (NMO): Telling the Difference</b> <i>Dr Derek Soon (NUHS)</i>	Review of multiple sclerosis and neuromyelitis optica
1320 - 1400	<b>Lunch</b>			
1400 - 1500	<i>Symposium 5</i> <b>Interdisciplinary Colloquia</b> <b>Internal Medicine in Women Health</b>	General Medicine	<b>Being Diabetic and Pregnant: Is it Safe for the Mother and Baby?</b> <i>Dr Michelle Jong (TTSH), Dr Tan Lay Kok (SGH), Dr Sufi Muhammad Suhail (SGH) &amp; Dr Julie George (SGH)</i>	A multidisciplinary case discussion on the management of the diabetic pregnant woman
1500 - 1545	<i>Symposium 6</i> <b>Internal Medicine Workshop I</b> <b>Rheumatology</b>	Update on Inflammatory Arthritis	<b>Rheumatoid Arthritis: Time is of Essence</b> <i>Dr Teng Gim Gee (NUHS)</i>	Management of Rheumatoid Arthritis
			<b>Treating Gout: Seriously from Now</b> <i>Dr Poh Yih Jia (SGH)</i>	Management of Gout
1545 - 1610	<b>Afternoon Tea Break</b>			
1610 - 1710	<i>Symposium 7</i> <b>Medical Oncology</b>	What's Hot	<b>Immunotherapy for Advanced Solid Malignancies: A New Breakthrough</b> <i>Dr Amit Jain (NCCS)</i>	Update on immunotherapy in malignancy
		On Call	<b>The Unwell Cancer Inpatient: How Far Do We Go?</b> <i>Dr Tan Sing Huang (NCIS)</i>	Decision making principles in the extent of care for the cancer inpatient
		In a Nutshell	<b>Cancer Genomics: The Future of Oncology</b> <i>Dr Ravi Kanesvaran (NCCS)</i>	Review of cancer genomics and its impact on oncology practice
1710 - 1810	<i>Symposium 8</i> <b>Endocrinology</b>	What's Hot	<b>Updates in Pharmacotherapeutic Options in Osteoporosis</b> <i>Dr Chionh Siok Bee (NUHS)</i>	Review of drug therapies in osteoporosis
		On Call	<b>Endocrine Emergencies</b> <i>Dr Chng Chiaw Ling (SGH)</i>	Acute management of common emergencies in Endocrinology
		In a Nutshell	<b>Approach to the Patient with Cushing's Syndrome</b> <i>Dr C. Rajasoorya (KTPH)</i>	Diagnosis of Cushing's syndrome

Day 1: Saturday, 5 September



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0800 - 0845	Registration & Breakfast			
0845 - 0900	Course Introduction by Dr Terence Kee, Organising Chairman			
0900 - 1000	Plenary Workshop Psychiatry	Psychiatry in the General Medicine Unit	<b>Management of Acute Psychosis</b> <i>Dr Sin Gwen Li (SGH)</i>	Management of the patient with acute psychosis
			<b>The Suicidal Patient</b> <i>Dr Victor Kwok (SGH)</i>	Management of the patient who is suicidal
			<b>Personality Disorders and How They Become Barriers to Effective Medical Care</b> <i>Dr Roger Ho (NUHS)</i>	Management of patients with personality disorders
1000 - 1100	Symposium 9 Gastroenterology	What's Hot	<b>Direct Acting Antiviral Agents for Hepatitis C Virus</b> <i>Dr Lui Hock Foong (Gleneagles Hospital)</i>	Review of direct acting antiviral agents for hepatitis C virus
		On Call	<b>Approach to Gastrointestinal Bleeding</b> <i>Dr Ang Tiing Leong (CGH)</i>	Management of gastrointestinal bleeding
		In a Nutshell	<b>Autoimmune Liver Diseases</b> <i>Dr Jeffrey Ngu Jing Hieng (SGH)</i>	Review of autoimmune liver diseases
1100 - 1125	Morning Tea Break			
1125 - 1210	Symposium 10 Internal Medicine Workshop II Rehabilitative & Palliative Medicine	Rehabilitative and Palliative Care of the End Stage Renal Failure Patient	<b>Rehabilitation of the Patient with End-Stage Renal Failure</b> <i>Dr Saw Hay Mar (SGH)</i>	Rehabilitation of the patient with end-stage renal failure
			<b>Palliative Care of the Patient with End-Stage Renal Failure</b> <i>Dr Yang Woon Chai (NUHS)</i>	Palliative care of the patient with end-stage renal failure
1210 - 1310	Symposium 11 Renal Medicine	What's Hot	<b>Biologics in Nephrology</b> <i>Dr Irene Mok (SGH)</i>	Review of biologic agents in the management of renal conditions
		On Call	<b>A Patient with Hyponatremia and Seizures: What Do I Do?</b> <i>Dr Chianh Chang Yin (CGH)</i>	Management of Hyponatraemia
		In a Nutshell	<b>Retardation of Progression of Diabetic Kidney Disease</b> <i>Dr Titus Lau (NUHS)</i>	Management of diabetic nephropathy
1310 - 1400	Lunch			
1400 - 1500	Symposium 12 Interdisciplinary Colloquia Infectious Disease	Infectious Disease	<b>Multidisciplinary Approach to Haematology Stem Cell Transplant Patients with Infective Complications</b> <i>Dr William Hwang (SGH), Dr Phua Ghee Chee (SGH), Dr Asok Kurup (Mt Elizabeth Medical Centre)</i>	A multidisciplinary case discussion on the management of the patient after stem cell transplantation
1500 - 1600	Symposium 13 Haematology	What's Hot	<b>CAR T Cell Therapy</b> <i>Dr Chng Wee Joo (NCIS)</i>	A review of Chimeric Antigen T-cell Therapy for Cancer
		On Call	<b>Haematologic Emergencies</b> <i>Dr Ong Kiat Hoe (TTSH)</i>	Acute management of emergencies encountered in the hematology unit
		In a Nutshell	<b>Making Sense of Drug Names in Haematology</b> <i>Dr William Hwang (SGH)</i>	Review of pharmacological agents used in Hematology
1600 - 1625	Afternoon Tea Break			
1625 - 1725	Symposium 14 Respiratory Medicine	What's Hot	<b>Update on Obstructive Sleep Apnoea</b> <i>Dr Sridhar Venkateswaran (NTFGH)</i>	Update on latest developments in the management of obstructive sleep apnoea
		On Call	<b>On Call with Management of Pulmonary Infections</b> <i>Dr Melvin Tay (SGH)</i>	Acute management of respiratory infections
		In a Nutshell	<b>Evaluating the Solitary Pulmonary Nodule</b> <i>Dr Low Teck Boon (CGH)</i>	Review of the evaluation of the solitary pulmonary nodule detected on CXR
1725 - 1810	Symposium 15 Internal Medicine Workshop III Dermatology	Allergies and Hypersensitivity from a Dermatologist's Perspective	<b>Is this a Drug Rash: A Dermatologist's Perspective</b> <i>Dr Lim Yen Loo (NSC)</i>	Management of the suspected rash from an adverse drug reaction
			<b>Severe Cutaneous Adverse Drug Reactions: An Update</b> <i>Dr Nisha Chandran (NUHS)</i>	Management of severe adverse cutaneous reactions from drug therapies

Day 2: Sunday, 6 September