

ETHICAL AND PRACTICAL DILEMMAS IN ULTRASOUND PRACTICE

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Are you a practising sonographer? Do you recognise any of the following:

- A pregnant woman and her partner get really angry with you because the local protocol precludes scanning for fetal sexing; then you discover they've lost a child to a sex-linked condition.
- A female patient demands a chaperone for the trans-vaginal ultrasound examination you feel is necessary to make a full assessment of her pelvic structures; there's no-one available and the local protocol doesn't support the need for a chaperone where both patient and sonographer are the same sex.
- You are scanning a fourteen year old female with acute abdominal pain and clinical suspicion of an ectopic pregnancy when the girl's accompanying mother remarks 'I didn't know you could see appendicitis on a scan'.

The above are just a few examples of the 'routine' ethical dilemmas and questions that sonographers face in their working lives. This course will help you find a way through such issues and enable both you and your patients/clients to feel that the scan experience was as good as it could be.

PROGRAMME

- 9.15am Coffee and Registration
- 9.45am **Introduction to ethical issues and the 'big picture' from Bond Solon medico-legal consultancy**
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- 12.30pm Lunch
- 1.15pm **Issues around consent in the obstetric screening programmes**
Trish Chudleigh, Lead Sonographer Manager, The Rosie Hospital, Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Trust
- 1.45pm **Issues around conscientious objection**
Audrey Paterson, Director of Professional Policy, Society & College of Radiographers
- 2.15pm **Ethical dilemmas in teaching and research**
Anne-Marie Dixon, Senior Lecturer, University of Leeds
- 2.45pm Tea
- 3.05pm **Issues in general medical ultrasound**
Pauline Kilbourn, Ultrasound Services Manager, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Gateshead Health NHS Trust
- 3.35pm **Issues around chaperones**
Nigel Thomson, Professional Officer for Ultrasound, Society & College of Radiographers
- 4.05pm Open forum
- 4.45pm Close

There will be plenty of opportunity to ask questions throughout the day

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