

Dear all,

We are writing to you to let you know about our *Introduction to Anaesthetics and Intensive Care Virtual Lecture Series*

If you have a rotation in Intensive Care/Anaesthetics coming up or are considering a career in these specialties, then this is the perfect opportunity to boost your knowledge and confidence.

We are delivering four virtual teaching sessions to be held over Zoom every Monday from 18:30-19:30 from the 23<sup>rd</sup> November.

The sessions have all been endorsed by the Severn Deanery Foundation School and count towards your teaching hours. You will receive a certificate for your attendance. You do not have to attend every lecture, just pick and choose the ones you think would be useful.

The sessions will be:

- 1) **23<sup>rd</sup> November 18:30-19:30 Intensive Care**
  - a. Assessment and management of ventilatory failure including high-flow nasal oxygen, non-invasive BiPAP/CPAP and invasive ventilation on ICU
- 2) **30<sup>th</sup> November 18:30-19:30 Intensive Care**
  - a. Sepsis, blood pressure support and renal replacement therapy.
  - b. The lines we can use for monitoring and delivering medications on ICU.
- 3) **7<sup>th</sup> December 18:30-19:30 Anaesthesia**
  - a. A case-based introduction to anaesthesia including the triad of anaesthesia, general versus regional anaesthesia and obstetrics
- 4) **14<sup>th</sup> December 18:30-19:30 Anaesthesia**
  - a. A day in the life of an anaesthetist:
    - i. Why we like anaesthesia
    - ii. A typical day as an anaesthetic trainee and a brief guide to core training
    - iii. Q&A session

All foundation trainees from the Severn and Peninsula Deanery are welcome to attend but places are limited.

Best Wishes,  
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