Day 1

930 Coffee and registration

945-1000 Introduction

1000-1100 The GALS screen – a simple locomotor screening examination

1100-1115 Tea/Coffee

1115-1215 The knee – examination and case histories

1215-1215 Blood tests in rheumatology – when to use them and what do they mean?

1315-1400 Lunch

1400 Back pain – interactive discussion with case histories

1500 Joint injection – How to and when to

1545-1600 Discussion and close
Day 2

930-1030 Osteoporosis – case histories
1030-1130 Osteoarthritis and soft tissue problems – case histories
1130-1145 Tea/Coffee
1145-1230 The shoulder – examination and case histories
1230-1300 Discussion and close
1300 Evaluation

All sessions will be in the format of group discussions led by Dr Inam Haq.
The case history discussions will be real-life and interactive. If you have any difficult cases please bring them along from group debate. The running order may change slightly. Patients will be available for the examination sessions.

Tea/coffee and biscuits will be provided however I am not able to cover the cost of lunch. Facilities for hot and cold food are available in the basement of the Holborn Union Building at a reasonable price.

A map is attached in a separate document.

If you have any queries please call me on: 07903 522234

Looking forward to seeing you.

Regards

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