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Monday 11 and Tuesday 12 September 2006

Who should attend

Anyone with an interest in women's health, particularly Gynaecologists, Infertility Specialists, Infertility Nurses and Counsellors, Embryologists, O&G Trainees, and Other Practitioners with an interest in women's health.

Location of Meeting

The meeting will take place at the Postgraduate Education Centre, Manchester Royal Infirmary, Oxford Road, Manchester M13 9WL, UK (see enclosed map). Tel. +44 161 276 4169

Transportation

The venue is easily accessible by bus, hire vehicles or private car (see enclosed directions). Manchester has an International airport and large regional railway terminal.

Accommodation

There are several hotels to choose from in Manchester. Below (in order of room rates) is a selection of hotels located within walking distance of the MRI:

Ibis Hotel, Manchester (10 minutes walk)	Tel. 0161 272 5000
Travel Inn, Manchester G-MEX (15 minutes walk)	Tel. 0870 990 6444
Novotel, Manchester (15 minutes walk)	Tel. 0161 235 2200
Palace Hotel, Manchester (10 minutes walk)	Tel. 0161 288 1111
UMIST Conference Center Hotel (10 minutes walk)	Tel. 0161 955 8000
Dominion Hotel, Manchester (15 minutes walk)	Tel. 0161 953 1280
Lowry Hotel, Manchester (20 minutes walk)	Tel. 0161 827 4000

Please note that the course organizers are not responsible for accommodation bookings.

CPD Approval

Recognition for 12 CPD credits will be sought for this meeting.

Badges

All registered delegates will be provided with name badges at the registration desk and these must be worn at all times for admission to the scientific sessions.

Registration Fees

Delegates can register to attend the full two-day meeting at a rate of **£350**. The registration fee includes the delegate pack, scientific sessions, tea/coffee and lunch. Registration for the social event is an optional extra of **£50**.

For further enquiries or to register for this meeting please contact:

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Program and Registration

Suitable for:

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Convener: **Edmond Edi-Osagie**

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<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic & Speaker</u>
08.00	Registration
08.40 – 08.45	Welcome and House keeping Dr. Edmond Edi-Osagie, Consultant Gynaecologist, Course convener
08.45 – 09.30	Trends in human fecundity and fertility: are we a vanishing species? Prof Van der Veen, Centre for Reproductive Medicine, Amsterdam
09.30 – 10.15	Epidemiology of subfertility Dr. Pat Doyle, Reader in Epidemiology, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, London
10.15 – 11.00	Assisting human reproduction: benevolence or moral obligation? Dr. Brian Lieberman, Director of Reproductive Medicine, St. Mary's Hospital, Manchester
11.00 – 11.30	Tea/Coffee break
11.30 – 12.15	Regulating assisted human reproduction: is it time for a re-think? Prof. Bill Ledger, Sheffield Hallamshire Hospital
12.15 – 13.00	Ethics or legislation for the regulation of assisted conception? Prof. David Galton, Wolfson Institute of Preventive Medicine, London
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch break
14.00 – 14.45	Matrimonial and societal costs of subfertility and its treatment Ms. Clare Brown, Chief Executive, Infertility Network UK
14.45 – 15.30	Natural versus artificial methods of sex selection Tarun Jain, O&G Dept, Brigham & Women's Hospital, Harvard Medical School, USA
15.30 – 16.00	Tea/Coffee break
16.00 – 16.45	Rationing decisions in assisting human reproduction Prof Richard Lilford, Clinical Epidemiologist, University of Birmingham
16.45 – 17.15	Assisting human reproduction: should we draw the line? Prof. Tom Baldwin, Professor of Philosophy, University of York
17.15 – 17.30	Concluding remarks
17.30	Close
19.00	Conference Banquet

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Tuesday 12th September 2006

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic & Speaker</u>
08.00	Registration
08.45 – 09.30	Reproductive transplantation: viable option for treating subfertility? Prof. Jacque Donnez, Department of Gynaecology, Saint-Luc University Hospital, Brussels
09.30 – 10.15	Insulin sensitizing agents: why, when and how to use? Prof. Roy Homburg, Division of Reproductive Medicine, University of Amsterdam
10.15 – 11.00	Treating male subfertility: is there life beyond ICSI? Prof. Neil McClure, Obstetrician and Gynaecologist, Queen's University, Belfast
11.00 – 11.30	Tea/Coffee break
11.30 – 12.15	Genetics of subfertility Dr. Gill Clayton-Smith, Consultant Clinical Geneticist, St. Mary's Hospital, Manchester
12.15 – 13.00	Stem cell therapy: reproductive cloning with a human face? Dr. Daniel Brison, Consultant Embryologist, St. Mary's Hospital, Manchester
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch break
14.00 – 14.45	Endometriosis and human reproduction Dr. David Cahill, Senior Lecturer in Obstetrics and Gynaecology, University of Bristol
14.45 – 15.30	Tubal subfertility: competing and complementary roles of reproductive surgery and IVF Prof. TC Li, Reproductive Medicine and Surgery, Jessop Wing, Sheffield Royal Hallamshire Hospital
15.30 – 16.15	Uterine fibroids: do they truly impact on human reproduction? Dr. Yacoub Khalaf, Consultant in Reproductive Medicine, GSTT, London
16.15 – 16.30	Concluding remarks
16.30	Close