



Myelodysplastic Syndromes & Aplastic Anaemia London Meeting

LONDON MDS-AA PATIENT SUPPORT GROUP MEETING

- WHEN: Thursday 19th July 2012
- TIME: 3pm to 6pm
- WHERE: Dinwoodie Rooms 1&2, Ground Floor, Cicely Saunders Institute King's College Hospital, Denmark Hill, London SE5 9RS

Please let us know in advance if you plan to attend - this will help us with seating arrangements and preparing tea/coffee/biscuits.

Please call Sophie on **0207 733 7558** Or email <u>mds-uk@mds-foundation.org</u>

Thank you

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AGENDA:

15:00 Welcome, introduction of talks, participants and speakers

Anna Martin, Chief Executive, Aplastic Anaemia Trust
 Rodney Taylor, Chairman, MDS UK Patient Support Group
 Nana Benson-Quarm, Haematology Clinical Nurse Specialist, King's College Hospital
 Bryony Dettmar, Patient Support, Aplastic Anaemia Trust
 Sophie Wintrich, CE/Patient Liaison, MDS UK Patient Support Group
 Speakers Prof Mufti, Haematologist, King's College Hospital
 Prof Marsh, Haematologist, King's College Hospital
 Brief introduction round from all patients/family members present

15:30 Informal group presentations by physicians

- Room 1 Prof G Mufti MDS group
 - With Rodney Taylor, Sophie Wintrich
- Room 2 Prof J Marsh Aplastic Anaemia group With Nana Benson-Quarm, Bryony Dettmar

16:00 Question and Answer Session - Group discussions

16:20 Tea/coffee mingling/chat opportunity

17:00 Combined AA-MDS group – general discussion and future events

Future meetings for AA/MDS – theme or special presentation? Nana BQ/Bryony D & volunteers for assisting with next meeting
Update on other local groups - Cambridge/Oxford/Exeter - Sophie W/Bryony D
Events coming up in/around London - Anna M/Sophie W
Fundraising updates/suggestions - Anna M/Sophie W
Time for filling out Feedback forms ! Please!
Closing remarks

18:00 Close of meeting