

# KIDNEY CANCER UK

**Fourth Annual Conference and AGM  
Saturday 22 May 2004  
Wythenshawe Hospital  
South Manchester University Hospitals Trust  
Education and Research Centre**

## PROGRAMME

- 09.00 onwards** Registration, refreshments and information stalls including *CancerBACUP, Manchester Welfare Rights and Benefits Service, South Manchester Healthy Living Network, The Neil Cliffe Cancer Care Centre (Wythenshawe Hospital), Macmillan Cancer Information and Support Centre (Manchester Royal Infirmary), Beechwood Cancer Care Centre, Stockport (complementary therapies), Patient Advice and Liaison Service (PALS, Wythenshawe Hospital)* – the stalls will remain open until the end of the conference
- 09.30** Annual General Meeting of Kidney Cancer UK Limited  
*(Open to all paid-up members of KCUK; agenda will be sent to members in advance)*
- 10.30** Refreshments
- 10.50** Welcome and introduction  
*Keith Taylor (KCUK President)*  
*Nicholas Owen (KCUK Honorary Patron)*
- 11.00** ‘Current surgical concepts in the management of renal cancer’  
*Mr. Vijay Ramani*  
*Consultant Urologist, The Christie Hospital, Manchester*
- 11.45** ‘Treatment choices and treatment decisions for patients with secondary disease’  
*Dr. Tim Eisen*  
*Consultant Oncologist, Royal Marsden Hospital, and KCUK Medical Advisor*
- 12.30** Hot buffet lunch

- 13.30** Small-group workshops – each participant will register in advance for one workshop (and also provide a second choice)

WORKSHOP A: Support services for people living with cancer, their carers and families – a holistic approach

*Angela Clarke*

*Team Leader, Neil Cliffe Cancer Care Centre, Wythenshawe Hospital*

WORKSHOP B: The information needs of patients, carers and health professionals throughout ‘the cancer journey’

*Felicity Keeling*

*Manager, Macmillan Cancer Support and Information Centre (Manchester Royal Infirmary)*

*Martin Sherlock*

*Manchester Welfare Rights and Benefits*

WORKSHOP C: Complementary therapies and positive living

*Val Jarvis and Sam Parkin*

*Beechwood Cancer Care Centre, Stockport*

- 14.15** ‘A novel targeted anti-angiogenesis strategy for human cancers’

*Mr. C. Brendan Costello*

*Consultant Urologist and Director of Surgery, The Pennine Acute Hospitals NHS Trust, Manchester*

- 14.45** Refreshments

- 15.10** ‘Renal cell carcinoma: novel strategies and therapeutic updates’

*Dr. Robert Amato*

*Consultant Oncologist*

*Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, Texas*

- 16.00** Break

- 16.10** Open forum and question time

*Patients’ and carers’ experience and concerns, and questions to our conference speakers and workshop leaders*

- 16.55** Close of conference

*Keith Taylor (KCUK President)*

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