



RNOH Vitamin D Briefing Monday 19 March 2012

Orthopaedic aspects of Vitamin D

This is the second Vitamin D Briefing hosted by the RNOH and it will focus on the musculoskeletal aspects of Vitamin D deficiency in children.

Programme

12.30	Lunch
13.30 - 16.30	Workshop
16.30 - 17:00	Refreshments

Guest speakers:

Professor Susan Whiting, Saskatchewan, Canada
Professor Nick Clarke, Southampton, UK
Dr Colin Michie, Ealing, UK

RNOH faculty:

Ms Deborah Eastwood
Mr Peter Calder
Professor David Marsh

Convener:

Dr Benjamin Jacobs

Topics:

- Current Vitamin D prevention and treatment recommendations: Which children should have Vitamin D supplements, when and how should blood levels be checked?
- Current research including: Osgood-Schlatter, Stress Fracture, Scoliosis, Perthes Disease, SUFE, Mortality, Rickets, child protection and Cerebral Palsy.

Audience:

Doctors including orthopaedic surgeons, paediatricians, sports physicians, GPs, physiotherapists, osteopaths, occupational therapists, nurses, pharmacists, scientists.