Musculoskeletal pathologies: Image recognition for healthcare professionals
Module code 7HSK0074 15 Credits at level 7

This course is equivalent to 150 student effort hours including 7 attendance days:

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This course is suitable for health care professionals whose clinical practice involves working with radiographic images.

Course aims
The aim of this course is to enhance the image recognition of non-traumatic processes by healthcare professionals demonstrated on plain radiographic images.

Content
This course takes an overview of the pathophysiological processes that affect the bones and joints of the skeleton. The course includes the effect of disease on the skeleton and on patient presentation. There is an emphasis on plain film image appearances, both of normal images and the changes brought about by a range of non-traumatic pathologies, with the use of some other imaging modality images to enhance understanding. The radiographic techniques utilised to obtain the skeletal images are discussed. An overview of traumatic processes is also included.

Assessment
The assessment consists of a timed presentation and an Objective Structured Clinical Examination.

Who teaches this course?
Teaching is based on a combination of lectures, tutorials, small group seminars/workshops. Sessions take place at the College Lane Campus and are facilitated by James Busby.

What our students say
“I really enjoyed the module and it was very useful for my practice”

Cost
The fee for new self-funding students is £680. Please note that the fee may vary depending on your source of funding and whether you are a returning student. To find out information about the fees visit go.herts.ac.uk/cpdfees

The course forms part of a broader CPD framework that can lead to the award of Postgraduate Certificate, Postgraduate Diploma or Master’s degree

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