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UKFHD 60th Academic Meeting

Thursday 20th November 2025

**Hybrid Event from the Cavendish Conference Centre
22 Duchess Mews, London W1G 9DT**

Register to attend in person or watch a live stream

09.00 *Registration, coffee and networking*

Chair: Dr Fernando Pinto
Royal Hospital for Children, Glasgow

09.30 UK Forum on Haemoglobin Disorders
Annual General Meeting

Dr Rachel Kesse-Adu & Committee
Guy's and St Thomas' Hospital, London

10.00 *Coffee, networking and exhibition*

10.30 Known and novel risk factors for acute stroke

Dr John Brewin
King's College Hospital

11.00 Transcranial doppler in the management of
sickle cell vasculopathy in children

Dr Soundrie Padayachee
Guy's and St Thomas' Hospital, London

11.25 Neurovascular manifestations of sickle cell
disease in children

Dr Cristina Dudau
King's College Hospital, London

11.50 Neuropsychological perspective on sickle cell anaemia

Maria Goridari & Stacey Barkley
King's College Hospital, London

12.15 Questions and discussion

12.30 *Lunch, networking and exhibition*

13.30	Peer review 2018 – 2020 cycle	Dr Subarna Chakravorty <i>King's College Hospital, London</i>
13.45	Peer review – current cycle	Dr Emma Drasar <i>Whittington Hospital</i>
14.00	Panel 1: Good practice Natasha Lewis, <i>Homerton University Hospital</i> Michaela Mayhew, <i>St George's Hospital</i> Dr Stella Kotsiopoulou, <i>Croydon Health Services</i> Dr Sabiha Kauser, <i>Royal Manchester Children's Hospital</i> Jodie Port, <i>University Hospitals of Leicester</i> Dr Claire Anderson, <i>Luton and Dunstable Hospital</i>	
14.50	<i>Coffee, networking and exhibition</i>	Chair: Dr Emma Drasar <i>Whittington Hospital</i>
15.15	Panel 2: Challenges identified and helped by peer review Dr Mark Velangi, <i>Birmingham Women and Children's Hospital</i> Dr Clare Samuelson, <i>Sheffield Teaching Hospitals</i> Dr Noémi Roy, <i>Oxford University Hospitals</i> Ralph Brown, <i>Imperial College Healthcare</i> Nisha Nakrani, <i>Whittington Health</i>	
16.05	Summary and thank you to Sarah Broomhead	Dr Emma Drasar <i>Whittington Hospital</i>
16.30	<i>Close</i>	

REGISTRATION:

Registration fees for healthcare professionals working in the NHS:

UKFHD Members*	Attend in Person: Free of charge	View Live Stream: £15.00
Non-Members	Attend in Person: £15.00	View Live Stream: £30.00

*Members must be fully paid to date to qualify

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