Venue: Lecture theatre lower ground floor no.33 Queen Square

Alternative sessions for physiotherapists in MRC Neuromuscular Centre, Queen Square.

Tuesday	29th September 2015
08.00	Registration
08.25	Welcome and introduction Caroline Sewry
08.30	Learning from the clinical history and examination; adult-onset inherited and acquired muscle disease David Hilton-Jones
09.30	How to perform a clinical examination of children. Systematic overview of patients presenting with floppy infant syndrome and diagnostic approach <i>Reghan Foley</i>
10.30	Coffee/Tea
11.00	Value of muscle biopsy and information obtained Anders Oldfors
12.00	Pragmatic approach to treatable neuromuscular disorders in particular inflammatory myopathies and myasthenia gravis David Hilton-Jones
	Alternative programme for physiotherapists in MRC Neuromuscular Centre 11.00 Standards of care for physiotherapy in management of NMDs - Michelle Eagle 12.00 Introduction to Outcome measures and assessments for clinical trials in DMD and SMA - Anna Mayhew
13.00	Lunch in no. 33 Queen Square
13.45	Acquired polyneuropathies; diagnosis and treatment Peter van den Bergh Alternative programme for physiotherapists in MRC Neuromuscular Centre 13.45-14-40 Introduction to outcome measures and assessment in adults with NMD Meredith James
14.45	Guide to muscle examination in adults and children Michelle Eagle
15.45	Coffee/Tea in no.33 Queen Square
16.00	Delegates divide into groups between no. 33 and MRC centre that rotate for examination of live patients (Kate Bushby, David Hilton Jones, Michelle Eagle, MattParton) (Session for pathologists only at Institute of Neurology)

Tuesday 29th September 2015 (Continued)		
17.30	Short comfort break - all return to Lecture Theatre in no.33	
17.45	Quiz to include clinical aspects, ancillary studies that might be useful, including pathology All Faculty All Faculty Alternative programme for physiotherapists in MRC Neuromuscular Centre 17.45 Theory Session 6 MWT Respiratory Function Tests Lindsey Alfano/Linda Lowes	
18.30	Finish	
19.30	Dinner at Antalya Restaurant, 103 Southampton Row for all faculty, delegates and physiotherapists	

Wednesday 30th September 2015

8.30	Limb girdle and distal muscle weakness, practical problem solving Marianne de Visser
9.30	Management of patients with inherited neuromuscular disorders Kate Bushby
10.30	Coffee/Tea
11.00	Molecular diagnostic testing in clinical practice Anna Sarkozy
12.00	Presentation of difficult, unusual or unsolved cases by participants. Alternative programme for physiotherapists in MRC Neuromuscular Centre 11.00 NSAA Theory Leslie Nelson 12.00 PUL theory Kristie Rose
13.00	End of course, lunch bags and travel to Brighton for WMS 2015 Congress delegates
	Afternoon session for invited physiotherapists in Lecture Theatre no.33: 14.00 - 15.00 Physiotherapy Practical session with video review Michelle Eagle, Anna Mayhew, Meredith James, Linda Lowes, Lindsay Alfano, Leslie Nelson, Kristie Rose, Tina Duong 15.00 Coffee/Tea End of Course