

Fetal Medicine Unit Annual Meeting Programme

Spina Bifida: screening, diagnosis and management

Friday 6th December 2019

Lecture Theatre, Clinical Neuroscience Building
33 Queen Square, WC1N 3BG

08:00 08:45 Registration

08:45 09:00 Introduction

Session 1 Management of spina bifida

09:00 09:30 Neurosurgical perspective on fetal surgery
Mr Dominic Thompson
Great Ormond Street Hospital

09:30 10:00 Fetal surgery
Prof Jan Deprest
University College London Hospital/ UZ Leuven

10:00 10:30 Fetoscopic fetal surgery
Mr Bassel Zebian and Dr Marta Santorum-Perez
Kings College Hospital

10:30 11:00 Open panel discussion

11:00 11:30 Coffee break

Session 2 Screening, diagnosis and UCLH experience

11:30 12:00 Ultrasound
Dr Fred Ushakov
University College London Hospital

12:00 12:30 MRI
Dr Michael Aertsen
UZ Leuven

12:30 13:00 UCLH service
Dr Adalina Sacco
University College London Hospital

13:00 14:00 Lunch

Session 3 Experiences with spina bifida and fetal surgery

14:00 14:30 What patients ask us
Ms Gill Yaz
SHINE

14:30 15:00 What referring units need to know
Prof Anna David / Dr Emma Bredaki
University College London Hospital

15:30 16:00 Future direction of fetal surgery
Prof Paolo De Coppi
Great Ormond Street Hospital

16:00 16:30 Patient voices
Service users

16.30 Close