

Lung Cancer – The role of primary care

2020 CPD Activity for GPs



Event Date	Tuesday, 28 July 2020
Time	7:00pm to 8:30pm
Location	Online – a link to access the webinar will be emailed to GPs following registration
Speakers	Mr Phillip Antippa – Thoracic Surgeon and Head of Thoracic Surgery & Lung Cancer Service at Royal Melbourne Hospital Mr Ben Dunne - Specialist Cardiothoracic Surgeon

Whilst a conclusive diagnosis of lung cancer may be made in the hospital setting, and under the care of a specialist, GPs have a pivotal role in recognising high risk patients, symptoms and imaging suggestive of lung cancer thus initiating appropriate investigation and a timely specialist referral.

This online update has been developed with a GP focus in order to review the burden of disease of Lung Cancer. Specialist Thoracic Surgeons from Melbourne Private Hospital will review and discuss symptoms, diagnostic and referral pathways to assist GPs in identifying cases early, thus enhancing patient outcomes.

Learning Outcomes:

By the end of this activity, GPs will be able to:

1. Outline current risk stratification for lung cancer
2. Discuss the existing data supporting lung cancer screening, and the status of screening in Australia
3. Recognise the importance of timely referral and progression to treatment in patients with suspected lung cancer
4. Discuss the current treatment options available (including targeted therapies/immunotherapies) and the prognosis of lung cancer
5. Utilise reference material and specialist information to implement new strategies and identify effective referral pathways that ensure timely diagnosis of patients with lung cancer

Register online by clicking <https://bit.ly/LungCancer-CPD-28July>

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