



Focused Echocardiography in Emergency Life Support (FEEL)

Friday 28th

October 2016

Monday 30th January 2017

OVERVIEW & OBJECTIVES

The FEEL course teaches the knowledge and skills required to:

•achieve 4 standard TTE views: parasternal long axis (PLAX), parasternal short axis (PSAX) Apical 4 chamber (A4Ch), and subcostal (SC)

•perform ALS-conformed echocardiography: synchronised with pulse checks thus limiting no-flow intervals during CPR

•image interpretation: diagnosis of potentially treatable causes of cardiac arrest/circulatory collapse

•communicate with the resuscitation team

•understand the pitfalls and limitations of focused echocardiography

•understand the requirements and mechanisms for ongoing training and certification in peri-resuscitation echocardiography

•understand the importance of clinical governance with respect to emergency echocardiography

Teaching takes place in small groups, with real models being used to teach the basic skills outlined

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

The course is intended for <u>all</u> healthcare professionals who are involved in the care of the critically ill patient, and does not require any previous echocardiography or ultrasound experience. FEEL is intended as an adjunct to Advanced Life Support, and therefore knowledge of the current ALS algorithm is required. Doctors post FY2 stage may find this more useful to their training.

HOW TO REGISTER

You can register online by clicking here.

The venue for this course is the **Centre for Clinical Practice** (Lower Ground Floor, Lift Bank D). For queries please contact the Simulation team on (020 331)5 8632 or via the e-mail address below.