

26th February 2026 – The Spine, Liverpool

Theme: Inflammatory Comments

08.00-09.15 **Neuro-ophthalmology allied professionals' breakfast meeting**

09.30 **Welcome** – Ailbhe Burke

Chair:

09.40-10.10 **The epidemiology of optic neuritis**
Tasaneé Braitwaite, Consultant Ophthalmologist, St Thomas' Hospital,
London

10.10-10.40 **Update on multiple sclerosis**
Carolyn Young, Consultant Neurologist, The Walton Centre, Liverpool

10.40-11.20 **Update on MOGAD and NMO**
Saif Huda, Consultant Neurologist, The Walton Centre, Liverpool

11.20-11.50 Coffee

Chair:

11.50-12.30 **Paediatric CNS inflammatory disease**
Siobhan West, Consultant Paediatric Neurologist, (ROA) Manchester
University NHS FT

12.30-13.00 **When uveitis is a neuro-ophthalmic problem**
Nima Ghadiri, Consultant Medical Ophthalmologist, St Paul's Eye Unit,
Liverpool

13.00-14.00 Lunch

Chair:

14.00-14.30 **Service update:**
**Non-medical professionals in neuro-ophthalmology: A curriculum
and training routes for advanced clinical practice**
Mags Dayan, Consultant Ophthalmologist, Royal Victoria Infirmary,
Newcastle upon Tyne

Chair:

14.30-15.30 **4 platform presentations from submitted abstracts**

15.30-16.15 Poster viewing and tea

Chair:

16.15-17.15 **UKNOS Annual Lecture**

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Lars Fugger, Professor of Neuroimmunology, University of Oxford

17.15-17.30 Prize giving