

EPIDERMOLYSIS BULLOSA COURSE 2025



Thursday 20-Friday 21 November 2025

Day 1 - Thursday 20 November

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| 9:00-9:30 | Registration | |
| 9:30-9:35 | Welcome | Kati Paalosalo-Harris & Janet Hanson |
| Session 1 | | |
| 9:35-10:05 | An introduction to EB | Prof Jemma Mellerio |
| 10:05-10:30 | Family planning, pregnancy and childbirth in EB | Charlotte Raines |
| 10:30-11:15 | Care of the newborn and wound management in EB | Finola Sheehan & Annette Downe |
| 11:15-11:45 | Break | Meet charities/sponsors |
| Session 2 | | |
| 11:45-12:15 | Cancer in EB | Prof Jemma Mellerio |
| 12:15-12:45 | Psychology in EB | Jan Sher/Faiben Yemane |
| 12:45-13:30 | Lunch break | |
| Session 3 | | |
| 13:30-14:00 | The four stages of RDEB and endocrine involvement | Dr Anna Martinez |
| 14:00-14:45 | Nutritional aspects and dietetic management in EB | Natalie Yerlett & Marie Fitzpatrick |
| 14:45-14:55 | Break | |
| Session 4 | | |
| 14:55-15:40 | Understanding EB from the patient's perspective. A series of short films | Introduced by Janet Hanson and Kati Paalosalo-Harris |
| 15:40-16:00 | Dentistry and EB – Case studies | Helen Lane & Kunal Patel |
| 16:00-16:30 | Gastrostomy insertion and management | Mr Joe Curry |
| 16:30-17:00 | EB and the eye | Ms Susana Morley |
| 17:00-17:10 | Closing remarks | |

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Day 2 - Friday 21 November

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| 9:00-9:10 | Registration | |
| 9:10-9:15 | Welcome | Kati Paalosalo-Harris & Janet Hanson |
| Session 1 | | |
| 9:15-9:45 | Physiotherapy in EB | Anya Delap/Michelle Wood |
| 9:45-10:15 | Podiatry in EB | Liza Curtis |
| 10:15-10:45 | Sexuality and EB | Chris Bloor |
| 10:45-11:15 | Break | Meet charities/sponsors |
| Session 2 | | |
| 11:15-11:45 | Anaesthetic management in EB | Dr Diana Bareisiene |
| 11:45-12:15 | Hand surgery in EB | Mr Ricardo Tejero |
| 12:15-12:30 | Post operative hand therapy in adults with EB: A case study | Andrea Cudazzo |
| 12:30-13:00 | Hand therapy in children with EB | Catherine Miller |
| 13:00-13:45 | Lunch break | |
| Session 3 | | |
| 13:45-14:15 | Oesophageal dilatation in patients with EB | Mr Athanasios Diamantopoulos |
| 14:15-14:45 | Palliative care in EB | Caroline Mackenzie |
| 14:45-15:15 | Symptom control and pain management in EB | Dr Dilini Rajapakse |
| 15:15-16:00 | Break | |
| Session 4 | | |
| 16:00-16:15 | Short film – A parent's story (Dylan) | Introduced by Janet Hanson |
| 16:15-16:45 | Research in EB – what's the future? | Dr Gabriela Petrof |
| 16:45-16:55 | Closing remarks | Kati Paalosalo-Harris & Janet Hanson |