



THE SOCIETY FOR  
VASCULAR TECHNOLOGY OF  
GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND

<b>SVT Giant Cell Arteritis Study Day 7<sup>th</sup> September 2023</b>	
10:00 -16:30	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> September 2023
Venue	Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health 5-11 Theobalds Road, London, WC1X 8SH
<b><u>Aims of Study Day</u></b> To educate Clinical Vascular Scientists and Clinical specialists on Giant Cell Arteritis and the use of duplex ultrasound for assessment of the temporal and upper limb arterial system.	

<b>Temporal and Upper Limb Arterial assessment</b>		
10:00	<b>Welcome and Coffee</b>	
10:10	Vasculitis and GCA in Clinical Practice; <i>Diagnosis to Treatment</i>	Dr Shahir Hamdulay <b>Consultant in Rheumatology and General Internal Medicine London North West University Healthcare NHS Trust</b>
11:00	Temporal artery biopsy – Surgeon’s perspective	Mr Mojahid Najem <b>Consultant Vascular Surgeon Bedford Hospital NHS Trust</b>
11:30	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
11:40	Discussion: Setting up a New Service	Dr Nazia Saeed
12.30	<b>Lunch</b>	
	Live demonstration: Duplex assessment for GCA with multi-disciplinary panel	
14:00	Duplex assessment of GCA ; Rheumatologist perspective	Dr Qasim Akram <b>Consultant Rheumatologist Stockport NHS Foundation Trust</b>
14:30	Duplex assessment of GCA: Vascular Scientist perspective	Dr Nazia Saeed <b>Senior Clinical Vascular Scientist London North West University Healthcare NHS Trust</b>
15:00	Hands on practical scanning session	
16:00	Conclusion to workshop <b>16:30 MEETING CLOSE</b>	
<i>Preliminary programme subject to change</i>		