**Glasgow Paediatric Echo Course 21st – 24th April, 2020**

The Glasgow Paediatric Echo Course has been running for over 25 years. Initially it was a 3-day course for participants with prior experience of Echocardiography covering a wide range of topics, from foetal echocardiography to perioperative and adult congenital heart disease echocardiography.

Over time, two things became apparent: candidates with limited knowledge of echocardiography wished to attend, and many had an interest in neonatal diagnosis, so the course programme has been adjusted. For practical reasons however, volunteer patients you will meet at the practical hands-on sessions, are older children and teenagers.

The course is now suitable for Paediatricians, Neonatologists and Cardiac Physiologists who are learning paediatric congenital echocardiography. It would provide a useful basis for candidates working European Congenital Echocardiography accreditation. There are morning lectures Tues – Fri, and practical afternoon sessions on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. During the practical sessions, course participants will work in small groups of 3-4 performing an echocardiogram on a volunteer paediatric patient, to maximise learning experience. **Let us know about your prior experience in echocardiography and your learning objectives when applying (use Additional Information section of the application form),** this would allow candidates of similar levels of experience to be in the same group and maximise learning opportunities for everyone.

You will have a rare opportunity to view and examine real congenital heart specimens from our Pathology Department collection. If you do not wish to participate in this section of the course, please let us know in advance.

**The course fee of £700 (“early bird” discount £600 for full registration before 31st January, 2020) covers lunches, refreshments and the complimentary Course Dinner on Thursday 23rd April - please let us know whether you wish to attend the dinner. If you have any specific dietary requirements or food allergies, please advise as early as possible. There is an option of attending morning lectures only for a reduced fee of £350 (£250 with “early bird” discount).**

Please direct any queries to Abigail Stein, Project Manager, Glasgow Children’s Hospital Charity, Royal Hospital for Children, 1345 Govan Road, Glasgow, G51 4TF, telephone 0141 212 8750 or via e-mail (address below). To apply, please forward the completed application form and cheque to abigail.stein@glasgowchildrenshospitalcharity.org. Alternatively, you can book and pay for your course place online at <https://www.glasgowchildrenshospitalcharity.org/support-us/events/156-paediatric-echocardiography-course>

*The registration is not complete until payment has been received in full. Please make cheques payable to ‘Glasgow Children’s Hospital Charity’, or contact us if you wish to be invoiced or make a bank transfer.*

**Registration For Glasgow Paediatric Echo Course**

**21st – 24th April, 2020**

Name: ……………………………………………………………………….

Position: ……………………………………………………………………….

Address:…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….………………………………………………………………………………….

Contact (Telephone and E-mail): ………………………………………………………………………………….

**Please tell us about your experience in Echocardiography and outline your interest in course:**

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**Please share details of your past Echocardiography experience:**

None Limited Adult

**Please indicate whether you wish to attend**

Lectures onlyFull course

**Early bird discount (course fee paid in full no later than 31/01/2020)**

Yes No

**Additional information**:

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**Do you wish to attend complimentary course dinner on Thursday 23rd April, 2020**

Yes No