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2nd North of England Autoimmune CAR T Day

Friday 27th February 2026

Malmaison Hotel

1-3 Piccadilly, Manchester M1 3AQ

Chairs: Professor Ben Parker and Dr Eleni Tholouli, Manchester

09.00 *Registration*

09.30 Welcome

Updates on CAR-T

**Chairs: Professor Ben Parker, Manchester
Dr Eleni Tholouli, Manchester**

09.35 **Headlines:** Overview of CAR-T and review of different technologies

Dr Eleni Tholouli
Consultant Haematologist, Manchester

09.55 CAR-T in SLE

Professor Ben Parker
Consultant Rheumatologist, Manchester

10.20 CAR-T in myositis

Dr Alex Oldroyd
*Clinical Lecturer in Rheumatology,
Manchester*

10.35 CAR-T in MS and MG

Dr Gavin Brittain
Clinical Lecturer in Neurology, Sheffield

10.50 *Coffee*

CAR-T Considerations

**Chairs: Professor John Snowden, Sheffield
Dr Jonathan Carmichael, Leeds**

11.20 Renal considerations in CAR-T

Dr Silke Brix
Consultant Nephrologist, Manchester

11.40 CAR-T in children

Dr Denise Bonney + Dr Alice Chieng
Royal Manchester Children's Hospital

12.10 Emerging safety issues in CAR-T

Dr Jonathan Carmichael
Consultant Haematologist, Leeds

12.40 Q & A

12.50 *Lunch*

Ensuring Equitable Access to CAR-T Trials

Chair: **Professor Ben Parker, Manchester**

13.40 Peter's story

14.10 Ensuring diversity in trials and patient information

Dr Sarah Dyball
NIHR Academic Clinical Lecturer, Manchester

14.30 *Coffee*

CAR-T Trials and Recruitment

Chairs: **Dr Elisa Roldan Galvan, Sheffield**
Professor Ben Parker, Manchester

15.00 Lessons from Cell Therapy Network

Professor Fiona Thistlethwaite
The Christie NHS Foundation Trust

15.30 GM CAR-T trials and network

Prof Ben Parker + Dr Eleni Tholouli

15.50 Panel discussion

Dr Eleni Tholouli
Prof John Snowden
Dr Jonathan Carmichael
Prof Fiona Thistlethwaite
Dr Silke Brix
Prof Basil Sharrack

16.30 *Close*

Registration:

Registration for this meeting is free of charge for HCPs working within the NHS

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