



Kyphoplasty or  
vertebroplasty?



Reimbursement, does it  
pay ?



How to set up a service  
and optimise your  
service

31st March and 1st April 2009  
Littlewood Hall, Leeds General  
Infirmary, Leeds.

## 2009 Lectures

# Controversies in vertebral augmentation

### DAY 1: Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2009

12:00	Registration (Refreshments)		
12:30	Welcome and Introduction	Timothy	10mins
12:40	Vertebral Augmentation: The Historical Perspective, lessons learnt from the past	Whitehouse	15mins
12:55	Patient Selection: and other options to treat pain	Baranidharan	15mins
13:10	DISCUSSION		5 mins
13:15	Vertebroplasty: Indications and Technique: How I do it.	Wilson	15mins
13:30	DISCUSSION		10mins
13:40	When is Vertebroplasty not Enough: Kyphoplasty, Remodelling Techniques and Coblation	Yeh	15mins
14:10	DISCUSSION	Wilson	15mins
14:20	Radiology Tips & Tricks: Imaging before & during the procedure and Complications: How to avoid them and what to do about them?		10mins
14:35	COFFEE	Grainger	15mins
14:50	Vertebral Augmentation in the NHS: Indications and Efficacy		
15:10	Osteoporotic Collapse: The case for early intervention	Wilson	20mins
15:20	Versus The case for late or no intervention	Yeh	10mins
15:30	Vote and discussion	Dunsmuir	10mins
15:45	Difficult and Unusual Cases	All	10mins
16:00	What we still need to understand: Towards the ideal device	Rao	15mins
16:15	DISCUSSION	Whitehouse	15mins
16:25	Delegate cases and Discussion		10mins
17:00	DAY 1 CLOSE	Milner (Chair)	35mins

### DAY 2: Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April

08:30	COFFEE		
09:00	Open Forum: Setting up a Service: Tips, Tricks and Lessons Learned	Timothy (Chair) + All Faculty	30mins
09:15	Discussion – Issues preventing the set up of a service	Delegates	15mins
09:30	Reimbursement and Service Agreements	Kirk	15mins
09:45	Why vertebroplasty is better for reimbursement	Benson	10mins
09:55	Why kyphoplasty is better for reimbursement	Leonard	10mins
10:05	DISCUSSION		20mins
10:25	COFFEE		15mins
10:40	Vertebral Augmentation: The Evidence available so far...	Cole	15mins
10:55	Biomechanical Consequences of Vertebral Augmentation	Hall	15mins
11:10	Free slot		15mins
11:25	The future of vertebral augmentation	Timothy	20mins
11:45	DISCUSSION AND CLOSE		