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Optimising Rectal Cancer Outcomes

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OReCO Northwest 10th March 2026

8.45 - 9.15: Coffee and Registration

Section 1: Introduction

Chair: Brendan Moran

9.15 - 9.20	Welcome	Daphne Robertson
9.20 - 9.40	Rectal Cancer and Rectal SPECC: Surgical Perspectives	Francesco Di Fabio
9.40 - 10.00	Radiological Assessment of Rectal Cancer	Nehal Shah
10.00 - 10.45	MDT - Surgeon, Radiologist, Pathologist, Nurse Specialist, Clinical Oncologist	

Audience Participation and Voting

Case 1	Early Cancer / SPECC	Tasadooq Hussain
Case 2		Chris Smart

Summary

10.45 - 11.15: Coffee and Chat

Section 2: Rectal Cancer Oncology

Chair: Amy Lord

11.15 - 11.35	TNT and Pelvic Radiotherapy	Claire Arthur
11.35 - 11.55	Immunotherapy in Rectal Cancer	Saifee Mullamitha
11.55 - 12.40	MDT - Surgeon, Radiologist, Pathologist, Nurse Specialist, Clinical Oncologist	

Audience Participation and Voting

Case 3	Oncological vs Surgical Management	Deborah Williamson
Case 4		Kat Parmar

Summary

12.40 - 13.40: Lunch and Chat		
Section 3: Rectal Cancer Surgery Chair: Francesco Di Fabio		
13.40 - 14.00	Surgery for Early Rectal Cancer	Mike Gill
14.00 - 14.20	Surgery for Advanced Rectal Cancer: Beyond TME Resections	Paul Sutton
14.20 - 15.25	MDT - Surgeon, Radiologist, Pathologist, Nurse Specialist, Clinical Oncologist	
Audience Participation and Voting		
Case 5	Locally Advanced Cancers	Clare Mason
Case 6		Hamish Clouston
Summary		
15.25 - 15.55: Coffee and Chat		
Section 4 - Outcomes: Early and Late Chair: Brendan Moran		
15.55 - 16.15	Low Anterior Resection Syndrome	Gemma Faulkner
16.15 - 16.35	Anastomotic Leaks in Rectal Cancer Surgery	Gordon Carlson
16.35 - 16.55	Discussion: Rectal Cancer Specialisation	Derek McWhirter
16.55 - 17.15	Summary and Close	



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