

So You Want To Be A Doctor?

34th Annual Year 12 Medical Conference

Monday 16th and Tuesday 17th December 2019

Organiser: Dr Siân Alexander White

INFORMATION SHEET

(Please note all programme timings on this information sheet are approximate. We have tried to be as accurate as possible but there may be a few changes before the programme is finalised. The final programme will be available on our website on Friday 13th of December).

The 34th Annual Year 12 Medical Conference will be held at the Liverpool Medical Institution on **Monday 16th and Tuesday 17th December 2019**.

OBJECTIVES

To inform young people about some aspects of medical life and work. To outline different types of courses available at different universities and to describe admission procedures. To provide an opportunity for social contact between young people from many schools and those already embarked on medical training or established in medical careers. To indicate some of the down sides of a medical career, particularly in terms of workload and encroachment on social and family life.

WHO SHOULD COME?

First-year Sixth Formers / Year 12 students who are either considering a career in medicine and want to know more about it, or who have decided on a medical career and want to know about the admission procedures.

RESIDENCE AND FEE

We will provide overnight accommodation at the Liner Hotel in Liverpool which is situated a short walk to the Liverpool Medical Institution. The overnight stay is considered important for all students, including pupils from local schools, to ensure full participation in the conference. Students also have the choice to be non-resident: this will mean that students who wish to be non-resident will leave at the end of the Monday lectures at approximately 6pm and return to the LMI on the Tuesday by 8.50am for the day's lectures.

Fee with Overnight Residence: £200 inclusive of Monday night accommodation, all meals and social event on Monday evening. Bed and breakfast accommodation can be arranged for Sunday 15th December at an additional charge of £65. Please note that applicants must make their own travelling arrangements to the LMI on the Monday morning. Students will be expected to walk from the hotel so please keep luggage to a minimum. For the benefit of parents/guardians of participants staying on the Sunday night, emergency contact telephone numbers of the organisers will be provided and one of the conference organisers will 'meet and greet' the students at the hotel at 6.30pm on the Sunday evening.

Schools and parents are asked to remind their charges that this is not a school outing and students are expected to have a high standard of behaviour and to be responsible and mature throughout the conference.

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Fee without Overnight Residence: £135 inclusive of lunch and refreshments on both days but does not include the evening meal and social event on the Monday evening which will only be arranged for the residential students. Please note that non-residential students should be collected from LMI at approximately 6pm on the Monday evening and should return to the LMI on the Tuesday morning **no later than 8.50am**.

Students should wear comfortable smart/casual clothing, and bring a suitable coat as there will be times when they will need to walk to/from the Institution. One of the taster sessions will require you to wear flat shoes.

A few assisted places are available at a charge of £160 for residents and £95 for non-residents (please see two options above), subsidised by the Institution. Applications for these places will be treated in strict confidence but **MUST** be accompanied by a letter of support from a senior teacher at the applicant's school. A brief description of the financial circumstances is also required and can either be provided in the supporting letter from a senior teacher or by the student to accompany their application form. Requests for assisted places **MUST** be made at the initial application stage.

Refunds less a handling charge of £35 will be made if notice of cancellation is received by Monday 25th November 2019. Refunds cannot be made after this date.

ALLOCATION OF PLACES

Previous conferences have been oversubscribed. Places are allocated to applicants with good GCSE grades. Most Admissions Deans of Medical Schools expect A and B grades with few, if any, C grades, and preference will be given to those likely to obtain these grades.

PROGRAMME

The programme will run from 9am on Monday 16th December 2019. The programme will consist of lectures, demonstration of patients and interactive large and small group working with an opportunity to develop some basic clinical skills. One half-day will be devoted entirely to admission procedures for medical schools. A visit to a hospital or a taster session will also be a feature.

HOW TO APPLY

If you wish to be considered for this Conference, please visit <https://www.lmi.org.uk/y12c-application> and apply online (small fee will apply), or print off an application form and complete and return with your payment made out to 'Liverpool Medical Institution' to **The Year 12 Medical Conference Organiser, Liverpool Medical Institution, 114 Mount Pleasant, Liverpool, L3 5SR (please do not use recorded delivery)**.

Please ensure requests for assisted places are applied for at this stage (see above). You will receive notification of whether your application has been successful within two weeks of us receiving it.

Photographs will be taken throughout the conference for future publicity. If anybody has any objections please inform the administrative staff at the LMI.

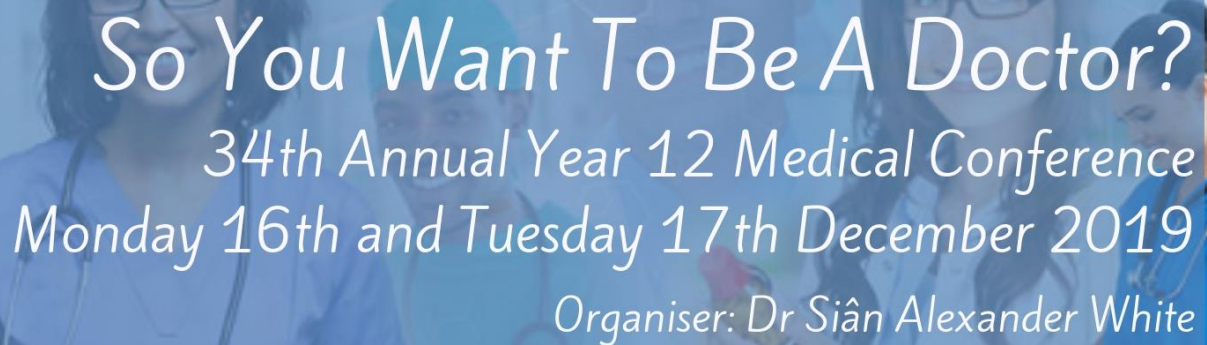
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APPLICATION FORM

(Form is also available online at <https://www.lmi.org.uk/y12c-application>. Please note that a small booking fee will apply).

Please complete all sections CLEARLY and in BLOCK LETTERS

MALE ☐ FEMALE ☐ SELF-DEFINED ☐

FORENAME(s): _____

SURNAME: _____

FORENAME BY WHICH YOU LIKE TO BE KNOWN (if different from above): _____

DOB: ____ / ____ / ____

ADDRESS: _____

POSTCODE: _____

HOME TEL NO: _____

MOBILE NO: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN TEL NO: _____

PLEASE STATE ANY PARTICULAR REQUIREMENTS (eg, diet: vegetarian / disability):

SCHOOL NAME: _____

NAME OF SCHOOL TEACHER WHO CAN PROVIDE A REFERENCE IF REQUIRED: _____

SCHOOL TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____

GCSE Grades Obtained:

SUBJECT:	GRADE:	OTHER SUBJECTS:	GRADE:
MATHEMATICS	_____	_____	_____
PHYSICS	_____	_____	_____
BIOLOGY	_____	_____	_____
CHEMISTRY	_____	_____	_____

Subjects to be taken at A-Level:

Please state why you would like to be given a place on this conference:

Is there a specialty that you are particularly interested in (please circle)?

Surgery General Practice General Medicine Emergency Medicine Clinical Sciences/Laboratory Anaesthetics

If another, please state here: _____

Have you previously had first aid training (please circle)?

Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Defibrillator / AED Operation Recovery Position Choking Burns
Minor Injuries All of the above No / None of the above

(Don't worry if the answer to the above question is no - this question is purely so we can tailor the taster sessions to attendee's experience).

ARE ANY OF YOUR RELATIVES MEMBERS OF LIVERPOOL MEDICAL INSTITUTION? YES ☐ NO ☐

If yes, please state name of relative and his/her relationship to you: _____

PLEASE SELECT AN OPTION:

- ☐ Non Residential Place **£135** (or **£95** if offered an assisted place) £ _____
- ☐ Residential One Night Place **£200** (or **£160** if offered an assisted place) £ _____
- ☐ Residential Two Nights Place **£265** (or **£225** if offered an assisted place) £ _____

Please tick the third option if you require bed and breakfast accommodation on Sunday 15th December (additional charge of **£65** is included in cost of option 3). Please note that applicants must make their own travelling arrangements to the LMI on the Monday morning. This fee does not include an evening meal on the Sunday evening.

TOTAL £ _____

PLEASE SELECT A PAYMENT METHOD:

- ☐ I ENCLOSE A CHEQUE MADE PAYABLE TO 'LIVERPOOL MEDICAL INSTITUTION' IN THE SUM OF £ _____
Please note that your cheque may not be banked until early December.

- ☐ I WOULD LIKE TO PAY BY DEBIT/CREDIT CARD VIA VISA, VISA ELECTRON, MASTERCARD OR MAESTRO

Card Number _____

Expiry Date: __ / __ Start Date: __ / __

Issue Number (if applicable): __

Security Code: ___

Please debit my card number for the following amount: £ _____

Signature: _____

Due to high demand for places on this conference, please do not delay in sending in your application.

Please send your completed form and cheque or card details to:

Sharon Hunt, Liverpool Medical Institution, 114 Mount Pleasant, Liverpool, L3 5SR

PLEASE DO NOT USE RECORDED DELIVERY. THANK YOU.



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