



RCOphth Annual Congress 2018

Orbital Cellulitis: Clinical presentation, diagnosis and management

Monday 21 May 2018 11.00 – 12.00

Chaired by Miss We Fong Siah, Consultant Ophthalmologist & Oculoplastic surgeon, Southampton General Hospital

Orbital cellulitis is a serious infection that involves the ocular adnexal structures beyond the orbital septum. It can lead to devastating visual loss and potentially life-threatening intracranial complications. Orbital cellulitis is more commonly seen in children than in adults with the majority of cases to be secondary to acute rhinosinusitis. Within the orbit, the infection can be complicated by subperiosteal abscess and/or intraorbital abscess. A multidisciplinary approach involving expertise such as an orbital surgeon, ENT surgeon, paediatrician, radiologist and microbiologist is fundamental in the management of complex orbital cellulitis. The symposium aims to provide the audience with a comprehensive understanding of the clinical presentation, diagnosis, medical and surgical management of orbital cellulitis. Case presentations will encourage interactive discussion.

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| 11.00 – 11.20 | Update on orbital cellulitis
Miss Rebecca Ford, Consultant Ophthalmologist & Oculoplastic surgeon, University Hospital Bristol |
| 11.20 – 11.40 | Multi-specialties management of orbital cellulitis & acute rhinosinusitis
Mr Fabian Sipaul, Consultant ENT surgeon, University Hospital Southampton |
| 11.40 – 12.00 | Case presentations
Question and answers |