

Pulmonary Fibrosis In Focus – from Diagnosis to Palliative Care

5th November 2025

09:30-16:30

PROGRAMME

	Topic	Speakers
09:00	Registration & Coffee	
09:30	Welcome - 'Why are we here'	Manisha Cook Specialist Physiotherapist Hospice of St Francis
09:45	Pathophysiology of Pulmonary Fibrosis The Role of Antifibrotics and Lung Transplant Considerations	Charlotte Hogben Clinical Nurse Specialist for Interstitial Lung Disease Royal Brompton & Harefield Hospitals
10:30	Break	
10:45	Management of Pulmonary Fibrosis - Medical Perspective for the Management of Pulmonary Fibrosis and Palliative Care Considerations	Dr Sharon Chadwick Consultant in Palliative Medicine The Hospice of St Francis
11:30	Oxygen Management and Community Management of Pulmonary Fibrosis	Maria Buxton (Msc, Grad Dip Phys) Consultant Respiratory Physiotherapist & Service Lead CLCH NHS Trust Adam Rochester NIV Practitioner
12:30	Nonpharmacological Management of Breathlessness	Manisha Cook Specialist Physiotherapist, The Hospice of St Francis
13:00	LUNCH	
13:45	Lived Experience	Patient speaker
14:15	Benefits of a Palliative Care Approach for PF patients and their Families • Palliative Model • Carers • Advance Care Planning	Claire Hewitt Joint Head of Family Support Claire Nicell Joint Head of Education & Learning The Hospice of St Francis
15:00	An update from Action for Pulmonary Fibrosis and research projects	Kirstie Atkins Research Officer Action for Pulmonary Fibrosis
15:45	BREAK	
16:00	Q&A panel	ALL
16:30	Close	