

WS2

Oral Problems in Advanced Cancer Workshop

CHAIR: Dr Andrew Davies FRCP

- "Oral problems in palliative care: what's the relevance?"
[Introduction to session; case presentation – 30 min; Dr Andrew Davies (UK)]
- "Principles of oral care in palliative care"
[Oral hygiene / oral assessment – 30 min; Deborah P. Saunders (Canada)]
- "Dry mouth – a syndrome rather than a symptom"
[Xerostomia / salivary gland hypofunction – 30 min; Dr Siri Beier Jensen (Denmark)]
- Interactive case-based discussions
[Case presentations / questions to panel – 20 min; Panel – all speakers]

Coffee break – 20 min

- "Oral infections in palliative care: an overview"
[Introduction to oral infections; viral infections, bacterial infections – 30 min; Dr Petrina Sweeney (UK)]
- "Oral candidosis – 'a disease of the diseased'"
[Fungal infections – 30min; Dr Joel Epstein (USA)]
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