HYPOTHETICALS
A GP EDUCATION EVENT
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SPECIAL GUEST  GRAHAME BOND

PSA in the new digital age
Prostate cancer is the most common cancer in Australian men, yet there is much controversy around screening and treatment. PSA remains the most accessible form of screening but MRI, the new form of digital prostate examination, is now part of mainstream assessment. Robotic surgery is improving outcomes and clinical trials of new chemotherapy agents are giving hope to those with metastatic disease.

At Macquarie University Hospital the Multi-Disciplinary Meeting or “MDT” has become the standard of care for all specialty groups with representatives from all aspects of patient care including surgeons, medical imaging, pathology, medical oncology, radiation oncology, physiotherapy and speech pathology. Uniquely the Macquarie University Hospital MDT meetings also have medical librarians who have become an invaluable resource.

Join our panel of experts as Professor Simon Willcock takes us on a journey of discovery as we discuss this important and controversial disease. As the story of our hypothetical patient unfolds we will gain insights into cancer screening, diagnosis and treatment.

THE EXPERTS

Ken Burston
Prostate Cancer Nurse, Macquarie University Hospital

Dr Henry Cutler
Director of the Macquarie University Centre for the Health Economy

Professor David Gillatt
Professor of Urological Oncology and Robotic Surgery, Head of Urology and Gynaecology Clinical Discipline, Director of Medical Services, Macquarie University Hospital

Professor Howard Gurney
Director of Medical Oncology and Clinical Trials, Macquarie University

Dr Annie Ho
Radiation Oncologist, Macquarie University Hospital

Dr Raymond Lee
Diagnostic Radiology, Macquarie Medical Imaging and Macquarie University Hospital

Dr Fiona Maclean
Histopathology / Cytopathology, Douglas Hanly Moir

Professor Simon Willcock (moderator)
General Practitioner, Primary Care Program Head, MQ Health and the Director of Primary Care at Macquarie University Hospital

Dr Tim Liu
Nuclear Medicine Physician, Macquarie Medical Imaging

Dr Justin Vass
Urological Surgeon, Macquarie University Hospital

TOPICS

1. The pros and cons of PSA testing. Cancer screening economics
2. What to do with a high PSA
3. What is PI-RADS and how to interpret a Prostate MRI Report
4. Overview of the new Gleason score for prostate cancer
5. Overview of treatment options for prostate cancer
6. Metastatic prostate cancer treatment, past, present, future