



▶ An exciting new field of psychiatry designed to improve the mental health treatment and care of athletes

First National Conference: The Mental Health of Athletes – who cares?

Schedule

8.30am Registration & coffee
9.30am Conference commences
5.00pm Conference closes

▶ **Thursday 22 June 2017**

Venue: Chelsea FC, Stamford Bridge, LONDON

▶ **Keynote Speaker: Professor Steve Peters**

Professor Steve Peters: MBBS MRCPsych BA PGCE MED (medical) Dip. Sports Med. Consultant Psychiatrist / Undergraduate Dean Sheffield Medical School. Professor Steve Peters is CEO of Chimp Management Limited. He is a Consultant Psychiatrist working in Elite Sport. He works with Sky ProCycling, and has current and past involvements in many other Olympic and non-Olympic Sports, including British Cycling, Liverpool Football Club, England Football, England Rugby, World Championship Snooker and Premier league Football.

When an athlete is injured or ill s/he will often be able to access timely and high quality health care. This is not always true when a mental health problem develops. The reasons for this are complex but becoming better understood. Research tells us not just about the extent of mental health problems in the sports arena, but is now helping us understand how and why problems emerge and what is best practice at all points along the treatment and care pathway. The pathway begins upstream with prevention and pre-habilitation and moves downstream to treatment and rehabilitation for the athlete with a mental health problem. All these areas will be explored and the premise that there is parity of esteem between the mental health care of athletes and their physical health care will have been discussed and challenged.

▶ **Learning objectives:**

- Appreciate the nature of extent of mental health problems in sport
- Understand how and why these problems arise
- Address the mental health risks within the sporting arena
- Develop an understanding of the pathways of care for athletes
- Improve screening and access to treatment when there is a mental health problem
- Ensure that athletes with mental health problems receive high quality treatment and rehabilitation

▶ **Conference Chairs / Speakers:**

Professor Alan Currie: MB ChB, MPhil, FRCPsych Consultant Psychiatrist, Regional Affective Disorders Service, Newcastle and visiting Professor in Sport & Exercise Science at the University of Sunderland. He has acted as a consultant to a number of national sports organisations for over 20 years. He also chairs the RCPsych's Sports and Exercise Special Interest Group.

Dr Allan Johnson: MBBS, MRCPsych, Cert.Med.Ed, Consultant Psychiatrist at Derbyshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust and Sports Psychiatrist at Performance Health Innovations Ltd (PHIL), Leeds where he and his colleagues deliver the complete sports medicine care package.

Dr Kate Goodger: PhD, C.Psychol. Chartered Sport and Exercise Psychologist and Director at Chimp Management.

Dr R. Hamish McAllister-Williams: BSc, MB, ChB, Ph.D, MD, FRCPsych. Reader in Clinical Psychopharmacology & Hon. Consultant Psychiatrist. Lead Clinician for the tertiary level Regional Affective Disorders Service in Newcastle.

Dr Philip Hopley: MBBS (Dist.) MRCPsych. Consultant Psychiatrist, Cognacity, Harley Street, London.

Dr Rod Jaques: FFSEM (UK), Dipl Sports Med, FISM, DRCOG, MRCPGP, Director of Medical Services and Consultant in Sport and Exercise Medicine, English Institute of Sport, SW Region, Bath University.

Dr John Rogers: MRCPGP FFSEM(UK). Consultant Physician in Sport and Exercise Medicine

▶ **Programme:**

09:30 Welcome and Introduction – overview of day's event, scene setting

Chair: Dr Allan Johnston

09:45 Parity of Esteem in Athlete's Health – an overview of Morbidity

The world of sports medicine has access to high standards of physical healthcare. The access athletes have to elite mental healthcare remains work in progress.
Prof Alan Currie

10:15 Mental health care and professional sport – getting the balance of duty of care right.

Dr Rod Jaques, Director of Medical Services and Consultant in Sport and Exercise Medicine, English Institute of Sport, SW Region, Bath University

10:45 Refreshments

11:00 Pre-habilitation & Resilience

An introduction to resilience as a tool for athletes and teams. Using the concept of Pre-habilitation, borrowed from the field of Strength and Conditioning we will explore strengthening the 'mind muscle' in advance of stress or adversity.
Dr Allan Johnston

11:30 Keynote Presentation

'A Psychiatrist working in Sport'
Prof Steve Peters

12:15 LUNCH

13:15 Access & Screening – Early warning signs

Dr Phil Hopley

14:00 Overtraining Syndrome - Physical or mental health problem?

Dr John Rogers MRCPGP FFSEM(UK)
Consultant Physician in Sport and Exercise Medicine

14:45 Refreshments

15:00 Pharmacological treatments for mental health problems in sport

Dr Hamish McAllister-Williams

15:30 Psychological Treatment – an overview

Dr Kate Goodger

16:00 Panel discussion

The speakers of the day will discuss the day's key topics and answer questions from the audience

16:45 Final comments, review and evaluation

Dr Allan Johnston

17:00 Conference closes

▶ **Who should attend?**

Those who have an interest in and a responsibility for the mental health of athletes, for example: psychiatrists, clinical psychologists, sports medicine doctors, athletes, coaching staff, performance directors, team managers and sports psychologists.

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Thursday 22 June 2017 – London

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▶ Conference Fee

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including VAT, course materials,
lunch and refreshments.

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