

**Surgical Retina in primary & optometric care  
Thursday 16 October 2025**

<b>Arrivals and refreshments 08:45-09:25</b>	
09:30	<b>Chair's opening remarks and welcome</b>
09:45	<b>VR Anatomy - Clinical Focus</b> Ben Kirkpatrick
10:05	<b>Floater and posterior vitreous detachment - signs, symptoms, documentation</b> Louisa Wickham
<b>Coffee break 10:45-11:00</b>	
11:00	<b>Emergency VR Pathology - RDs, TRDs, VH, SMH</b> Ben Kirkpatrick
11:30	<b>Peripheral Retina – benign vs. serious, case-based approach</b> Paul Sullivan
12:00	<b>VR on OCT - VMT, macular hole, ERM</b> Paul Sullivan
<b>Lunch 13:00-13:15 (optional practical session)</b>	
13:15	<b>Post-op Complications – inflammation, IOP, re-detachment (video + cases)</b> Elizabeth Yang
14:00	<b>Case Scenarios - what to refer and when (ophthalmic A&amp;E perspective)</b> Gordon Hay
<b>Tea break 14:45-15:00</b>	
15:00	<b>Medical-Legal Implications</b> Niall Patton and Gordon Hay
15:45	<b>Interactive Case Quiz – “You Be the Referrer”</b> Ben Kirkpatrick
16:15	<b>Panel Q&amp;A</b> Ben Kirkpatrick
<b>Meeting close 16:30</b>	