Association of Anaesthetists Webinar: Allergy and the Anaesthetist

Thursday 2 May 2019
Online – login from 1:30 pm
Organiser: Dr Louise Savic, Leeds

13:30 Log in available
13:55 Introduction
   Dr Kathleen Ferguson
14:00 Allergy: mechanisms, mimics and mis-diagnoses
   Dr Chris Rutkowski
   Consultant Allergist, Guy’s and Thomas’
14:30 Q&A
14:45 Peri-operative allergy: how can we make our patients safer?
   Dr Louise Savic
   Consultant Anaesthetist with interest in drug allergy
14:15 Q&A
15:30 Testing in the allergy clinic: pitfalls and controversies
   Dr Sophie Farooque
   Consultant Allergist, Imperial College Healthcare
16:00 Q&A
16:45 Close

This webinar will meet the following learning objectives:

- Basic mechanisms of allergy, common mis-diagnoses, and the conditions of urticaria and angioedema.
- How we can improve pre-op referral of patients for assessment in allergy clinic, penicillin de-labelling ahead of surgery, chlorhexidine problems that can be identified pre-op, plus how to improve the post-op referral of patients with suspected anaphylaxis.
- Common problems encountered during skin testing at clinic, what to do when test don’t work and there is no clear answer, concept of ‘hidden allergens’, and role of BAT testing in clinic.

And the following codes and GMC Domains

Domain 1 – Knowledge, skills and performance
Domain 2 – Safety and Quality
3J00 – other non clinical
1B01 Anaphylaxis