

# PRE CONGRESS WORKSHOP

## Paediatric Point of Care Ultrasound

26th July 2026 | 07:30 Hrs -16:00 Hrs | New Auditorium, Lady Ridgeway Hospital for Children

Number of participants: 24

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
07:30 - 07:45 Hrs	<b>Registration</b>	
07:45 - 08:00 Hrs	Welcome address by President of the Sri Lanka College of Paediatricians	<b>Prof. Pujitha Wickramasinghe</b> Congress Co - Chair, APCP 2026 President SLCP
	Introduction to POCUS and aims of workshop	<b>Dr. Nalin C. Kitulwatte</b> Consultant Paediatric Intensivist LRH
08:00 - 08:20 Hrs	Physics of Ultrasound/ Knobology/ Transducers and Image optimization	<b>Dr. Nilushi Hewawasam</b> Consultant Paediatric Radiologist, LRH
08:20 - 08:40 Hrs	<b>Cardiovascular Imaging</b>	
	1. Cardiovascular System Assessment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Basic Echocardiographic Views for the Intensivist</li> <li>❖ POCUS in Shock and Hypotension Assessment of intravascular Volume status</li> <li>❖ Focused Assessment of Pericardial Effusion and Cardiac Tamponade</li> <li>❖ Echocardiographic Evaluation of Left Ventricular Function and Hemodynamic Status</li> <li>❖ Focused Ultrasound in Right Ventricular Function and Pulmonary Hypertension</li> </ul>	<b>Dr. Greg Kelly</b> Consultant Paediatric Intensivist College of Intensive Care Medicine Ultrasound Special Interest Group Australia
08:40 - 09:00 Hrs	<b>Thoracic Ultrasound</b>	
	❖ Basic Lung Ultrasound for the Intensivist <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Pneumothorax, pleural effusions, pneumonias, interstitial syndromes</li> </ul>	<b>Dr. Manjula Hewageegana</b> Consultant Paediatric  Intensivist, LRH
	❖ Airway Ultrasound	
	❖ Diaphragmatic Ultrasound	
09:00 - 09:20 Hrs	Abdominal US- EFAST	<b>Dr. Nilushi Hewawasam</b> Consultant Paediatric Radiologist
09:20 - 09:40 Hrs	Vascular Access	<b>Dr. Thusitha Jayathilaka</b> Consultant Anaesthetist-CTOT, LRH
09:40 - 10:00 Hrs	<b>Tea Break</b>	

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10:00 – 11:00 Hrs	<b>Hands on Session 1</b> Introduction to machines/ Setting up/ Knobology and Image optimization (all 4 stations-all faculty)			
	<b>Hands on Session 2</b>			
	<b>Station 1</b> Focused ECHO  <b>Dr. Greg Kelly</b> Consultant Paediatric Intensivist College of Intensive Care Medicine Ultrasound Special Interest Group Australia  <b>Dr. Lakshitha Samaranyake</b> Consultant Paediatric Intensivist	<b>Station 2</b> Lung Ultrasound  <b>Dr. Manjula Hewageegana</b> Consultant Paediatric Intensivist  <b>Dr. Nilupulee Sumanasekara</b> Consultant Paediatric Intensivist  <b>Dr. Anusha Sriyasinghe</b> Consultant Paediatric Intensivist	<b>Station 3</b> Vascular Access and Procedural Ultrasound  <b>Dr. Deshan Adhihetty</b> Consultant Paediatric Intensivist  <b>Dr. Kalani Premachandra</b> Consultant Paediatric Intensivist	<b>Station 4</b> Abdominal Ultrasound - EFAST  <b>Dr. Nilushi Hewawasam</b> Consultant Paediatric Radiologist  <b>Dr. Suchira Cooray</b> Consultant Paediatric Intensivist
11:00 – 12:00 Hrs	<b>Group - 1</b>	<b>Group - 2</b>	<b>Group - 3</b>	<b>Group - 4</b>
12:00 – 13:00 Hrs	<b>Group - 2</b>	<b>Group - 3</b>	<b>Group - 4</b>	<b>Group - 1</b>
13:00 – 13:45 Hrs	<b>Lunch Break</b>			
13:45 – 14:45 Hrs	<b>Group - 3</b>	<b>Group - 4</b>	<b>Group - 1</b>	<b>Group - 2</b>
14:45 – 15:45 Hrs	<b>Group - 4</b>	<b>Group - 1</b>	<b>Group - 2</b>	<b>Group - 3</b>
15:45 – 16:00 Hrs	<b>Closing Remarks &amp; Feedback</b>			



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