

Treatment in pancreatic cancer: Chemotherapy and radiotherapy, 22/10/2025



Lea Booth – Specialist Pancreatic Cancer Nurse, Pancreatic Cancer UK

Lea studied at the University of Birmingham and qualified as nurse in 2011. She has worked in Oncology departments in a large teaching hospital in the West Midlands since graduating. Her first junior nursing role was as a chemotherapy nurse on the inpatient and young person's unit before she joined the Oncology research team as a research sister, running clinical trials for both liver and pancreatic patients. Her role before joining Pancreatic Cancer UK was as a HPB clinical nurse specialist that covered surgical and oncology pathways for both pancreatic and liver cancer patients, supporting and guiding them through their cancer journeys.



Ganesh Radhakrishna - Consultant Clinical Oncologist and Director of Postgrad Medical Education, The Christie

Ganesh is a Consultant Clinical Oncologist with site speciality interest in OG and HPB cancers. He has a keen interest in precision RT techniques for HPB & OG cancers and Oligometastatic sites in the abdomen and pelvis. He has been involved in precision RT trials in the UK, treatment guideline development, RTTQA activity and co-chaired the RCR HPB Clinical Oncology site specialist group for the UK.

Ganesh is the clinical lead for the National Pancreatic Cancer Audit and Pancreatic Cancer GIRFT programme and a co-lead for the radiotherapy workstream and member of the national pancreatic research group.



Lynne McCallum – Specialist Pancreatic Cancer Nurse, Pancreatic Cancer UK

Lynne qualified from the University of Nottingham in 2003 and has worked supporting pancreatic cancer patients ever since. Her background is in oncology, having worked as a junior nurse in chemotherapy services both in the inpatient and outpatient setting and as a nurse specialist since 2011. She worked as a HPB and NET CNS at the Christie Hospital in Manchester from 2011-17 when she started a role with Pancreatic Cancer UK as a Pancreatic Cancer Nurse Specialist.

Shivan Sivakumar – Consultant Medical Oncologist, Queen Elizabeth Hospital Birmingham

More information coming soon.