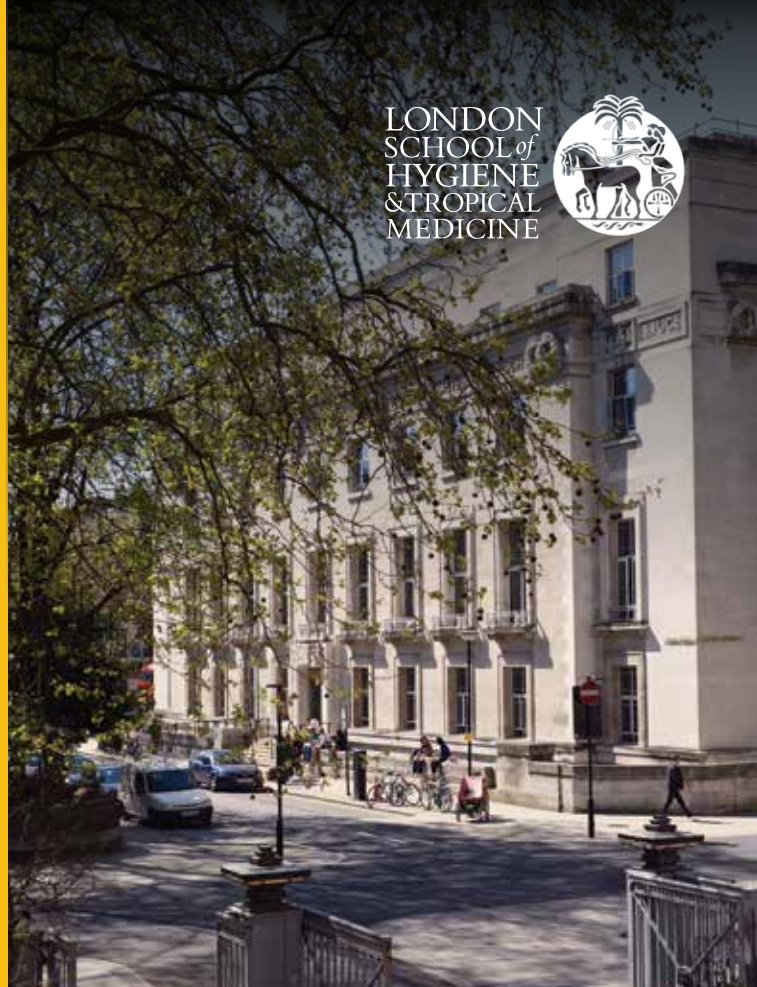


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### How to apply

Applicants should complete the online application form available on the course webpage:  
[www.lshtm.ac.uk/study/cpd/tropical\\_dermatology.html](http://www.lshtm.ac.uk/study/cpd/tropical_dermatology.html)

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# Tropical Dermatology

**Short Course: 6 – 8 September 2017**

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**Further Information:**

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**The course**

The course will run for three consecutive days. Teaching will be by staff from the Department of Infectious & Tropical Diseases at the School, the Hospital for Tropical Diseases, and invited external speakers eminent in the field of dermatology and infectious diseases, all of whom have experience of working in the tropical and resource limited settings.

**Teaching methods**

Teaching will be through lectures, discussions, problem solving workshops and the use of technology to access current health information.

**Aims & objectives**

The main objectives are to develop an understanding of:

- The impact of tropical and other skin disorders affecting people in the tropics
- The diagnosis and management of tropical skin disorders

The course will cover a range of topics relevant to tropical dermatology:

- The burden of skin disease in tropical and resource limited settings
- Ectodermal parasitic skin disease
- Fungal infections of the skin
- Filariasis, lymphoedema and pododermatitis
- Helminths and the skin
- HIV and associated opportunistic infections of the skin
- Leprosy
- Leishmaniasis
- Other mycobacterial skin infections
- Public health interventions
- Pyoderma
- Teledermatology
- Travel-related skin problems
- Yaws and other treponematoses
- Neglected Tropical Diseases
- Non-communicable skin disease in tropical settings
- Wound management

**Who should attend?**

This course is designed for physicians, nurses and other health care professionals who are involved in the management of skin disorders. It aims to provide health care professionals with an opportunity to develop and update their knowledge and skills in tropical dermatology. The course is open to registered medical practitioners, registered nurses and other health care professionals with an interest in skin health.

**Accreditation**

Continuing Professional Development (CPD) credits have been applied for from the Royal College of Physicians for this course.

**Course fee**

The fee for the course is £750. This fee covers participation in the course and the course materials. It does not include travel costs, accommodation or meals.

The fee is payable by 30 June 2017 and attendance on the course may not begin until the fee is paid in full. Cancellation of attendance on a course after the fee deadline may lead to a loss of all or part of the fee.

**Accommodation**

A list of hotels and other accommodation located in the vicinity of the School can be supplied on request to the Registry. Lunch can be purchased from the School's refectory. Evening meals are not catered for, but there is a large choice of restaurants, cafés and shops nearby.

