



Assessment of adnexal masses using ultrasound

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Learning Objectives:

1. To learn simple methods for assessing adnexal masses on ultrasound
2. To gain knowledge on how to use the ADNEX model in clinical practice
3. To learn how to use O-RADS in patient management
4. To improve knowledge on the use of pattern recognition when assessing adnexal masses
5. To gain knowledge on the role of ultrasound in diagnosing invasive ovarian malignancies, metastases in the ovaries and rare ovarian tumours
6. To gain knowledge on the role of ultrasound in identifying non-gynecological pathology

EST	BST	Min	Lecture	Faculty
07:00	12:00	10	Welcome, Introduction and ISUOG consensus	Prof. Carol Benson (USA), A/Prof. Ligita Jokubkiene (Sweden) and Prof. Lil Valentin (Sweden)
Session 1: Lexikon and simple methods to assess ovarian masses				
<i>Chairs: Prof. Yvette Groszmann and Prof. Lil Valentin</i>				
07:10	12:10	25	Lexicon (standardized terminology) to describe adnexal masses	Prof. Lil Valentin (Sweden)
07:35	12:35	15	Benign Descriptors	Prof. Yvette Groszmann (USA)
07:50	12:50	20	Simple rules for distinguishing benign from malignant adnexal masses	A/Prof. Ligita Jokubkiene (Sweden)
08:10	13:10	20	Cases (terminology, Benign Descriptors, Simple Rules)	Prof. Yvette Groszmann (USA) and A/Prof. Ligita Jokubkiene (Sweden)
08:30	13:30	25	Panel discussion, and live Q&A	All faculty
08:55	13:55	10	Break	
Session 2: Adnex model and O-RADS				
<i>Chairs: Prof. Carol Benson and A/Prof. Ligita Jokubkiene</i>				
09:05	14:05	20	ADNEX model to predict ovarian malignancy	Prof. Lil Valentin (Sweden)
09:25	14:25	20	Application of ADNEX to clinical cases	Prof. Lauri Hochberg (USA)
09:45	14:45	20	O-RADS – why and how?	Prof. Priyanka Jha (USA)
10:05	15:05	20	Application of O-RADS to clinical cases	A/Prof. Catherine Phillips (USA)
10:25	15:25	25	Panel discussion, and live Q&A	All faculty
10:50	15:50	30	Refreshment break	
Session 3: Pattern recognition				
<i>Chairs: Prof. Wouter Froyman and A/Prof. Ligita Jokubkiene</i>				
11:20	16:20	10	Introduction to pattern recognition	Prof. Lil Valentin (Sweden)
11:30	16:30	15	Benign teratoma – appearance and management	Dr Ruben Heremans (Belgium)
11:45	16:45	15	The varied ultrasound appearance of endometriomas	Dr Mathew Leonardi (Canada)
12:00	17:00	15	Other common benign adnexal masses (cystadenoma, cystadenofibroma, tubal pathology, paraovarian cyst, peritoneal inclusion cyst)	A/Prof. Ligita Jokubkiene (Sweden)
12:15	17:15	25	Panel discussion, and live Q&A	All faculty
12:40	17:40	10	Break	

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Session 4: Malignancies, rare tumours				
<i>Chairs: Prof. Lauri Hochberg and Prof. Lil Valentin</i>				
12:50	17:50	20	Epithelial invasive malignancies	Dr Federica Pozzati (Italy)
13:10	18:10	20	Rare ovarian masses (primary and metastases)	Prof. Lil Valentin (Sweden)
13:30	18:30	20	Borderline ovarian tumours	Dr Federica Pozzati (Italy)
13:50	18:50	20	Case presentations	Dr Stefan Timmerman (Belgium)
14:10	19:10	25	Panel discussion, and live Q&A	All faculty
14:35	19:35	10	Short break	
Session 5: Adnexal and Atypical Findings				
<i>Chairs: Prof. Carol Benson and A/Prof. Ligita Jokubkiene</i>				
14:45	19:45	20	Adnexal masses during pregnancy	Dr Federica Pozzati (Italy)
15:05	20:05	15	Adnexal torsion	Prof. Yvette Groszmann (USA)
15:20	20:20	20	Non-gynecological pathology encountered at gynecological scanning	Prof. Carol Benson (USA)
15:40	20:40	25	Panel discussion, and live Q&A	All faculty
16:05	21:05	5	Feedback and close	A/Prof. Ligita Jokubkiene (Sweden)

Please note that this is a provisional schedule subject to change.