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The cost of registration – excluding lunch – will be £20. Full details of the speakers and their specific topics will be published in February.

For further information – and to ensure that you receive a copy of the programme and registration form – please contact Rowena Hardy at Charter Medical of England Ltd.
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