

Western Counties Society of Osteopaths
Annual Summer Convention
Saturday 6th June 2015
Programme

- 09.30-10.00 **Registration and tea/coffee**
- 10.00-11.00 **Mr Ashok Subramanian - TBC** – Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, specialising in scoliosis and spinal deformity at Musgrove Park Hospital, Taunton & Somerset NHS Foundation Trust.
- 11.00-11.15 **Tea/Coffee**
- 11.15-12.15 **Mr Ashok Subramanian - TBC**
- 12.15-13.15 **Buffet lunch**
- 13.15-14.15 **Carol Fawkes -NCOR Senior Research Officer** - Carol has acted as project officer for the development of a standardised data collection tool for osteopathy and was responsible for the administration of a series of studies investigating adverse events in osteopathy.
- 14.15-15.15 **Steve Vogel - Vice Principal at the British School of Osteopathy**
Talk/ workshop about Adverse Events, Communication and consent
Continuing on from his talk at Hestercombe Steve is going to talk about the current data and research into adverse effects from manual therapy and its relevance to osteopathy. He will also expand on the consent issues and communication.
- 15.15-15.30 **Tea/Coffee**
- 15.30-16.30 **Steve Vogel – workshop**
- 16.30-17.00 **Launch of New Website- Ian Gale- Lexington IT**
Chance for members and attendees to see how to sign up and use the new website. Everyone will be given their user name and password in order to login.
- 19.00 **Champagne Reception on the Terrace**
- 19.30 **Dinner** – Gentlemen are required to wear a jacket for dinner