

THE MEDICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON FOUNDED 1773 11 CHANDOS STREET, LONDON, WIG 9EB

> Telephone: 020 7580 1043 Fax: 020 7631 4817 e.mail: info@medsoclondon.org www.medsoclondon.org

Dear Fellow

The next meeting of the Session will be the Second General Meeting (Agenda attached) to be held on Monday 13th May 2024 followed by the Annual Oration to be delivered by Professor Dame Clare Gerada DBE FRCP FRCPsych on

## THE FUTURE OF PRIMARY HEALTH CARE

Clare is a general practitioner to her patients in South London, where she has worked for more than 34 years. In addition, she has held several national leadership roles, including both the Chair and President of the Royal College of GPs, the second woman in its history to hold both positions. She set up and led until 2021 the award-winning mental health service for health practitioners, NHS Practitioner Health. She has now set up and leads the Primary Care Gambling Service, a unique GP-led multidisciplinary service straddling the primary, secondary and third sectors. She was awarded an MBE in 2000 for her services to drug misuse, and a DBE in 2020 for services to mental health.

The future of general practice is the future of the NHS. The two are intimately linked; without a functioning general practice system, we will not have a functioning health service. Clare will talk about why we are in the position we are in, how she has lived through the three ages of general practice and what she thinks needs to be done to create a health service fit for tomorrow.

A Buffet Supper will precede the meeting at **6.45pm**. If you wish to attend the supper please send your cheque to reach the Registrar at the above address by **Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May** accompanied by the attached slip. Coffee and biscuits will be served after the lecture. **Please note that we cannot usually accept orders for suppers after 12 noon on the Friday before a Monday meeting.** However, if after Friday noon you decide you would like to attend, please telephone in advance to ascertain whether you can be accommodated for supper.

## AGENDA SECOND GENERAL MEETING 13<sup>th</sup> MAY 2024

- 1. Minutes of the First General Meeting held on 9<sup>th</sup> October 2023.
- 2. There have been no proposed amendments to the Laws of The Society this year.
- 3. Election of Independent Examiner- Ian Clifton (final year)
- 4. To elect the following Officers of The Society fot the 2024/25 Session as recommended by Council

## <u>MEDICAL SOCIETY OF LONDON</u> <u>PROPOSED OFFICERS AND OFFICIALS 2024/25</u>

<b>Position</b>	<u>Current</u>	Proposed For Election
President	Dr Susan West	
President-Elect	Dr Catherine Sarraf	Prof Heather Angus-Leppan
Senior Secretary	Prof Heather Angus-Leppan	
Junior Secretary	Dr Rudy Capildeo	
Vice Presidents		
1	Professor Clara Lowy	
2	Colonel Jagdish	
3	Dr Alistair Purves	
Hon Treasurer	Dr Peter Keir	
Hon Librarian	Col.Jagdish	
Hon Editor	Dr Susan West	
Hon Membership	Dr Jackie Morris	
Secretary		
Councillors		
3 <sup>rd</sup> year	Dr Tony Roques	
3 <sup>rd</sup> year	Dr John Flower	
2 <sup>nd</sup> year	Dr Marek Trelinski	
2 <sup>nd</sup> year	Mr Robert Morgan	
2 <sup>nd</sup> year	Dr Heather Angus Leppan	
2 <sup>nd</sup> year	Professor Dafydd Thomas	
1 <sup>st</sup> year	Dr Rodney Rivers	Re-elected
1 <sup>st</sup> year	Professor Roberto Guiloff	Re-elected
		Sir Marcus Setchell
		Dr Simon Bailey