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Short Course in Tropical Ophthalmology

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This course has CME approval of 18 points.

This course is aimed primarily at ophthalmologists in the UK and overseas wishing to gain more information on tropical eye disease and the Global VISION 2020 initiative to eliminate avoidable blindness. The primary purposes are to familiarise participants with:

- The main causes of blindness in the world
- The clinical presentation and management of the following diseases: Trachoma; Onchocerciasis; Vitamin A deficiency and Measles; Ophthalmia neonatorum; HIV and the eye; Leprosy.

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A timely revision of this established textbook, *The Epidemiology of Eye Disease* provides practising ophthalmologists and public health officials, as well as students enrolled on an increasing number of related Masters Courses, with definitive information on both the epidemiology and prevention of eye disease.

Thoroughly revised and updated throughout for the second edition, the content has been enlarged by the addition of new sections on clinical trials, molecular epidemiology and refractive errors. The revision also has a much-enhanced international flavour with many new contributing authors, and reflects the considerable experience gained by the editors through their respective associations with the highly regarded courses run at the Institute of Ophthalmology in London and at Johns Hopkins in Baltimore.

The second edition of *The Epidemiology of Eye Disease* continues to be a one-stop source of relevant information derived from all major epidemiological studies on the prevalence, risk factors and distribution of eye disease, to be referred to frequently by students and practitioners in both developed and developing nations.

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