Following the recent NPSA alert highlighting the potential dangers of chest drain insertion & the consequent requirement for trained staff to perform the procedure, this half-day course is designed to teach the theory behind chest drain insertion and chest drain management, and to allow acquisition of competency in its technical execution.

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Aimed at:
Foundation, Core trainees, ST3 & above

FORMAT:
- didactical lectures
- hands-on practice:
  Seldinger & Surgical Thoracostomy
- human cadaveric specimens
- state-of-the-art Surgical Skills lab

TOPICS:
- the anatomy of chest drain insertion
- latest clinical guidelines
- complications & management of chest drains
- technical execution of thoracostomy

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