



# Palliative Medicine Master Class



**Venue:** Centre4, 17a Wootton Road, Grimsby, DN33 1HE

**Time:** 12.00pm– 2.00pm—Lunch provided

**This event is only open to doctors and health care professionals band 5 and above with an interest in palliative care , working within North East Lincolnshire.**

## Staging Of Cancer And How It Affects Treatment.

This masterclass will be an overview about how the main cancers are staged, what the different stages mean and how this influences prognosis and treatment.

**Facilitated by:** Jason Boland— Senior Lecturer And Honorary Consultant In Palliative Medicine, Hull York Medical School, University Of Hull, and Care Plus Group and St Andrew's Hospice, North East Lincolnshire, UK

**Biography** - Jason Boland is a senior clinical lecturer and honorary consultant in palliative medicine at Hull & York Medical School and North East Lincolnshire. He qualified in medicine from the University of Cambridge in 1999, with an MA in neuroscience and trained in palliative medicine in Sheffield. For his PhD he performed a systematic analysis of the in vitro effect of opioids on immune function. His interests include understanding the molecular actions of opioids and how to maximise their efficacy while minimising toxicity. He is currently researching the effect of opioids on immune, endocrine, gastrointestinal and cognitive function, and is also involved in non-malignant lung disease research. He lectures nationally and internationally on these topics. He is on the gastrointestinal subgroup of the NCRI and is elected chair of the Science Committee of the Association for Palliative Medicine, is an associate editor for BMJ Supportive and Palliative Care and is on the editorial board for the journal Palliative Medicine and for the Palliative Care Formulary. He is on the Steering Group for NIHR Themed Review on End of Life Care. [For more information click here](#)

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