

# Understanding Cancer

National Cancer Intelligence Network

Oncology Training for NHS  
and Public Health non-clinical staff

**Professionally accredited  
by the Institute of Healthcare Management**

**Free access for all UK users**

## Key features include:

- flexibility to work at your own pace from work or home
- ability to stop and resume at any point from any computer
- reference guides
- colourful images throughout
- glossary of terms
- learning objectives
- quizzes
- certificate of achievement
- free of charge to UK users

## What to do next

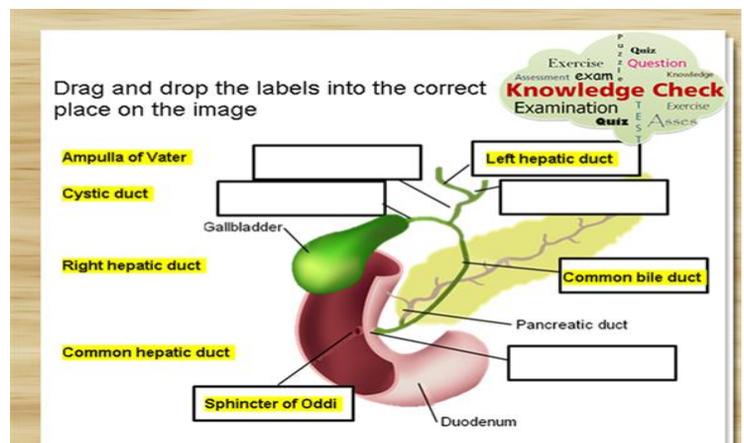
For more information, visit [www.ncin.org.uk](http://www.ncin.org.uk) where you can self-register on to the mylearningspace website by creating a new account

## Who it is for and what you will learn

This e-learning tool is aimed primarily at Multi-disciplinary Team Co-ordinators and Cancer Registration staff who need to know:

- about cancer – medical terminology, diagnoses, tests and treatments
- how cancer services are organised in the NHS
- about cancer types – key risks, including causes, risk factors, signs and symptoms, anatomy and physiology

Other NHS and Public Health staff can also use the course to improve their understanding of cancer





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## Launched Modules

<b><u>Cancer Surveillance</u></b>	<b>Lower Gastrointestinal Tract</b>
National Health Service	<b>Respiratory System and Mesothelioma</b>
Cancer Registration	<b>Skin</b>
Multidisciplinary Teams	Non Melanoma
Cancer Datasets	Melanoma
<b><u>Terminology, Tests and Treatments</u></b>	<b>Hepatobiliary Tract</b>
What is Cancer	Pancreas
Medical Terminology	Gallbladder
Basic Anatomy & Physiology	Liver and Intrahepatic Bile Ducts
Diagnostic Tests	Extrahepatic Bile Ducts
Cancer Treatment	<b>Upper GI Tract</b>
<b><u>Tumour site specific cancers</u></b>	Oesophagus
<b>Brain and Central Nervous System</b>	Stomach
Brain and Central Nervous System	Small Intestine
Pineal and Pituitary Gland	<b>Urinary Tract</b>
<b>Breast</b>	Bladder and other Urinary Tract
<b>Female Reproductive</b>	Kidneys (excluding Renal Pelvis)
Endometrial and Uterine	<b>Head and Neck</b>
Cervical	Lip and Oral Cavity
Ovarian	Major Salivary Glands
Placental	Nasal Cavity
Fallopian Tubes	Larynx
Female External Genitalia	Pharynx
<b>Male Reproductive</b>	Thyroid
Prostate	<b>Bone and Soft Tissue</b>
Testicular	Bone
Penile	Soft Tissue
	<b>Haematological Malignancies</b>

## New Modules in development

<b>Children, Teenagers and Young Adults (CTYA)</b>	<b>Cancer of Unknown Primary (CUP)</b>
Paediatric	
Teenagers and Young Adults	