Predicting cancer risks and mutation status: evidence to shape best practice

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International speakers:

Dr Antonis Antoniou
Strangeways Laboratory, Cambridge University, UK (to be confirmed)

Prof Jack Cuzick
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Professor David Goldgar
Department of Dermatology, University of Utah School of Medicine, Salt Lake City, USA

A/ Professor Mary Beth Terry
Mailman School of Public Health, Columbia University, New York, USA

With the goal of improving outcomes for people and families at risk of cancer, we will:

- review the existing and emerging models used to predict cancer risk and/or probability of carrying a mutation
- assess the performance and implementation of models across a range of settings
- consider opportunities and barriers to new approaches

The workshop will be of interest to consumers, government agencies and professionals from a wide range of disciplines, including: epidemiology, general practice, genetic counselling, health economics, molecular genetics, nursing, oncology, palliative care, pathology, radiology, statistics and surgery.

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