

# ISAS NEWS UPDATE APRIL 2010

## LATEST NEWS

### New Assessors Authorised

During March, UKAS authorised fifteen new assessors for ISAS. More assessors are to be authorised by the end of April.

### UKRC 2010

UKAS will be exhibiting at the event with a dedicated stand. Imaging services interested in the scheme are encouraged to visit the stand to find out about ISAS, to discuss progress of the scheme since the launch and see regular live demonstrations of the web-based tool.

The Early Rise Session will look at the progress of ISAS one year from the launch and explore how ISAS is helping imaging services to deliver a patient focused service. Insightful presentations will be delivered by key speakers such as Deborah Southon, from Plymouth Hospitals NHS Trust, who will look at ISAS from an early implementer's perspective and Dr. Melanie Hiorns, Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children NHS Trust, who will explore ISAS from the perspective of an Assessor.

We would like to invite interested parties that want to learn about the importance of accreditation, and imaging services that may want to apply, to attend the session.

## ISAS ASSESSORS WANTED!

We are actively recruiting for **Technical/Peer & Lay Assessors**. Radiographers and radiologists will receive CPD, as appropriate from their respective professional bodies. For further details of the Assessor role please visit the ['Jobs'](#) section of the ISAS website, where you will also find future training dates.

## CONTACT US

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## INTERESTED IN APPLYING FOR ACCREDITATION?

UKAS is continuing to process new ISAS customer applications on a first come, first served basis. Further information on how to apply can be found under the [Getting Accredited](#) section. If you are interested in applying for accreditation to the ISAS Standard, we would recommend attendance at a free, non-obligatory ISAS Preparatory Workshop in your area.

## DATES TO REMEMBER

### ISAS PREPARATORY WORKSHOPS

Tues 11<sup>th</sup> May – Belfast  
Wed 30<sup>th</sup> June - Bournemouth  
Wed 24<sup>th</sup> November - London

*See the 'Pre-application Information & Preparatory Workshops' section for details of how to register*



### UK RADIOLOGICAL CONGRESS 2010

7th to 9th June 2010  
NIA & ICC, Birmingham  
Stand number 431

*Visit the UKAS stand to learn more about ISAS.*

ISAS One Year on from Launch  
Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2010  
Early Rise Session: 8.30-9.30 am

### Delivering Confidence: The Benefits of Imaging Services Accreditation



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