



## Laurence Lever

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A Harley Street-based consultant dermatologist offering expert assessment and treatment for pre-malignant and malignant skin conditions in a fast-track, multi-disciplinary setting.

Dr Laurence Lever was Consultant Dermatologist and Clinical Lead in Dermatology and Skin Cancer Lead at North West London Hospitals NHS Trust from 1994. Since 2016, Dr Lever has been working in Private Practice and as Consultant for the Community Dermatology service in Harrow, West London.

He looks after patients with general dermatological conditions with a special interest in the management of malignant and pre-malignant conditions of the skin.

Often associated with over exposure to the sun, skin cancer is one of the most common cancers in the world. There are two types of skin cancer: slow growing non-melanoma skin cancer, which accounts for 95% of cancer cases, and the rarer but more serious melanoma skin cancer which grows quickly and has the potential to spread to other organs of the body.

The most common types of non-melanoma skin cancer are basal cell carcinoma (BCC) and squamous cell carcinoma (SCC). BCCs usually present as a red, pink or pearly white lump, or as a flat, scaly discoloured patch, whereas SCCs appear as a firm red lump or a flat crusted scab-like lesion that does not heal. BCCs may also ulcerate and bleed. Any lump, lesion or skin discolouration that has not healed after four weeks should be assessed by a GP or skin specialist.

Melanoma skin cancer usually develops in an existing mole or can appear as a new mole. In general, melanomas are irregularly shaped, more than one colour and are larger than normal moles (more than 6mm in diameter). A helpful way to tell the difference between a normal mole and a melanoma is the ABCDE checklist, and changes of these types should always be assessed by a GP or skin specialist at the earliest opportunity.

### Specialises in

- Investigation and biopsy of skin lumps, lesions and moles
- non-melanoma and melanoma skin cancer
- Moh's micrographic surgery (MMS)
- Cryotherapy
- Photodynamic therapy (PDT)
- Imiquimod cream
- Mole checking
- Treatment of skin lymphoma

### Professional Details

#### Qualifications

**MB BS (University of London 1980), FRCP**

Qualified in 1980

### Locations

#### Main location

The London Skin Clinic  
108 Harley Street  
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### Accreditation and Admitting Rights

Laurence Lever is an accredited consultant for the following hospitals, clinics and groups

