Mary Woods

QASDG External Expert

Mary Woods is a qualified nurse with significant experience in the field of cancer related lymphoedema. Working as a Lead Nurse, she heads a team of lymphoedema therapists as the clinical expert, firmly believing in patient focused management of the condition and the importance of early education and advice for those at risk of lymphoedema.

Mary is educated to Masters level with her research focused on the psychological impact of breast cancer related lymphoedema. She has published and presented her work nationally and internationally and is the author of a book entitled Lymphoedema Care, in addition to book chapters published in several other books.

As a Committee member of the British Lymphology Society, Mary collaborates with colleagues to advance education and knowledge in the field of lymphology and provides expert advice on lymphoedema to several cancer charities. She shares her knowledge widely in formal and informal education settings, is passionate about patient care and highly experienced within her specialist field.