



# HAEMATOLOGY ASSOCIATION OF IRELAND

## HAI NURSES & AHPs ANNUAL MEETING PROGRAMME

FRIDAY 13<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER, 2017

08.30-09.15	REGISTRATION AND MEET THE SPONSORS	
<b>CHAIRS: Laura Croan and Fidelma Hackett</b>		
TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
09.15-09.30	Welcome and Introduction	Laura Croan, Chair, HAI Nurses and AHPs Group
09.30-10.15	Aplastic Anaemia	Dr Ronan Desmond, Consultant Haematologist AMNCH, Tallaght, Dublin
10.15-11.00	Fertility Preservation and Post-Treatment Concerns in Haematology Patients	Joanne McManus, Consultant Gynaecologist, Royal Hospitals, Belfast
11.00-11.30	<b>COFFEE AND MEET THE SPONSORS</b>	
<b>CHAIRS: Ruth Thompson and Caroline McCaughey</b>		
TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
11.30-11.45	A QUALITATIVE DESCRIPTIVE STUDY EXPLORING LYMPHOMA SURVIVORS' EXPERIENCE AT THE END OF TREATMENT AND BEYOND AND THEIR VIEWS ON A SURVIVORSHIP CARE PLAN	Fidelma Hackett <sup>1</sup> Mid-Western Oncology Centre, University Hospital Limerick, Limerick
11.45-12.00	AUDIT OF PROVISION OF HOME INTRAVENOUS CHEMOTHERAPY TO CHILDREN WITH ACUTE LYMPHOBLASTIC LEUKAEMIA	Deirdre Armstrong, <sup>1</sup> childrens Haematology Unit, Royal Belfast Hospital for Sick Children, Belfast Health & Social Care Trust, Belfast, Northern Ireland
12.00-12.15	THE EXPERIENCES OF MYELOMA PATIENTS UNDERGOING HAEMATOPOIETIC STEM CELL TRANSPLANT: QUALITATIVE THEMATIC SYNTHESIS	Geraldine W Walpole <sup>1</sup> Department of Haematology, Sligo University Hospital, Sligo
12.15-12.30	3 GIRLS, 3 SPECIALITIES, UNLIMITED SKILL SET - THE IMPACT OF THE CLINICAL NURSE SPECIALIST IN HAEMATOLOGY	Caroline Kerr <sup>1</sup> , L Croan <sup>1</sup> , D Finnegan <sup>1</sup> , L Houlihan <sup>1</sup> , O Sheehy <sup>1</sup> , J Quinn <sup>1</sup> <sup>1</sup> Haematology, Belfast City Hospital, Belfast, N.Ireland
12.45-13.45	Lunch	



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13.45–14.30	AllHPC contribution to palliative care on the island of Ireland	Brendan O’Hara, Programme Manager All Ireland Institute of Hospice and Palliative care (AllHPC)
14.30-15.15	Managing the Dietetic Needs of Haematology Patients	Eleanor Sweeney Oncology/Haematology Dietician Beaumont Hospital
15.15-15.45	<i>COFFEE AND MEET THE SPONSORS</i>	

**CHAIR:** Fidelma Hackett and Jacinta Byrne

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
15.45-16.30	'Kidney Problems in the Haematology Patient'	Dr Colm Magee, Consultant Nephrologist, Beaumont Hospital, Dublin
16.30-17.00	Patient Perspective	
17.00-18.00	<b>LIAM O’CONNELL LECTURE</b> Introduced by: Dr Ronan Desmond  <i>Gene Therapy Trials</i>	Dr Cynthia Dunbar, Senior Investigator Molecular Hematopoiesis Section, NIH, Bethesda, USA
1815 – 19.45	<b>Poster viewing followed by Dinner</b>	



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CHAIRS Caroline McCaughey and Rosemary Lavery

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
09.00-09.45	Engagement with VTE Risk Assessment	Lynda Bonner RGN, MSc, OBE, Nurse Consultant
09.45-10.30	Advances in AML	Professor Charles Craddock CBE Institute of Cancer and Genomic Sciences/Professor of Haemato- oncology, Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Queen Elizabeth Medical Centre, Birmingham
10.30-11.15	<i>'You Can Make a Difference'</i>	Mr Tommy Whitelaw, UK Project Lead, Dementia Carers Voices, Health and Social Care Alliance Scotland
11.15-11.30	<b>COFFEE AND MEET THE SPONSORS</b>	

CHAIRS: Laura Croan and Ruth Thompson

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11.30-11.45	Highlights from the main conference	Dr Eibhlin Conneally, Chair, Haematology Association of Ireland
11.45-12.30	<p>Meet the Expert Session <u>Late effects of treatment case presentations</u></p> <p>Paediatric case study Bernie McShane, Ward Sister, Haematology RBHSC</p> <p>Teenage and Young Adult case study Caroline Kerr, Macmillan Haematology CNS, Belfast City Hospital</p> <p>Adult case study Emma Rowan, CNS Post Transplant Follow- Up, St James's Hospital, Dublin</p>	<p>Facilitated by:</p> <p>Dr Christine Macartney, Consultant Paediatric Haematologist Royal Belfast Hospital for Sick Children Belfast</p> <p>Dr Larry Bacon Consultant Haematologist St James's Hospital, Dublin.</p>



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12.30-12.45	Awarding of Prizes and Close of Meeting	
12.45-13.00	HAI Nurses/AHPs AGM	All Welcome
13.00 – 14.30	LUNCH and Quiz	