



2019 Infection Prevention and Control Course *Frontline Hospital Staff*

Dates of Course:

Tuesday 3rd, Wednesday 4th, Monday 9th, Tuesday 10th of September 2019

Venue:

Houston and Cheyne Lecture Theatre's, The Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland (RCSI), St Stephen's Green, Dublin 2

Course information leaflet for attendees available on the Health Protection Surveillance Centre (HPSC) website (www.hpsc.ie)

To apply to attend the course:

1. Complete the online application form through Abbey Conference & events on the HPSC website at www.hpsc.ie
2. Payment of €100 (non-refundable) by **Friday 16th of August 2019**.
3. Places will be allocated to applicants when the online application is complete and payment is received.
4. An email confirming a place will be sent to each attendee.

Registration: 08.00-08.50am on Tuesday 3rd of September 2019

Please note: Admittance to the course is restricted to those that have received confirmation of a place by e-mail.

No payment will be accepted at registration on Tuesday 3rd September 2019



Theme: *Setting the scene*

Tuesday 3rd September 2019

Morning Chair: Dr Fidelma Fitzpatrick Afternoon Chair: Ms Helen Murphy

Time	Topic	Speaker
08.00-08.50	Registration	
09.00-09.15	Welcome Address	Prof Hannah McGee, Dean of the Faculty of Medicine & Health Sciences, RCSI
09.15-09.25	Introduction to the Course	Ms Helen Murphy Infection Prevention & Control Lead Nurse National AMRIC Team, HPSC
09.25-09.55	HCAI's & AMR– <i>Are We Winning?</i>	Prof Martin Cormican Consultant Clinical Microbiologist University Hospital Galway
09.55-10.25	A Patients Perspective	Ms Bernadette (Bernie) O'Reilly Irish Patients Association
10.25-10.45	HIQA's Revised Infection Prevention & Control Monitoring Programme in Public Acute Hospitals	Ms Kathryn Hanly Inspector, Health Care Regulation Directorate, HIQA
10.45-11.00	Panel Discussion	
11.00-11.30	Coffee	
11.30-12.10	The Fantastic World of Microbiology and the Beastie Boys	Dr Roisin Connolly Antimicrobial Stewardship Fellow, Beaumont Hospital
12.10-12.45	Ask not what your laboratory can do for you, but what you can do for your laboratory!	Dr Anna Rose Prior Consultant Clinical Microbiologist Tallaght University Hospital
12.45-13.00	Panel Discussion	
13.00-13:45	Lunch	
13.45-14.30	What you can't see can hurt you and your patient	Ms Lisa Fetherstone Infection Prevention and Control (ADON) St. James Hospital
14.30-15.20	Personal Protective Equipment – <i>Getting it Right</i>	Ms Emer McNally Infection Prevention & Control Nurse Specialist, Santry Sports Clinic Ms Colette O'Reilly & Ms Kathleen Murray Infection Prevention & Control Nurse Specialist's Children's University Hospital, & Navan Hospital
15.20-15.45	Hand Hygiene– National Perspective	Ms Mary McKenna Infection Prevention & Control Lead Nurse National AMRIC Team
15.45-16.00	Panel Discussion	
16.00	Close	

Theme: *Improving compliance*

Wednesday 4th September 2019

Morning chairperson: Ms Sheila Donlon

Afternoon chairperson: Ms Margaret Nadin

Time	Topic	Speaker
09.00-09.30	The Dirty Dozen-Waste, Sharps & Laundry	Ms Lenora Leonard Infection Prevention and Control Nurse Manager, Beacon Hospital
09.30-10.00	Surgical site infection- <i>a cut above the rest</i>	Ms Angela McArdle Surveillance Nurse, St James Hospital
10.00-10.45	<i>I Spy with my Little Eye</i> —A Missed Opportunity for Hand Hygiene	Ms Sheila Donlon Infection Prevention & Control (ADON) Cavan/Monaghan Hospitals
10.45-11.00	Panel Discussion	
11.00-11.30	Coffee	
11.30-12.15	IPC in IV therapy	Ms Aine Connolly IV Nurse Specialist, University Hospital Cork
12.15-12.45	<i>First Do No Harm</i> -one hospitals experience on making change	Ms Fionnuala Duffy Infection Prevention & Control (ADON) Beaumont Hospital
12.45-13.00	Panel Discussion	
13.00-13.45	Lunch	
13.45-14.30	Welcome to today's IPC Clinic- <i>what bugs you the most?</i>	Ms Barbara Slevin & Ms Helen Murphy Infection Prevention and Control (ADON) University Hospital Limerick
14.30-15.30	Making Sense of Transmission Based Precautions	Ms Helen Murphy & Ms Barbara Slevin Infection Prevention & Control Lead Nurse , National AMRIC Team, HPSC + Infection Prevention & Control (ADON), University Hospital Limerick
15.30-15.45	So what have you learnt so far?	Ms Helen Murphy & Ms Barbara Slevin
15.45-16.00	Panel Discussion	
16.00	Close	

Theme: *Lessons from the frontline*

Monday 9th September 2019

Morning chair: Ms Josephine Galway

Afternoon chair: Prof Hilary Humphreys

Time	Topic	Speaker
09.00-09.10	Introduction	
09.00-09.30	What our Patients and Hospitals Look Like Results from PPS2017	Dr Karen Burns, Consultant Clinical Microbiologist, Beaumont Hospital & National AMRIC Team, HPSC
09.30-10.00	Outbreak	Ms Tracy Doherty Infection Prevention & Control Nurse Department of Public Health, HSE, North East
10.00-10.30	"Its not what you say, its how you say it"	Ms Judith Davitt Infection Prevention and Control (ADON) SAOLTA Group University Hospital Galway
10.30-10.45	Panel Discussion	
10.45-11.15	Coffee	
11.15-11.45	If You Can't Measure It, You Can't Manage It- Audits, Checklists & Care Bundles	Ms Joanne Flanagan Infection Prevention and Control Nurse Specialist Blackrock Clinic
11.45-12.15	"Seek and you Shall Find-" Lessons from a NICU Outbreak	Dr Joanne O' Gorman Consultant Clinical Microbiologist, The Rotunda Hospital & National AMRIC Team, HPSC
12.15-12.45	Wound Care- Complex Surgical Wounds- Prevention and Management.	Professor Zena Moore Professor & Head of the School of Nursing & Midwifery Royal College of Surgeons of Ireland
12.45-13.00	Panel Discussion	
13.00-13.45	Lunch	
13.45-14.30	Role of the Environment and HCAI's.	Prof Hilary Humphreys Professor of Clinical Microbiology, Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland & Consultant Microbiologist, Beaumont Hospital
14.30-15.15	Invasive and Non-Invasive Medical Equipment-That is the question!	Ms Alison Maguinness, Infection Prevention and Control, CNM3, St Michaels Hospital
15.15-15:45	<i>C. difficile</i> - A Hardy Foe	Dr Sinead Mc Nicholas, Consultant Clinical Microbiologist, St Vincent's University Hospital
15.45-16.00	Panel Discussion	
16.00	Close	

Theme: *Empowerment*

Tuesday 10th September 2019

Morning chair: Dr Joanne O Gorman Afternoon chair: Ms Helen Murphy

Time	Topic	Speaker
09.00-09.05	Introduction	
09.00-09.30	Protect Yourself, Protect Your Patients	Dr Grainne McNally Occupational Health Physician, Occupational Health Department, University Hospital, Limerick
09.30-10.00	Vaccination- <i>let's be advocates</i>	Dr Fiona Ryan Specialist Public Health Medicine, Department of Public Health, HSE South
10.00-10.25	Return of the Rash	Dr Joanne O'Gorman Consultant Clinical Microbiologist, The Rotunda Hospital & National AMRIC Team, HPSC
10.25-10.45	Shot on the Spot by the Flu Crew	Ms Maria Greene Virology Coordinator, Beaumont Hospital
10.45-11.00	Panel Discussion	
11.00-11.30	Coffee	
11.30-11.55	Antimicrobial Stewardship & the Role Nurses can Play	Dr Karen Burns Consultant Clinical Microbiologist, Beaumont & National AMRIC Team, HPSC
11.55-12.20	Back to Basics	Ms Anne Dempsey, Clinical Practice Support Nurse, Beacon Hospital
12.20-12.45	Infection Prevention and Control-Looking to the future	Ms Josephine Galway, Director of Nursing, National AMRIC Team
12.45-13.00	Panel Discussion	
13.00-13.45	Lunch	
13.45-14.15	Tools to Win Hearts and Minds	Mr Paul Rafferty Quality Improvement Coach
14.15-15.10	From Butterflies to Hurricanes	Dr Robert Cunney, Consultant Clinical Microbiologist /QI Clinical Lead Childrens University Hospital, Temple Street
15.10-15.30	Improving Patient Care by Using QIPs	Ms Catherine Garry, Data Analyst, Quality Department Beacon Hospital
15.30-15.45	Panel Discussion	
15.45	Close	