

# Northern Ireland Transfusion Committee Conference

15th November 2024

Hilton Hotel, Lanyon Place, Belfast

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| 08:30 - 09:15 | Registration                                                                              |                                           |
| 09:15 - 09:30 | Welcome and Housekeeping                                                                  | Dr David Millar                           |
|               | <b>Session 1: Infected Blood Inquiry</b>                                                  | <b>Dr Damien Carson (Chair)</b>           |
| 09:30 - 09:50 | The Infected Blood Inquiry in Northern Ireland                                            | Dr Allameddine Allameddine                |
| 09:50 - 10:10 | Experience from infected blood product inquiries in Ireland                               | Joanne Scanlon                            |
| 10:10 - 10:30 | Consent following the infected blood inquiry and NI consent for transfusion audit results | Zona Kelly                                |
| 10:30 - 10:40 | Panel Q&A                                                                                 | All                                       |
| 10:40 - 11:10 | Break & Poster viewing                                                                    |                                           |
|               | <b>Session 2: Digitalisation</b>                                                          | <b>Dr David Millar (Chair)</b>            |
| 11:10 - 11:30 | Current overview of ENCOMPASS, LIMS and the BPAT digital systems                          | Sinead Carty                              |
| 11:30 - 11:50 | Optimising Blood Bank Operations: Royal Sultan Hospital's IT System                       | Ahlam Al-Adawi                            |
| 11:50 - 12:10 | Auditing, Dashboards and Reporting in Encompass - Pearls and Pitfalls                     | Dr Damien Carson                          |
| 12:10 - 12:30 | Educational developments for transfusion in Northern Ireland                              | Denise Mckeown                            |
| 12:30 - 12:40 | Panel Q&A                                                                                 | All                                       |
| 12:40 - 13:30 | Lunch & Poster viewing                                                                    |                                           |
|               | <b>Session 3: Component Use</b>                                                           | <b>Dr Allameddine Allameddine (Chair)</b> |
| 13:30 - 13:50 | Atkinson Award Winner Prize Presentation                                                  | Dr Susan Atkinson                         |
| 13:50 - 14:10 | Supply and demand, component journeys from NIBTS to Trusts and their wastage              | Barbara Mullin                            |
| 14:10 - 14:30 | Using O Positive Red Cells for males and women of non-child bearing age                   | Dr Kathryn Maguire                        |
| 14:30 - 14:50 | O Rhesus D Negative reduction in use, from a Laboratory perspective                       | Mark Kerr                                 |
| 14:50 - 15:00 | Panel Q&A                                                                                 | All                                       |
| 15:00 - 15:10 | Break                                                                                     |                                           |
|               | <b>Session 4: Paediatrics</b>                                                             | <b>Denise Mckeown (Chair)</b>             |
| 15:10 - 15:30 | Local and community transfusion challenges in Northern Ireland (SHOT Highlights)          | Lois Neil                                 |
| 15:30 - 15:50 | Anaemia in children                                                                       | Dr Bethany Mitchell                       |
| 15:50 - 16:10 | Neonatal challenges in transfusion                                                        | Dr David Millar                           |
| 16:10 - 16:30 | Battery Button Girl - Case Study from Great Ormond Street Hospital                        | Rachel Moss                               |
| 16:30 - 16:40 | Panel Q&A                                                                                 | All                                       |
| 16:40 - 16:50 | Close of Conference                                                                       | Dr David Millar                           |