

Northern Ireland Transfusion Committee

2025 Conference

08:15 - 09:00

Registration

09:00 - 09:10

Welcome and Housekeeping

Dr David Millar

Session 1: Insights: SHOT & MHRA

09:10 - 10:10

Overview of 2024 Annual Serious Hazards Of Transfusion (SHOT) Report
*(Including errors and near misses, reactions,
and examples of excellence.)*

Emma Milser
Nikki Swarbrick
Claire Wroe

10:10 - 10:30

Medicines and Healthcare products Regulatory Agency (MHRA) - Q and A

Mike Dawe

10:30 - 10:40

Panel Questions and Answers

Panel

10:40 - 11:00

Poster Presentations

Summaries from poster applications

11:00 - 11:30

Break & Poster viewing

Session 2: Overcoming Transfusion Challenges

11:30 - 11:50

EPIC: Challenges faced on the floor

Denise McKeown

11:50 - 12:10

Cyber attack

James Davis

12:10 - 12:30

Helicopter Emergency Medical Service (HEMS)

Dr Aiden Cullen

12:30 - 12:40

Panel Questions and Answers

Panel

12:40 - 13:30

Lunch & Poster viewing**

Session 3: Shaping the future - strategy, data and standards

13:30 - 13:45

Atkinson Award

Presented by Dr Susan Atkinson

13:45 - 14:05

2025 NI Transfusion Strategy

Dr Allameddine Allameddine

14:05 - 14:25

2025 Platelet Audit Report: Key Findings & Actions

Dr Damien Carson

14:25 - 14:45

Overview of the new SHOT Transfusion Safety Standards and relevant resources

Emma Milser
Nikki Swarbrick

14:45 - 14:55

Panel Questions and Answers

Panel

14:55 - 15:10

Break

Session 4: Donors don't grow on trees

15:10 - 15:30

Donor engagement

Máirtín Mac Gabhann

15:30 - 15:50

Northern Ireland Pre amber alert - lessons learnt

Dr David Millar

15:50 - 16:10

England Amber alert - dealing with blood shortages

Rachel Moss

16:10 - 16:20

Panel Questions and Answers

Panel

16:20 - 16:30

Close of Conference

Dr David Millar