The Great North Paediatric Conference
Thursday 22nd, Friday 23rd and Saturday 24th September 2016
Civic Centre, Newcastle upon Tyne and The Great North Children’s Hospital (GNCH), Royal Victoria Infirmary

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

Day 1—Thursday 22 September 2016

0830-0915 Registration, tea and coffee
0915-0930 Welcome and introduction

0930-1015 - PLENARY
Professor Sir Alan Craft
Consultant Paediatrician
  • A reflection on paediatrics in the North of England

1015-1045 TEA AND COFFEE BREAK

1045-1130 LECTURE
Professor Janet Eyre
Consultant Neurologist
  • Plasticity in the corticospinal tract and how that relates to the interventions for cerebral palsy

1130-1215 - Genetics
Dr Michael Wright
Consultant Clinical Geneticist
  • Advances in genetic diagnostics: bringing clarity or confusion?

1130-1215 - Flash Rapid Learning Session
Dr Tim Cheetham
Consultant Endocrinologist
  • Short stature—what’s new?

1145-1215 - Psychiatry
Dr Ginny Birrell
Consultant Paediatrician
  • Junior Marsipan for eating disorders

1215-1315 LUNCH

1315-1345 - Surgery
Mr Bruce Jaffray
Consultant Paediatric Surgeon
  • Bayes, sex and appendicitis
1315-1400
Dr Venkateswaran Ramesh and Dr Paul McArdle
Consultant Paediatric Neurologist and
Consultant Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist
- Managing functional disorders in children and adolescents; a pragmatic approach

1445-1515
TEA AND COFFEE BREAK

1515-1600
Professor Allan Colver
- What we have learned about cerebral palsy and the lives of children with cerebral palsy from the North of England register

1600-1645 - PLENARY
Dr Bobby McFarland
Consultant Paediatric Neurologist
- A journey through Mitochondrial disorders
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Day 2—Friday 23 September 2016

0830-0915  Registration, tea and coffee
0915-0930  Welcome and introduction

0930-1015 - PLENARY
Oncology
Dr Quentin Campbell-Hewson
  Oncology

1015-1045  TEA AND COFFEE BREAK

1045-1130 - LECTURE
Ophthalmology
Mr Michael Clarke
Consultant Paediatric Ophthalmologist
  Visual impairment in children—from lazy eyes to lazy brain

1130-1215 - LECTURE
Renal
Dr Sally Johnson
Consultant Paediatric Nephrologist
  Complement and the Kidney – a tale of transformation from Newcastle

1215-1315  LUNCH

1315-1400 - LECTURE
Respiratory
Dr Matthew Thomas
Consultant Respiratory Paediatrician
  Pneumonia and empyema - new thinking

1315-1345 - FLASH RAPID LEARNING SESSION
Haematology
Dr Tina Biss
Consultant Haematologist
  Management of thrombosis in children

1015-1045 - FLASH RAPID LEARNING SESSION
Urology
Mr Milan Gopal
Consultant Paediatric Urologist
  Diagnosis and management of the child with daytime urinary incontinence

1115-1145 - Renal
Dr Vincent Tse
Consultant Nephrologist
  “Nephrotic syndrome - acute management and stopping relapses”
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Day 3—Saturday 24 September 2016

0830-0915  Registration, tea and coffee
0915-0930  Welcome and introduction

0930-1015 - PLENARY
Dr Caroline Grayson
Consultant Paediatrician and Named Doctor for Child Protection
- Safeguarding in the 21st century from Climbie to CSE……. What have we learnt?

1015-1045  TEA AND COFFEE BREAK

1045-1130 - LECTURE
1045-1110 - Looked After Children
Dr Alison Steel and Dr Raghu Lingam
Consultant Paediatrician/Designated Doctor for Child Protection and Consultant Paediatrician
- Clinical outcomes and intervention for looked after children and care leavers

1045-1115 - FLASH RAPID LEARNING SESSION
1045-1115 - Haematology
Dr John Hanley
Consultant Haematologist
- Excluding bleeding disorders in suspected non-accidental injury

1115-1145
Dr Kim Barrett
Consultant Forensic Paediatrician
- Female genital mutilation and sexual exploitation

1130 - 1200 Learning disability
Dominic Slowie
- Improving health outcomes for a child or young person with a learning disability

1200 -1230 - Radiology
Dr Alan Sprigg (Guest Speaker)
Consultant Radiologist
- The radiology of skeletal injuries in inflicted trauma

12.30 - 13.30  LUNCH
13.30 - 1415 - **Radiology and Ophthalmology**

**Dr Alan Sprigg** (Guest Speaker) and **Mr Michael Clarke**
Consultant Radiologist and Consultant Ophthalmologist
- Non-accidental head injury….. ask the experts!

1415 - 1500 - **Legal**

**Dr Camille Lazaro and Judge Judy Moir**
- Children’s testimony past and present. Is the Law listening today?
- Children’s evidence past and present etc.