

South East Healthcare Science Conference 2024

Conference Theme: **Building and retaining the skilled workforce**

9th September 2024, 0900-1630

The Historic Dockyard Chatham, Main Gate Rd, Chatham ME4 4TZ

Morning

Timings	Session
Welcome and Keynote Speakers	
Chair: TBC	
0900-0925	Arrival, registration and making connections Tea, coffee and pastries
0925-0935	Introduction and orientation to the day Mark Knight, Chief Healthcare Scientist, NHS Kent and Medway ICB
0935-1005	Welcome and Opening Address Dr Vicki Chalker, Deputy Chief Scientific Officer for NHS England
1005-1010	Video Conference Message Professor Dame Sue Hill, Chief Scientific Officer for England
1010-1035	Healthcare Science: The Unexpected Journey Professor Elaine Cloutman-Green, Joint Trust Lead Healthcare Scientist, Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children NHS Foundation Trust
1035-1100	Integration of Healthcare Science Professionals into Clinical Pathways Dr Kate Langford, Chief Medical Officer, NHS Kent and Medway ICB
1100 – 1120	Break
Artificial Intelligence Session	
Chair: TBC	
1120-1140	Health Equity in AI Enabled Medical Devices Professor David Leslie, Director of Ethics and Responsible Innovation Research, The Alan Turing Institute
1140 - 1200	AI in Radiotherapy Clinical Practice Dr Dualta McQuaid, Head of Treatment Planning, Radiotherapy Physics, Royal Surrey County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
1200-1230	Panel Discussion: Ethical considerations for the adoption of AI in clinical pathways Chaired by Professor David Leslie, plus panellists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Dualta McQuaid • Dr Ritchie Chalmers, Chief of Service for Core Clinical Services, Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust and Deputy Chief Medical Officer, Secondary Care, NHS Kent and Medway ICB • Melissa Ream, Health Innovation Kent Surrey Sussex
1230 – 1345	Lunch and making connections Optional complimentary tours of HM Submarine Ocelot

Afternoon

Timings	Session
Plenary Session: Accreditation of Healthcare Science Services	
Chair: Puja Patel, HIOW ICB Healthcare Scientist Workforce Lead, Hampshire and Isle of Wight Integrated Care Board	
1345 – 1500	<p>Part 1: Speakers on accreditation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alyson Bryant, Accreditation Specialist, United Kingdom Accreditation Service (UKAS) • Dr Magella M. Neveu, Lead Healthcare Scientist, Electrophysiology Department, Moorfields Eye Hospital NHS Foundation Trust • Alice Wintergold, Lead Healthcare Scientist, Head of Service; and Hannah Griffiths, Principal Clinical Scientist, Quality Manager Chailey Rehabilitation Engineering Service and Chailey Clinical Services, Sussex Community NHS Foundation Trust <p>Part 2: Panel Q&A session</p>
1500 – 1515	Break
Plenary Session: Retention of Staff in Healthcare Science Professions	
Chair: Stacy Gough, Chief of Healthcare Professions, Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust	
1515 - 1630	<p>Part 1: Speakers on innovations in staff retention:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sian Sallis, Workforce Supply Manager, Workforce, Training & Education Directorate, NHS England – South East • Sam Elliott-Olechnowicz, Senior Charge Nurse/Educator Project Lead for International AHP Recruitment, University Hospitals Sussex NHS Foundation Trust <p>Part 2: Workshop session facilitated by Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust</p>
1625 - 1630	<p>Closing Remarks Katy Heaney, Chief Healthcare Scientist, Frimley Health NHS Foundation Trust</p>
1630	Conference close
1630 - 1730	Optional complimentary Hidden Heroines tours

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