

## Clinical Biochemistry

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Draft Programme for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual

# Pre/Post-Analytics in Laboratory Medicine (P.A.L.M.) Study Day

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2019

Trinity Lecture Theatre, Trinity Centre for Health Sciences, Tallaght University Hospital

- 09:15 – 09:40      **Registration - Breakfast, Tea and Coffee**
- 09:45      **Morning Session**  
Chair: Dr Gerard Boran, Consultant Chemical Pathologist, Tallaght University Hospital  
Discussant: Professor Martin Crook, Visiting Professor in Clinical Biochemistry, TCD
- 09:45 – 09:55      **Introduction to the PALMSoc**  
Dr Ann Leonard, Chief Medical Scientist, Tallaght University Hospital
- 09:55 – 10:40      **Pre-analytical challenges in Laboratory Automation**  
Dr Mads Nybo, Clinical Biochemistry and Pharmacology, Odense University Hospital  
President Danish Society of Thrombosis & Hemostasis, Chair Nordic Pre-analytical Working Group,  
Member EFLM WG-PRE
- 10:40 – 10:50      **Debbie and Yvonne's Sixty Second Quiz**
- 10:50 – 11:30      **Break- Have a go at Phlebotomy!**  
Ms Deborah Ennis, Phlebotomy Manager, TUH, Ms Clodagh Mc Loughlin, CLD, TUH
- 11:30 – 11:45      **A Turn around for the Emergency Department**  
Ms Nigel Kyle, CNMII, Emergency Dept., Tallaght University Hospital  
Mr Robert Cannon, CNMI, Emergency Dept., Tallaght University Hospital  
Ms Lorraine Mc Mahon, Chief Medical Scientist, Haematology Department, Tallaght University Hospital
- 11:45 – 12:30      **Sample Stability**  
Dr Michael Cornes, Consultant Clinical Scientist, Biochemistry Department, Worcestershire  
President of ACB Pre-analytical Phase Working group, Member EFLM WG-PRE
- 12:30 – 12:45      **Not the request form again!**  
Ms Sarah Hickey, Senior Medical Scientist, Cellular Pathology department, Tallaght University Hospital
- 12:45 – 13:45      **Lunch- Poster review**
- 13:45      **Afternoon Session**  
Chair: Professor Patrick Twomey, Consultant Chemical Pathologist, St Vincent's Hospital, Dublin.  
Discussant: Professor Martin Crook, Visiting Professor in Clinical Biochemistry, TCD
- 13:45 – 14:05      **Let's dip our toe in the other end!**  
Dr Rama Srinivasan, Consultant Chemical Pathologist, Blackrock Clinic, Bon Secours Hospital, Dublin.  
Ms Fionnuala O' Dwyer, Quality Manager, Tallaght University Hospital
- 14:05 – 14:20      **Update on the National Pathology Programme**  
Dr Mary Keogan, Pathology Lead, National Pathology Programme
- 14:20 – 14:30      **Interactive discussion on post analytical issues? Have your say!**
- 14:40 – 15:00      **Update from the Celtic Ranges project - Irish paediatric laboratory medicine reference ranges**  
Dr Gerard Boran, Consultant Chemical Pathologist, Tallaght University Hospital

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15:00 – 16:00

### Interactive Pre/Post-analytical cases

‘Out and About and among the people’ – Ms. Carolyn Holt, University Hospital Limerick

‘Reading your PALM data.... What does the future hold?’ – Ms. Denise O’Toole, Children’s University Hospital, Temple Street

‘What’s the point and who cares?’ Ms. Felicity Dempsey, POCT Consultant

‘Reviewing tests results- Why Bother?’- Dr Ana Rakovac, Tallaght University Hospital

16:00

### Close of meeting

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