



# Haematology Association of Ireland Nurses & AHP Group

Spring Conference - Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2011  
Hilton Hotel, Kilmainham, Dublin

## Programme

- 09.00-09.45 Registration and Coffee – Meet the Sponsors**
- 09.45-10.15 Cord blood transplantation**  
Mairead Ni Chonghaile, BMT Co-Ordinator, St James's Hospital
- 10.15-10.45 Safe administration of cytotoxics – protecting our nurses - The Sligo experience**  
Bernie O' Donnell  
CNM2 Haematology/Oncology Day unit, Sligo General Hospital
- 10.45-11.15 Tea and Coffee – Meet the Sponsors**
- 11.15-11.45 Hodgkin's Lymphoma**  
Dr Damian Finnegan, Consultant Haematologist, Altnagelvin Area Hospital, Derry
- 11.45-12.15 Impact of chemotherapy induced hair loss**  
Sinead Power, Lecturer, Cork University
- 12.15-12.45 Novel agents in haematology**  
Fionnuala King, Chemotherapy Pharmacist  
St James's Hospital, Dublin
- 12.45-13.00 Ethiopia experience**  
Olivia Grady, Clinical Nurse Specialist, Sligo General Hospital
- 13.00-14.00 Lunch**
- 14.00-14.30 Paediatric /Adolescent AML**  
Dr Aengus O'Marcaigh, Consultant Haematologist  
Our Lady's Children's Hospital, Crumlin, Dublin
- 14.30-15.00 Congenital coagulation disorders**  
Dr Gary Benson, Clinical Director, Northern Ireland Haemophilia Comprehensive Care Centre and Thrombosis Unit
- 15.00-15.30 Management of the haematology patient receiving radiotherapy**  
Kay Leonard, Advanced Nurse Practitioner Candidate,  
St Luke's Radiation Oncology Network
- 15.30-15.50 Patient experience of NHL**  
Dr John Curran  
Patient representative, Northern Ireland Cancer Network
- 16.00 Closing remarks**