



**PERINATAL MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES:
IMPROVING QUALITY TODAY, AND TOMORROW**

FRIDAY 7th MAY 2010

**Main Lecture Theatre, Education Centre, Adelaide & Meath Hospital
incorporating the National Children's Hospital, Tallaght, Dublin 24**

TO REGISTER, contact Psychological Medicine Service, AMNCH, Tallaght, Dublin 24.
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Registration fee (includes lunch) €50 in advance. €75 on day.
CPD / ABA approval applied for.

- 9.10 **Welcome: setting the scene** **Professor Kevin Conlon** CEO Designate, AMNCH
- 9.20 **Opening remarks** **Dr Ian Daly** Exec. Clinical Director, Mental Health, HSE/DML

SESSION 1: WHAT DO WE KNOW ABOUT PERINATAL MENTAL HEALTH?

Chair: Professor Joe Barry
Department of Public Health and Primary Care, TCD

- 9.30 **KEYNOTE ADDRESS: Dr Margaret Oates OBE**
East Midlands Perinatal Mental Health Clinical Network

**Learning from experience: the Centre for Maternal and Child
Enquiries (CMACE), and service development**

- 10.10 **The women and infants we meet**
Professor Deirdre Murphy Consultant Obstetrician, CWIUH / TCD
Dr Joanne Fenton Consultant Perinatal Psychiatrist, CWIUH / HSE

Tea 11-11.30am *****

SESSION 2: ROTHAMÓR AN tSAOIL (the Great Wheel of Life):

Chair: Dr Emma Curtis

Medical Director, National Paediatric Hospital Development Board

11.30 When does depression start?

Professor Veronica O'Keane Clinical Professor of Psychiatry, TCD

12.05 Perinatal influences on child development: long term risks and opportunities

Professor Jonathan Hill

Professor of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry, University of Manchester, Honorary Consultant Central Manchester Foundation Trust and The Tavistock and Portman NHS Foundation Trust, London.

12.40 Children and depression

Professor Fiona McNicholas

Professor of Child & Adolescent Psychiatry, UCD, Consultant OLHSC, Crumlin / Lucena Clinic

Lunch and poster presentations, 1-2pm

SESSION 3: PRACTICAL POT-POURRI:

UPDATE ON COMMON CLINICAL PROBLEMS

Chair: Professor Fergus O'Kelly

Rialto Medical Centre, Dublin

2.00 Problem drinking

Dr Aoife Mullally Research Fellow TCD/CWIUH

2.10 Substance misuse

Ms Deirdre Carmody Drug Liaison Midwife HSE / CWIUH

2.20 Psychotropic prescribing

Mr Brian Cleary HRB PhD Scholar TCD/RCSI/CWIUH

2.30 The Clinical Midwife Specialist

Ms Margaret Sheridan Clinical Midwife Specialist, Rotunda Hospital

TOWARDS VISION FOR CARE:

Chair: Mr Martin Rogan

Assistant National Director for Mental Health, HSE

2. 40 Extending the reach of community services

Dr Yolande Ferguson Consultant Psychiatrist, HSE / AMNCH

Mr Francis Chance Assistant Director of Children's Services, Barnardos

3.30 Keeping the conversation going..

Ms Shona Hamilton NI Board Chairman, Royal College of Midwives

3.50 Closing remarks

Dr Chris Fitzpatrick Master / CEO, CWIUH

Mr Gerry O'Dwyer Regional Director of Operations, HSE / DML