



Morning Agenda

08:45 – 09:00 *Registration, refreshments, exhibits & networking*

CONFERENCE START

09:00 – 09:15 **Welcome**

Jacqueline Johnson North and **Angela O’Connell** - GCSA and IAOCR Executive Team

09:15 – 09:45 **Clinical Trials Under the Global Spotlight - Pioneering Best Practice Standards**

Alistair Macdonald - Advisor to CEO, Syneos Health

09:45 – 10:15 **Re-Imagining Clinical Trials - Partnerships with Sites, Patient-Centricity and New Technologies**

Agnieszka Gackowska - Senior Director & Global Head - Site Solutions, Parexel

Dace Dimza-Jones - Industry Facilitator, NIHR Clinical Research Network Greater Manchester

10:15 - 10:45 **Recovery of NHS Capacity for Clinical Research**

Jayne Goodwin - National Head of Research Delivery for Health and Care Research Wales, NHS R&D Forum

10:45 – 11:00 *BREAK*

11:00 – 11:30 **Globally Promoting the UK’s Clinical Research Expertise**

Soraya Mitchard - Head of Life Sciences, Portfolio Delivery & Strategy Team,

Department of International Trade

Mohammed Isalm - Deputy Head of Healthcare - Healthcare UK, Department of International Trade

11:30 – 12:00 **Reducing Risk - Core Global Competencies for Clinical Trial Site Staff**

Dr Suki Balendra - Life Sciences Lead, Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust; LCRN North West London Core Team

Sarah Everitt - Vice President, Operations, IAOCR

Colette Donaghy - Accreditation Quality Manager, IAOCR

12:00 – 13:00 *LUNCH*

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Afternoon Agenda

PROCESS IMPROVEMENT

13:00 – 13:20 Valuing and Protecting the Clinical Trial Participant

(virtual presentation from Australia)

Janelle Bowden - Managing Director and Consultant, AccessCR

13:20 – 13:40 Improving Outcomes for Patients, Staff & the System

Steve Boam - CEO, Develop Consulting

13:40 – 14:00 Quality Assured Training for Clinical Trial Site Staff

Karen Cloete - Director, Task Academy

14:00 – 14:15 The Third Place - Improving Access, Choice and Equity in Clinical Trials:

Kristin Croucher - Vice President & Head of Clinical Operations (Europe), Lightship

14:15 – 14:30 BREAK

INDUSTRY INSIGHTS AND CASE STUDIES

14:30 – 14:55 GCSA: Pioneering a New Global Standard for Clinical Trial Sites

Angela O'Connell - Board Member GCSA and IAOCR

Gary Bradder - Managing Consultant, Develop Consulting

14:55 – 15:20 Working Example of Global Clinical Site Assessment in the NHS

Sunder Chita - Health Service Research Manager, London North West University Healthcare NHS Trust,
Trish Winn - Head of Nursing, Clinical Quality & Innovation, London North West University Healthcare NHS Trust,
Alan Warnes - Independent Clinical Research Consultant and GCSA Global Advisory Board Member.

15:20 – 15:45 Working Example of Global Clinical Site Assessment in Commercial Sites

Dr Emer MacSweeney - CEO & Medical Director, Re:Cognition Health

15:45 – 16:00 BREAK & Reflection Form & Orders for Drinks Reception

16:00 – 16:45 PANEL SESSION AND CLOSING REMARKS

Alistair Macdonald - Advisor to CEO, Syneos Health, **Agnieszka Gackowska** - Senior Director & Global Head, Site Solutions, Parexel, **Dace Dimza-Jones** - Industry Facilitator, NIHR Clinical Research Network Greater Manchester, **Dr Suki Balendra** - Life Sciences Lead, Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust; LCRN North West London Core Team, **Dr Emer MacSweeney** - CEO & Medical Director, Re:Cognition Health, **Jacqueline Johnson North** - CEO, IAOCR and Chair, GCSA

16:45 - 17:00 Wrap-up/close

17:00 - 18:00 DRINKS RECEPTION