

Association for Clinical Biochemistry NI Region and Association for Clinical Biochemistry in Ireland



Scientific Meeting
Friday 03rd April 2009



Radisson SAS Hotel, The Gasworks, Belfast

- 10.00 Registration and coffee
10.25 Opening remarks *Dr M Lynch, Chairperson ACBNI*

Morning Session Chair Dr Tim Lang

- 10.30 **Newborn Bloodspot Screening**
Mrs Hillary Leslie
- 11.00 **Screening in Familial Hypercholesterolaemia**
Dr Maurice O'Kane
- 11:40 **Bowel Cancer Screening a GB Perspective.**
Dr Steve Smith
- 12.20 **Screening Fail Safe Procedures**
Dr Rosemary Clarke
- 12:50 **Lunch**

Afternoon Session Chair Dr Michael Ryan

- 14.00 **Biochemical Detection of Pheochromocytoma : which test, which patient?**
Dr Robert Peaston
- 14.40 **Transcobalamin as a marker of B12 deficiency**
Professor John Scott
- 15.20 **How we can influence local Legislative Assemblies**
Mr Joe O'Meara
- 16.00 **Closing remarks** *Dr D McKillop, Meetings secretary ACBNI*
Tea Coffee

All Staff Welcome

Please register before 20 March 2009 by contacting:

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