

**Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh  
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**Thursday 11 October 2012**

# **Programme**

**Scottish Partnership for Palliative Care  
21st Anniversary Annual Conference**

## **Palliative Care: Population and people**

## **09.15 Registration Opens**

Refreshments and viewing of posters / displays

## **09.45 Welcome**

**Mark Hazelwood**, Director and **Kate Lennon**, Chair, Scottish Partnership for Palliative Care  
*Conference opening*

## **10.00 Imperfect ways to slice a cake**

**Dr Ros Beattie**, Consultant in Palliative Medicine

- ◇ *What are the different ways to ration health care?*
- ◇ *What ethical bases are provided for rationing?*
- ◇ *What are the implications for practitioners?*
- ◇ *Are there particular issues for palliative care in an age of austerity?*

## **10.45 People like us will become old and very frail**

**Prof Jane Seymour**, Sue Ryder Care Professor in Palliative and End of Life Studies, Nottingham University  
*We live in a time of epidemiological transition as people increasingly die in advanced old age with frailty but what precisely is frailty and what challenges does it present to our current modes of thinking and working in palliative care?*

## **11.30 Coffee / Tea Break**

Refreshments and viewing of posters / displays

## **12.00 People, symptoms, brains and quality of life**

**Prof Sam Ahmedzai**, Professor in Palliative Medicine, Sheffield University

*What do we think a symptom is, what does the science tell us about how to treat them and how can we tell if we are improving quality of life?*

## **12.45 Lunch & AGM**

Viewing of posters / displays

## 1.45 Breakout Sessions

### A. “A good knowledge of things past is an armour against events to come”

Eddie Small, Dundee University

*A historical and cultural perspective on death and dying in Scotland from 16-20th century.*

### B. Improving palliative care in acute hospitals - lessons from the Republic of Ireland

Kate Bree, National Network of Hospice Friendly Hospitals, Assistant Director of Nursing/Practice Development Nurse, Sligo General Hospital

*Overview of the Hospice Friendly Hospitals programme and addressing practical challenges to change in acute settings*

### C. ACP - time for the volunteers?

Prof Jane Seymour, Sue Ryder Care Professor in Palliative and End of Life Studies, Nottingham University

*Findings of recent research about the perspectives of volunteer peer educators in Advance Care Planning*

### D. Non-malignant Palliative Care- Easy to say, harder to do - Palliative care in non-malignant conditions

Facilitated by members of the Non-malignant Palliative care Scotland Respiratory, Cardiac & Stroke Group (NPSRCS)

*Using case studies, this session will highlight some of the hurdles faced in non-malignant palliative care from people who work on the front line. Through sharing best practice, this session will bring people centred solutions to the real obstacles encountered.*

## 2.45 Living and Dying Well - Four years on

Dr Elizabeth Ireland, National Clinical Lead for Palliative Care

*An interactive and case-study-based exploration. Where have we got to and what are the future opportunities for palliative care improvement in Scotland?*

## 3.20 Ready for tough times?

Rev Dr Ewan Kelly, Programme Director for Healthcare Chaplaincy and Spiritual Care

*How can the spiritual care for staff and organisational spirituality build resilience to deliver patient and family care (in context of financial pressures and growing demands).*

## 4.05 Film premiere “At home with Illness” and brief update on Good Life, Good Death, Good Grief

Kate Lennon, Chair of Good Life, Good Death, Good Grief

*People with advanced disease and their families talk about things which matter to them in the new film from Good Life, Good Death, Good Grief, the alliance to promote more openness about death, dying and bereavement*

## 4.30 Close

*The conference is being sponsored by Pharmaceutical companies  
who will be present on the day with exhibition stands*

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