Irish Haemophilia Society

OCTOBER CONFERENCE 2019

October 18 - 20 2019 I Shearwater Hotel, Ballinasloe

Adult Programme

Friday October 18th

17.30 - 19.00 Registration **(Pre-Conference Area - Plaza 3)**
19.00 - 20.00 Dinner **(Plaza 1 + 2)**

Saturday October 19th

9.30 - 10.00 Registration **(Pre-Conference Area - Plaza 3)**
10.00 - 11.00 Debate: Gene Therapy for Haemophilia, do the Benefits Outweigh the Risks? **(Plaza 1)**
Agree: Mr. Matthew McCabe, Board Member, I.H.S.
Disagree: Mr. Seamus McDonald, Board Member, I.H.S.
Moderator: Mr. John Stack, Chairperson, I.H.S.
11.00 - 11.30 **Coffee Break (Plaza 3)**
11.30 - 12.30 Leading The Way, Where We Stand In Europe? (Plaza 1)
Speaker: Mr. Brian O'Mahony, Chief Executive, I.H.S.
Chair: Mr. Matthew McCabe, Board Member, I.H.S..
12.30 - 13.30 **Lunch (Plaza 2)**
13.30 - 14.45 Life Expectations **(Plaza 1)**
This will be an interactive session whereby members will be split up into various discussion groups. I.H.S. staff will facilitate this session.
14.45 - 15.15 **Coffee Break (Plaza 3)**
15.15 - 17.00 New Developments: Lighthouse Project Update & Emicizumab Update **(Plaza 1)**
Chair: Mr. Brian O'Mahony, Chief Executive, I.H.S.
Speaker: Dr. Niamh O'Connell, National Director, National Coagulation Centre
17.00 - 19.00 **Family Time**
19.15 Dinner Followed by Entertainment for the Childern **(Plaza 1 + 2)**

Sunday October 20th

10.00 - 11.00 Lifestyle Management **(Plaza 1)**
Facilitator: Mr. Jay Mulligan
11.00 - 11.30 **Coffee Break (Plaza 3)**
11.30 - 13.00 Yoga **(Plaza 1 + 2)**
Facilitator: Ms. Mel Taylor | Group 1: Beginners Yoga & Group 2: Chair Yoga
13.00 - 14.00 Sunday Lunch Carvery **(Marina Restaurant / Plaza 3)**