



Medication Safety Crossing the Chasm Between Hospital and Home

Clinical Indemnity Scheme Medication Safety Seminar
November 8th 2007
Alexander Hotel, Dublin

Programme

- 08:30 - 09:20 Registration and Refreshments
- 09:20 - 09:30 Welcome and Introduction
Dr. Ailis Quinlan.
Head of the Clinical Indemnity Scheme
- Session 1:**
- Chair:** **Mr. Tim Delaney**
Chief Pharmacist, The Adelaide & Meath Hospital, incorporating The National Children's Hospital, Tallaght
- 09:30 – 10:10 "Medication safety - we know what to do, we just need to do it."
Dr. Michael R. Cohen
President, Institute for Safe Medication Practices
- 10:10 – 10:50 "Closing the Gaps on Medication Discrepancy between Levels of Care: A priority for Medication Safety"
(*Medicines Reconciliation*)
Mr. David U
President & CEO, Institute for Safe Medication Practices Canada
- 10:50 – 11:20 Refreshments
- Session 2:**
- Chair:** **Dr. Ambrose McLoughlin**
Registrar, Pharmaceutical Society of Ireland
- 11:20 – 12:00 "Actions that can make the use of anticoagulants safer"
Prof. David Cousins
Head of Safe Medication Practice, National Patient Safety Agency
- 12:00 – 12:30 "Seamless management and targeted feedback achieving results"
Ms. Geraldine Colohan
Chief Pharmacist, Portiuncula Hospital, Ballinasloe, Co. Galway
- 12:30 – 13:00 "Quality of medication documentation imparted at acute hospital discharge - assessment of service needs"
Ms. Tamasine Grimes

Research Pharmacist, The Adelaide & Meath Hospital, incorporating
The National Children's Hospital, Tallaght

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

Session 3:

Chair:

Ms. Kathleen Walsh

Project Officer, An Bord Altranais

14:00 – 14:40

“Hospital to Home; the Challenge for Community Pharmacy”

Mr. Rónan Quirke

Community Pharmacist, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary

14:40 – 15:10

“The GP-hospital interface: a weak link in the prescribing chain?”

Prof. Colin Bradley

Professor of General Practice, University College Cork

15:10 – 15:50

“Nurse and Midwife Prescribing in Ireland”

Ms. Elizabeth Adams

Director of Nursing and Midwifery (prescribing),
Office of the Nursing Services Director,
Health Service Executive

15:50 – 16:20

Panel Discussion and Questions

16:20 – 16:30

Closing remarks

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