ALL IRELAND CRITICAL CARE NURSING CONFERENCE 2018

Thursday, 26th April 2018
Radisson Blu Royal Hotel, Dublin

Programme
Welcome

The NI regional committee of the BACCN and the IACCN are delighted to welcome you to the inaugural conference on Critical Care Nursing in Ireland. An enormous amount of work has gone into organising this day and we would like to thank all members of the organising team for their diligence and hard work.

It will be a great day and we are delighted to have such a diverse range of speakers from across the island of Ireland here to share their knowledge with us all.

We would like to thank all of our partners from the Healthcare Corporate World, and acknowledge that without their support, this day would not be possible.

Finally, we would like to thank you, the delegates for your on-going support and attendance. Our next All Ireland Conference will be in the Northern Ireland in 2020 and we look forward to seeing you there.

Enjoy the day and please come and say hello.

Lorraine Bell
Chairperson, NI Regional Committee BACCN

Derek Cribbin
Chairperson, IACCN

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About the Irish Association of Critical Care Nurses

The Irish Association of Critical Care Nurses is a voice for excellence in Irish critical care nursing where the integral role of the specialist intensive care nurse is acknowledged, valued and at the forefront of healthcare provision and governance.

The association was set up in September 1986 by a group of nurses working in critical care areas to meet with the educational needs of critical care nurses at that time. They organised educational meetings, comprising of educational evenings, study days and an annual conference every year.

Today, members of the Executive committee, with help of regional representatives, strive to continue the work of our predecessors.

Aims and Objectives:
- To act as a national voice that is truly representative of all critical care nurses.
- To empower each critical care nurse to become a leader and advocate for critically ill patients and their families.
- To ensure critical care nurses are equipped with the requisite skills and knowledge to provide evidence-based, person-centred care for critically ill patients.
- To network and collaborate on behalf of critical care nurses through communication and co-ordination of critical care activities nationwide.
- Through enhancing the professional image of critical care nurses, the IACCN aims to have a positive influence on research, national health care policy development, the critical care programme and future critical care strategies.

About the British Association of Critical Care Nurses

The British Association of Critical Care Nurses is one of the leading non-profit organisations in critical care nursing.

The BACCN was established in 1985 and has grown and developed through the hard work and dedication of its members, regional committees and National Board.

The BACCN regions span Great Britain and Northern Ireland, providing one of the largest and most influential professional organisations within critical care.

Strategic Goals:
- collaborate with members through the National and Regional Boards
- collaborate with patient and relative representatives, health care providers, industry, other professional organisations and policy makers to influence the future development of critical care nursing
- promote, support and create evidence based practice to deliver safe, quality care
- produce a bi-monthly contemporary journal ‘Nursing in Critical Care’ to reflect the diverse needs of critical care nursing
- contribute to, develop and publish critical care nursing standards to promote safe, quality care
- support members through research and development scholarships
- support Continuous Professional Development through National and regional activities
- organise and deliver an annual high quality conference
- be a platform to discuss critical care nursing and provide a supportive network
- provide social networks to support communication and engagement strategies
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Programme & further details to follow
This inaugural conference is a collaboration between the Irish Association of Critical Care Nurses and the Northern Ireland Regional Committee of the British Association of Critical Care Nurses.

For more info or to register please contact info@iaccn.ie
Non-members €50/£45 Members €10/£10
Tea/Coffee & Lunch provided

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE:
A certificate of attendance will be provided on the day of the conference
0830-0930  Registration and Trade Stands (Tea & Coffee provided)

WELCOME 0930-0940  Mr Derek Cribbin, Chairperson IACCN

OPENING ADDRESS: 0940-1000  Dr Siobhan O’Halloran, Chief Nursing Officer, Republic of Ireland

SESSION ONE: Chairperson: Ms Lorraine Bell, Chairperson Northern Ireland Regional Committee BACCN
1000-1040  Keynote Address: Nurse Led Research & Collaboration in Critical Care across Borders
Professor Bronagh Blackwood, President of European Federation of Critical Care Nurses

1040-1110  REST Trial
Ms Jeanette Mills, Northern Ireland Critical Care Research Nurse, REST study coordinator

1110-1140  National Extracorporeal Life Support Service.....reaching across the border
Ms Serena O’Brien, ECLS Co-ordinator, Mater Misericordiae University Hospital Dublin
Ms Annie McLoughlin, CNM3 Cardiac Services, Our Lady’s Children’s Hospital Crumlin, Dublin

1140-1210  Morning coffee and Trade Stands

SESSION TWO: Chairperson: Ms Nicki Credland, Chairperson BACCN
1210-1240  1. Critical Care Outreach; identifying service need
Ms Lallymol Abraham, CNM Critical Care Outreach Audit, St. James Hospital, Dublin
2. Critical Care Outreach; meeting service need
Ms Christine Sheehan, ANP Critical Care Outreach, University Hospital Galway
Ms Siobhan Connors, CNM2 Emergency Response System, Tallaght Hospital, Dublin
3. Critical Care Outreach; an established service
Ms Lynda Purdy, Critical Care Outreach Specialist Nurse, Ulster Hospital, Dundonald
Ms Dawn-Marie Forrester, Critical Care Outreach Specialist Nurse, Royal Victoria Hospital Belfast

1240-1250  Critical Care Outreach; Q&A session

1250-1300  Standardised Critical Care Resuscitation Emergency Airway Management (SCREAM)
Ms Majella Dillon, Clinical Sister, Regional Intensive Care Unit, Royal Victoria Hospital, Belfast

1300-1400  Lunch and Trade Stands

SESSION THREE: Chairperson: Ms Mary Rose Curran, Vice Chair IACCN
1400-1430  ARDS; where are we now?
Dr Martin Duffy, Consultant Intensivist, Mater Hospital Belfast HSC Trust

1430-1500  End of Life Care
Ms Catherine Hyland, ICU Staff Nurse, Beaumont Hospital, Dublin

1500-1530  Long Term Ventilation & Complex Discharges
Ms Edina O’Driscoll, Programme Manager, National Clinical Programmes for Epilepsy, Neurology & Rehabilitation Medicine

1530-1600  Critical Care Cross-Border Collaboration: Panel Discussion:
Mr Damien McCallion, Director General CAWT; Ms Una Quill, Programme Manager, National Clinical Programmes in Critical Care & Anaesthesia; Dr Michael Power, National Clinical Lead, Critical Care Programme; Ms Brenda Creaney, Executive Director of Nursing and User Experience, Belfast Health & Social Care Trust

CLOSING ADDRESS:
1600-1620  Ms Brenda Creaney, Executive Director of Nursing and User Experience, Belfast Health & Social Care Trust
KEYNOTE SPEAKER:

Professor Bronagh Blackwood

My career has spanned 38 years and began in clinical practice as a registered general nurse and since then has taken many twists and turns. I worked clinically in Northern Ireland and Germany in critical care areas. Then I entered the clinical education and research field before eventually ending up at Queen's University Belfast as one of the founding members of staff in the School of Nursing and Midwifery in 1995. My PhD – a trial of protocolised weaning from mechanical ventilation in the intensive care unit (ICU) – was awarded by Kings College London in 2005. In 2012 I moved to the School of Medicine, Dentistry and Biomedical Sciences and I work in one of the research centres (Wellcome-Wolfson Institute for Experimental Medicine). In 2017 I received a personal Chair in Critical Care.

My research focuses on the translation of evidence into bed-side practice and specifically on the impact of mechanical ventilation and clinical interventions to improve outcomes for ICU patients. These include testing new interventions on optimising sedation and weaning from mechanical ventilation; preventing or managing delirium; and rehabilitation of ICU survivors. Encouraging the uptake of evidence-based practice is a major part of my work. This involves conducting and disseminating systematic review evidence through guideline development; and evaluating clinical trial implementation processes to ascertain acceptability and sustainability in practice. I served on the BACCN National Board for 8-years and in the EfCCNa for 15-years where I am currently serving as President.

STANDARDISED CRITICAL CARE RESUSCITATION EMERGENCY AIRWAY MANAGEMENT (SCREAM)

Chair: Ms Majella Dillon, Clinical Sister, Regional Intensive Care Unit (RICU) Belfast Hospital Trust, Belfast Northern Ireland

Facilitator: Dr Jennifer McGaughhey, Senior Lecturer, School of Nursing & Midwifery Queen's University Belfast

These two break-out sessions involve simulation scenarios to demonstrate difficult airway emergencies while encouraging delegates to participate and learn new skills. This is an ideal and safe environment to gain hands-on experience under expert guidance and supervision where there will be a focus on team resuscitation and human factors. Each simulation will be followed by a debrief session that will include delegate participation and interaction.

Sessions will run from 14.00-15.00 and 15.00-16.00hrs
Places are limited - sign up early at the registration desk on the day of the conference.
CALL FOR POSTERS:
The IACCN and Northern Ireland region of BACCN would like to invite nurses and other critical care practitioners to submit a poster for presentation at our All Ireland Critical Care Nursing Conference.

The conference will offer individual practitioners or groups the opportunity to present their research or practice development initiative to a group of peers. A prize will be awarded for best poster by a panel of experts on the day of the conference.
CONFERENCE SPONSORSHIP:
The IACCN and Northern Ireland region of BACCN committees would like to thank industry support for their kind contribution to the conference. We would encourage all delegates to visit the exhibition stands and meet the company representatives during the conference.