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2015

Ashling Hotel,
Dublin 8

IAPC Annual Conference 2015

Managing Complex Symptoms in Palliative Care

08.00 - 09.00	Registration / tea and coffee available	
09.15 - 09.30	Opening and Welcome	<i>Niamh Finucane, IAPC Chairperson, Co-Ordinator of Social Work and Bereavement Services, St Francis Hospice, Dublin</i>
09.30 - 09.45	Defining Complex Symptoms in Palliative Care	<i>Dr Paul Gregan, Consultant in Palliative Medicine, Blackrock Hospice and GP Private Practice, Dublin</i>
09.45 - 10.15	Managing Complex Symptoms in Children	<i>Dr Mary Devins, Consultant Paediatrician with a Special Interest in Paediatric Palliative Medicine, Our Lady's Children's Hospital, Dublin</i>
10.15 - 11.00	The Practical Management of Breathlessness	<i>Eimear McCormack, Palliative Care Clinical Nurse Specialist, In-Patient Unit, Our Lady's Hospice, Harold's Cross, Dublin Carol Reynolds, Occupational Therapist, Our Lady's Hospice, Harold's Cross, Dublin Siobhan Lawrence, Senior Physiotherapist Palliative Care, Our Lady's Hospice, Harold's Cross, Dublin</i>
11.00 - 11.30	Tea/Coffee Break	
11.30 - 12.00	Perspectives on Pain Management	<i>Prof Lasarina O'Connor, Professor Clinical Nursing; Joint Clinical Chair; UCD School of Nursing Midwifery & Health Systems and Lead Co-ordinator Pain Programs and Diabetes Care; Head of Subject of Chronic Care Nursing, UCD</i>
12.00 - 12.30	Pharmacological Approaches to Complex Pain Management	<i>Dr Brian Creedon, Consultant in Palliative Medicine, Regional Lead, HSE South</i>
12.30 - 13.15	Coping with Spiritual Pain	<i>Rev. Daniel Nuzum, Pastoral Care, Marymount University Hospital and Hospice and Cork University Hospital</i>
13.15 - 13.20	EAPC World Research Congress 2016	<i>Olwyn Ryan, Chairperson of the Local Organising Committee</i>
13.20 - 13.30	AIHPC Palliative Hub	<i>AIHPC</i>
13.30 - 14.30	Lunch	
14.30 - 15.15	Palliative Care needs of people with Dementia	<i>Deirdre Shanagher, Development Officer Sarah Cronin, Dementia Development Officer, Irish Hospice Foundation</i>
15.15 - 15.45	Communication with Family and Carers	<i>Aileen Mulvihill, Senior Medical Social Worker, Palliative Care Roscommon</i>
15.45 - 16.15	Lonely, Tired, Depressed or Just Sad? The Challenge of Assessment in Palliative Care Patients	<i>Dr Ursula Bates, Principal Clinical Psychologist, Head of Psychology, Our Lady's Hospice and Care Services Harold's Cross, Dublin</i>
	Closing Remarks	<i>Dr Michael Connolly, Lecturer, UCD School of Nursing, Midwifery and Health Systems Head of Education, All Ireland Institute of Hospice and Palliative Care</i>
16.30	IAPC AGM (Members ONLY)	