Cardiothoracic Forum Programme Monday 23rd & Tuesday 24th March 2009
Bournemouth International Conference Centre

Monday 23rd March

08.45 to 10.00 ~ **Multidisciplinary Shared Session With Papers From Science, Nursing And Surgical Care Practitioners**
*Chairs ~ Leslie Hamilton (President, SCTS), Tara Bartley, (Nursing Representative, SCTS) & Tony Jessop (President, ACSA)*

10.00 to 10.45 ~ Tea and coffee

10.45 to 10.50 ~ **Opening Remarks**, Tara Bartley, Nursing Representative, SCTS

10.50 ~ 11.00 ~ **Key Note Speaker Opening Remarks**, Maura Buchanan, President of the RCN

11.00 to 11.40 ~ **The LVAD Experience, A Multidisciplinary Journey. The Patient And The From the QE Birmingham.** Lisa Ketteridge & the Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham.
*Chairs ~ Leslie Hamilton (President, SCTS) & David Waters (Charge Nurse, John Radcliffe Hospital, Oxford)*

11.45 to 12.30 ~ **Heart Research Presentation, Joint Session**

12.30 to 13.30 ~ Lunch

13.30 to 15.00 ~ **UK Activity, Joint Session**

15.00 to 15.45 ~ Tea and coffee

15.45 to 16.00 ~ **Cancer Staging, The BTS Guidelines a And The Impact On Surgical Decision Making.** Mr Eric Lim, Consultant Thoracic Surgeon, Royal Brompton Hospital & Senior Lecturer, National Heart Institute, Imperial College.

16.00 to 16.15 ~ **Paper 1. Postoperative Pulmonary Complications Following Thoracic Surgery: Comparison Of Three Scoring Systems.** P Agostini. Birmingham Heartlands Hospital, Birmingham

16.15 to 16.30 ~ **Paper 2. When Should Salvage Intensive Care Be Considered After Elective Thoracotomy?** P K Mishra. Glenfields Hospital, Leicester.

16.30 to 16.45 ~ **Paper 3. Reduction In Intensive Care Admissions Following Thoracic Surgery After The Introduction Of Non Invasive Ventilation In A Regional Unit.** P Agostini. Birmingham Heartlands Hospital, Birmingham

16.45 to 17.00 ~ **Paper 4. Usefulness of Chest Radiography Post Drain Removal In Cardiac Patients.** M Eddama, I Iiyas, A Vuylstele. Papworth Hospital, Cambridgeshire.
*Chairs ~ Mr Rajesh (Thoracic Surgeon, Heartlands Hospital, Birmingham) & Anthony Hogan, (Case Manager Guy’s & Thomas’ Hospitals, London)*

17.00 to 18.30 ~ **St Judes’ Lecture, Joint Session**
Tuesday 24th March

09.00 to 09.15 ~ **The 18 Weeks Whole Pathway: National Priority Project.** Wendy Gray, Intern Director, Heart Improvement Programme, NHS Improvement.

09.15 to 09.30 ~ **Paper 5. How The Aging Population Affects Indirect Costs And Resource Utilisation In Cardiac Surgery: A Single Centre Experience.** D L Ngaage. Castle Hill Hospital, Hull

09.30 to 09.45 ~ **Paper 6. Clinical Audit On The Use Of Temporary Epicardial Pacing Wires In Coronary Artery Bypass Surgery.** A Kourliouros. St Georges Hospital, London

09.45 to 10.00 ~ **Paper 7. Enhanced Follow-up Of Heart Valve Surgery Patients In A Specialist Nurse Led Clinic.** J Cadet. The Royal Brompton Hospital, London.

Chairs ~ Mr James Roxburgh (Consultant Surgeon, Guy’s & Thomas’ Hospitals, London) & Debbie Danitsch (Nurse Consultant, Stoke Hospital)

10.00 to 10.45 ~ Tea and coffee

10.45 to 11.15 ~ **NMC And The Impact On Post Graduate Career Pathways.** Dr David Foster, Programme Director NMC The Department of Health.

11.15 to 11.45 ~ **The Strategic Impact Of Changing The Workforce.** Christina Pond, Executive Director of Standards & Qualification, Skills for Health.

11.45 to 12.05 ~ **Paper 8. A Workforce For The Future; Exploring New Ways Of Working.** C Badger, I Fenwick, C Retmanski. University Hospitals Coventry & Warwickshire, Coventry)

12.05 to 12.30 ~ Discussion

Chairs ~ Mr Jonathan Hyde (Consultant Cardiac Surgeon, Brighton Hospital) & Katy Gofton (Surgical Care Practitioner, South Tees Hospital, Middlesbrough)

12.30 to 13.30 ~ Lunch

13.30 to 15.00 ~ **NCEPOD, Joint session**

15.00 to 15.45 ~ Tea and coffee

15.45 to 16.00 ~ **The National Patient Safety Project And Impact On Practice.** Dr Ann Keogh, Director for Patient Safety, Heartlands Hospital Birmingham.

16.00 to 16.15 ~ **Paper 9. Endoscopic Vein Harvesting - Training Surgical Care Practitioner: A UK Experience.** K Gofton, C Ruiz Segria. James Cook University Hospital, Middlesbrough.

16.15 to 16.30 ~ **Paper 10. Reflections On The Surgical Care Practitioner Programme At The University Of Teeside.** N. Barran, K Gofton, C Ruiz Segria. University Of South Tees, Middlesbrough.


Chairs ~ Mr Michael Lewis (Consultant Cardiac Surgeon, Brighton) & Steve Bryant (Surgical Care Practitioner, Papworth, Cambridge)

17.00 ~ Closing Remarks, Tara Bartley, Nursing Representative, SCTS

17.00 to 18.00 ~ The Presidential Address, Mr Leslie Hamilton, President, SCTS

*Poster presentations will be displayed in the registration area.*

2008 Annual Dinner, The Royal Bath Hotel, Bournemouth

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