

# National HPV Awareness Symposium

**Trinity Biomedical Sciences Institute  
Trinity College Dublin  
Friday 27<sup>th</sup> January 2017  
9.00am - 4.30pm**

CPD approval is being sought

Registration is free at

<https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/national-hpv-awareness-symposium-tickets-29217178367>

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**8.30 am** Registration

**9.00am** Welcome  
*(Professor John O'Leary)*

### **SESSION 1: Recent Advances in Cervical Screening and HPV Testing**

**9.15am** CervicalCheck – An update on screening protocols  
*(Dr Grainne Flannelly, Clinical Director, CervicalCheck)*

**9.45am** CERVIVA HPV Primary Screening Pilot Study  
*(Dr Christine White, Post-doctoral researcher, CERVIVA, TCD)*

**10.05am** RAMAN spectroscopy – a molecular PAP test for cervical screening  
*(Professor Fiona Lyng, Head of the Centre for Radiation and Environmental Science, DIT)*

**10.25am** Psychological impact of HPV testing  
*(Dr Mairead O'Connor, HRB ICE post-doctoral researcher, CERVIVA, National Cancer Registry)*

### **KEYNOTE LECTURE**

**10.45am** The global burden of HPV associated diseases  
*(Dr Gary Clifford, Epidemiologist, International Association for Cancer Research, Lyon, France)*

**11.15am** Coffee Break

### **SESSION 2: HPV in Head and Neck Cancers**

**11.40am** ECHO: Epidemiology of HPV in Oral Cancer in Ireland  
*(Ms Imogen Sharkey Ochoa, PhD student, CERVIVA, TCD)*

**12.00pm** HPV and the diagnosis and treatment of Head and Neck Cancer- an Irish perspective  
*(Professor Conrad Timon, ENT surgeon, St James's Hospital, Dublin and Trinity College)*

**12.30pm** Psychosocial and communication issues in HPV-related head and neck cancer  
*(Dr Jo Waller, Health Psychologist, University College London)*

**1.00-2.00pm** Lunch

### **SESSION 3: HPV Vaccination**

**2.00pm** HPV vaccination in Ireland  
*(Dr Brenda Corcoran, Consultant in Public Health Medicine, National Immunisation Office)*

**2.30pm** Cost-effectiveness of cancer prevention in the HPV era: vaccination and screening in the cervical context and beyond  
*(Dr James O'Mahony, HRB ICE post-doctoral researcher, CERVIVA, TCD)*

**2.50pm** The impact of HPV immunization in Scotland  
*(Professor Margaret Cruickshank, Consultant Gynaecologist, University of Aberdeen)*

**3.20pm** The Japanese HPV vaccine crisis and the take home message  
*(Professor Sharon Hanley, Assistant Professor Cancer Epidemiology, Hokkaido University, Japan)*

**3.50pm** Round table discussion

**4.30 pm** Close of meeting