



**BANN AUTUMN CONFERENCE PROGRAMME  
OCTOBER 26th– 28th 2012**

**FRIDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2012**

**CHAIR:** Maria Wilson, Chief Midwife / Nurse Women’s and DCN Services

**09:00** Registration  
Tea, coffee and pastries

**10:00** Opening Address  
Melanie Hornett, Nurse Director NHS Lothian

**10:30** Neurodegenerative Conditions and Neurological Research  
Professor S Chandran,  
Director of Centre for Clinical Brain Sciences, Edinburgh

**11:15** Coffee

**11:45** Communication.  
Judy Newton, Clinical Nurse Specialist MND&  
Sharon Abrahams, Clinical Psychologist NHS Lothian

**12:30** Panel discussion.

**12:45** Hot Buffet Lunch

**13:45** WORKSHOPS

<b>1. Brain Empathy</b> Neliss Baxter	<b>2. Neuro-opoly</b> Toby Edwards	<b>3. ICU</b> Licox Brain Monitoring Dr Jonathan Rhodes  Eurotherm Trial Claire Battison  Brain Cooling Dr Bridget Harris
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**15:00** Tea

**15:30** Microdialysis & Brain Tissue Chemistry – What’s the Outcome?  
Paul Collinson, Prospect Diagnostics

**16:00** Our Experiences of Rehabilitation and Follow-up in the USA  
Debbie Ford and Clare Thompson, Senior Sisters,  
Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham

**16:30** Patient Falls in the Hospital Setting  
Jaki Burton, Repton Medical  
Beth Hudson, Posey Company

**Closing remarks**

**SATURDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2012**

**CHAIR:** Audrey Burnside, Clinical Nurse Manager, NHS Lothian

**09:00** Tea, coffee and pastries

**09:30** Post Operative Pain Management  
Dr Michael Robson, Consultant Anaesthetist, NHS Lothian

**10:00** SPSP (NPSA)  
Dr Ross Paterson, Consultant, Intensive Care, NHS Lothian

**10:30** Coffee

**11:00** Advances in Monitoring the Injured Brain: Using the Licox Brain  
Tissue Oxygen System in the ICU  
Roni Helliwell, Clinical Educator, Integra

**11:20** Narcolepsy  
Neal Cook, Lecturer in Nursing, University of Ulster

**11:40** Developing an Outcome Measurement Tool for Assessing Patients  
following Spinal Surgery  
Kally Patel, Gillian Hemmings, Tamara Edwards,  
Advanced Nurse Practitioners, Oxford University Hospitals

**12:10** AGM, Business meeting and Elections

**12:45** Sandwich Lunch

**13:45** WORKSHOPS

<b>1. Navigation Study</b>	<b>2. Brain Empathy</b>	<b>3. Epilepsy</b>
Sarah Shepherd	Neliss Baxter	Declan Ahern
Sarah Scott		

**15:15** Tea

**15:45** Benchmarking Group

**16:30** Closing Remarks

**19:00** CONFERENCE DINNER

**01:00** TAXIS AND OTHER CARRIAGES

**SUNDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2012**

**Neuro-oncology**

- CHAIR:** Elizabeth Preston, Head of Service Cancer & Palliative Care,  
NHS Lothian
- 09:00** Tea, coffee and pastries
- 09:30** An introduction to brain tumours  
Dr Robin Grant, Consultant Neurologist, NHS Lothian
- 10:00** Radiotherapy and chemotherapy for patients with primary brain  
tumours  
Dr Sharon Peoples, Consultant Clinical Oncologist, NHS Lothian
- 10:30** Coffee
- 11:00** Surviving GBM the highs and lows  
Mary Fraser, Clinical Nurse Specialist, Southern General  
Hospital, Glasgow
- 11:30** Patient autonomy and medical decision making  
Dr Simon Kerrigan, SpR Neurology, NHS Lothian
- 12:00** 'Elective Emergencies'- Is there such a thing? Transforming brain  
cancer care – The Cambridge model  
Ingela Oberg , Clinical Nurse Specialist,  
Addenbrookes Hospital, Cambridge
- 12:30** A patient's experience:- Do you want to look inside my head?  
Joannie McCutcheon
- 12:45** Panel discussion
- 13:00** Prizes and Awards
- 13:15** Closing remarks  
Anne Preece, President BANN