



# *‘Don’t Panic!’*

13<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL MEETING ON PRACTICAL ASPECTS OF INFECTION CONTROL

21<sup>st</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2010

**To be held at Sheffield Hallam University  
City Campus, Pond Street  
Sheffield**

**Registration fee: £60 per day includes lunch & beverages**

**Application form overleaf**

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## **Monday, 21<sup>st</sup> June**

### **PVL+ Staphylococcus aureus – diversity, demographics and disease burden in the UK**

Dr Angela Kearns, Head of Staphylococcus Reference Unit  
Centre for Infections, HPA, Colindale, London

### **Flu season 2009/10 – how well did we do?**

Dr Tim Wreghitt, Regional Microbiologist, HPA  
Addenbrookes Hospital NHS Trust, Cambridge

### **What specifications are needed for invasive procedures performed away from operating theatres?**

Mr Craig Mackintosh, Infection Control Research  
Wirral Medical Microbiology, Clatterbridge General Hospital  
Merseyside

### **Post discharge surveillance of SSI – making it work**

Ms Jennie Wilson, Programme Leader, SSI Surveillance  
Department of Healthcare Associated Infection  
Health Protection Agency, London

### **Free paper session**

#### **Update on *C. difficile* surveillance**

Dr Jon Brazier, Anaerobe Reference Unit  
University Hospital of Wales, Cardiff

#### **Treating complex *C. difficile* infection**

Dr Helena Parsons, Consultant Microbiologist  
Northern General Hospital, Sheffield

## **Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> June**

### **Occupational Health and Infection Control**

- **Chronic MRSA carriage**
- **Dermatitis management**
- **Top skincare choices for hand washes and alcohol rub**

Dr Alison Rimmer, Consultant Occupational Physician  
and Colleagues  
Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

### **The Showcase Hospitals Programme**

Ms Sybil Bannister, Lead Nurse Showcase Hospitals Programme  
University Hospital Lewisham, London

### **It's in the water!**

Dr Mike Weinbren, Consultant Microbiologist &  
Director of Infection Control,  
University Hospital of Coventry & Warwickshire

### **Free paper session**

#### **How useful is universal screening for controlling MRSA – the Scottish experience**

Professor Jacqui Reilly, Consultant Nurse Epidemiologist  
Health Protection Scotland

#### **Screening and decolonisation in the community: is the community up to it?**

Ms Fiona Branton, Service Head Infection Prevention & Control  
CitiHealth NHS Nottingham

