



The ICGP Substance Misuse Team presents a
Multidisciplinary National Conference:

Managing Problem Alcohol & Drug Use in Primary Care*

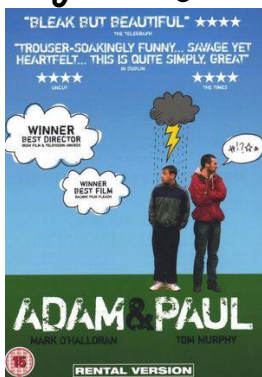
Saturday 27th May 2017

Trinity Centre for Health Sciences, St. James' Hospital, Dublin 8

Registration now open, please visit www.icgp.ie/smp for more information

**This conference is suitable for all healthcare professionals, including doctors, nurses & pharmacists.*

8:30 – 9:00	Registration - Join us for breakfast
9:00 – 9:15	Welcome Address <i>Mr. Fintan Foy – ICGP CEO</i>
9:15 – 9:30	The New National Drugs Strategy <i>Ms. Catherine Byrne – Minister of State with responsibility for drugs from National Drugs Strategy</i>
9:30 – 10:15	Keynote - Beyond the Global War on Drugs - Towards Effective Policies <i>Dr John Collins – Executive Director, International Drug Policy Project, London School of Economics (LSE)</i>
10:15 – 10:45	Drug Related Deaths – how can we minimise them? <i>Steve Taylor – Programme Manager, Alcohol, Drug, and Tobacco Division, Health and Wellbeing Directorate, Public Health England</i>
10:45 – 11:15	Morning refreshments
11:15 – 12:00	The Challenges of Managing Alcohol Problems in Primary Care: <i>Dr Hugh Gallagher, GP in conversation with Prof Frank Murray, RCPI</i>
12:00 – 12:30	The Trolley Count – how do alcohol and drug misuse add to the numbers? <i>Dr Fergal Hickey – Consultant in Emergency Medicine</i>
12:30 – 13:00	Drug and Alcohol effects on driving – the new RSA guidelines <i>Professor Denis Cusack – Director Medical Bureau of Road Safety</i>
13:00 – 13:45	*LUNCH* Mobile Health Unit Demonstration - Facilitated by the North Dublin GP Training Scheme (available to visit onsite during lunch break)

13:45 – 14:30	Effective Pain Management and the problematic use of Painkillers <i>Dr Cathy Stannard – Consultant in Pain Management, Bristol</i>
14:30 – 15:15 & 15:15 - 16:00	Parallel Sessions: Choice of two
	Drug Related Deaths and Homelessness: <i>Dr Jo-Hanna Ivers, Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Dept of Public Health & Primary Care, Trinity College Dublin & Dr Kieran Harkin, GP, SafetyNet.</i>
	What can Addiction Nurses bring to the table? <i>Peter Kelly – President of the Ireland Chapter of the International Nurses Society on Addictions</i>
	Hot Topics in Addiction: to include updates on synthetic cannabinoids, chem-sex, internet access to drugs, Hepatitis C <i>Dr Des Crowley – Assistant Director of Substance Misuse, ICGP</i>
	The pharmacist's role in preventing dependency on OTC and other medications <i>Mr Bernard Duggan – Pharmacist, Institute of Pharmacy (IOP) Dublin</i>
16:00 – 16:15	Afternoon refreshments
16:15 – 16:45	Drug Policy in Ireland – what does the Future Hold?
16:45 – 17:15	Expert Panel Discussion with Q&A
17:15 – 17:30	Closing Remarks <i>Dr Brendan O'Shea or Dr Íde Delargy</i>
18:00 – 19:30	<i>**Tying it all together: 'Adam & Paul' **</i> 

**Recognised for 8 external CPD credits and 1 day GMS Study Leave.*