

i. This examination will include oral & oropharyngeal inspection with a headlight followed by examination of the cervical lymphatics of the neck. This is an anonymous walk in / walk out clinic.

ii. Any patients with abnormal pickup are then referred to the Head and Neck clinic where further investigations can be performed if deemed appropriate.

South Infirmary Victoria University Hospital

Opening of flexible CO2 laser system and public lectures in the Department of ENT – contact the department for confirmation of date and times.

2) Awareness program for the general public.

Irish Medical Times: Head and Neck Cancer Supplement: For GP education.

Supplement content

Overview of Head and Neck Cancer: Professor James Paul O’Neill

Larynx and Oropharynx Cancer Care: Mr Patrick Sheehan

Clinical Examination of the Head and Neck: Mr Liam Skinner

Oral Cancer: Mr John Kinsella

HPV infection in Head and Neck cancer: Ms Orla Young

Thyroid Cancer - Recent Guideline Changes: Professor Conrad Timon

Irish Times Newspaper: Article on Head and Neck Cancer & Patient Interview- Mr Donal Conor. Article Prof O’Neill.

3) Interaction with Government and policy makers.

National Cancer Control Programme (*NCCP*): They are aware and fully support the event.

RCSI, St Stephens Green, Dublin, Ireland

The Albert Theatre, 6.30pm – 9.00pm The Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland

Invitations extended to

Mr Kevin O'Malley, USA Ambassador to Ireland & Mrs Dena O'Malley (Confirmed)

Mr Declan J Magee, The President of The Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland

Mr Cathal Kelly, CEO, RCSI

Prof Hannah McGee, Dean, RCSI

Mr Liam Duffy, CEO Beaumont Hospital

Dr Jerome Coffey, National Director of the National Cancer Control Programme

Mr John McCormack, CEO Irish Cancer Society

Dr Muiris Houston, Irish Times

Ms Joyce Hickey, Irish Times

Mr Stephen McMahon, Irish Patients Association

Programme

7-00.15 Overview of Head and Neck cancer
Beaumont Hospital & RCSI

Prof James Paul O'Neill,

7.15-7.25 The Patients Perspective

Mr Stephen McMahon

7.25-7.30 Life after a Laryngectomy

Video Mr Donal Connor

7.30-7.40 Laryngeal Cancer
Beaumont Hospital & RCSI

Prof James Paul O'Neill,

7.40- 7.50 Radiation Oncology
Beaumont Hospital and St Lukes Hospital

Dr Orla McCardle,

7.50-8.00 Oral Cancer
The Mater Hospital

Mr Tadhg O'Dwyer,

8.00-8.10 Dental Aspects of Head and Neck Care
Dublin Dental Hospital

Dr Denise MacCarthy,

8.10-8.20 Thyroid Cancer
St James Hospital & Trinity College Dublin

Professor Conrad Timon,

8.20-8.30 Skin Cancer in the Head and Neck
St Vincents University Hospital & University College Dublin

Professor Aongus Curran,

8.30-8.40 Oropharyngeal Cancer and the rise of HPV
Beaumont Hospital & RCSI

Prof James Paul O'Neill,

8.40-9.00 Panel Discussion & Questions from the audience.

9.00 Final comments.

Wine and Cheese reception.

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