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IACCN Annual conference

Future Directions and Innovations in Critical Care

September 18th 2025

Radisson Blu, Athlone

08:30 – 09:00			Registration and Welcome refreshments		
09:00 – 09:30			The future starts on the floor: Spark and the power of clinician-led innovation		
			Ms Catherine Marsh, National Nursing/Midwifery Fellow for Innovation HSE Spark Innovation Programme		
09:30 – 10:00			Together we can save the people as well as the planet		
			Dr Lyn Palmer, University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust		
10:00 – 10:40			Oral presentations		
10:40 – 11:10			Morning Refreshments and Exhibitions		
11:10 – 11:50			Advanced ventilation		
			Dr Edmund Carton, Mater Hospital		
		Conference room			Breakout Room
11:50 – 12:25		End of Life Care SJH			Innovation in ventilation Mark Fitzmaurice
12:25 – 13:00		End of Life Care SJH			Innovation in ventilation Mark Fitzmaurice
13:00 – 14:00			Lunch and Poster viewings		
14:00 – 14:15			The experience of an international nurse in Ireland		
			Tenzin Yiewong, CNM 3 SJH		
14:15 – 14:30			Microlearning in ICU Education through the use of an app		
			Jayson Mark Cuidno and Ciara Moran, SVUH		
14:30 – 14:45			The Future of Critical Care Education: Nurse Faculty Delivering Basic ICU		
			Christine Sheehan and Anna Marie Murphy		
14:45 – 15:15			Patient voice		
15:15-15:45			Alternative therapies in ICU: a fireside chat		
			Charlotte Carter-Portiuncula Hospital, Alison Sweeney-Temple St. Hospital Session chair: Serena O'Brien		
15:45- 16:00			Presentation of awards		
16:00 – 16:15			Close		