

# Pathology and its impact on patient care

Wednesday 2 February 2011

5 CPD Credits

Organised by the Lay Advisory Committee of the Royal College of Pathologists

To be held at The Royal College of Pathologists, 2 Carlton House Terrace, London, SW1Y 5AF

## Provisional programme

This event has been organised to provide members of the public, patients and others who have an interest in understanding Pathology, with information on how Pathology/Laboratory services influence and impact on the treatment of a patient. The morning session is designed to give an understanding of the basics of a laboratory service and how it interacts with the front line medical team treating a patient during that process. The afternoon session will discuss the impact of legislation on Pathology and how it has affected the services that laboratories provide specifically in the area of research.

09.30 Registration and coffee

09.50 Chair: **Neil Formstone – Chair of the Lay Advisory Committee**

**Session 1: What happens to your sample when it is sent to the hospital laboratory?**

10.00 Histopathology service – **Professor Mike Wells - Chair of the RCPATH Histopathology SAC**

10.40 Clinical Biochemistry – **Dr Julian Barth – Consultant Clinical Biochemists, Leeds**

11.25 Coffee

11.45 How do patients/carers interact with laboratory staff and how can they influence the types of services they are provided with: - **Neil Formstone & Dr Sanjiv Manek Consultant Gynaecological Pathologist**

12.30 Review and interactive contribution to the points raised in the first three sessions

13.00 Lunch

**Session 2: Using human tissue since Alder Hey – research, rights, responsibilities and regulations**

13.45 'The profession's perspective on the regulation of human tissue in research' - **Professor Peter Furness President, The Royal College of Pathologists**

14.15 Why regulation is important – **Baroness Diana Warwick, Chair Human Tissue Authority**

14.45 The Patient's perspective – **Derek Stewart OBE Associate Director, Patient and Public Involvement NIHR CRN CC**

15.15 Panel session – selected speakers from the day open to the floor with interactive voting on a range of issues

16.00 Close

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