

Pharmaceutical Quality Assurance & Technical Services Symposium 2026

Day 1

Day 1		
09.00-11.00	Registration & networking / Exhibition	
11.00-11.15	Welcome to the Conference	Committee Chairs Lynn Morrison <i>PQAC</i> John Landers <i>PASG</i> Andy Lowey <i>PPC</i>
Morning Session Chair: John Landers		
11.15-11.45	Keynote Presentation Legislative Changes including Supervision	TBC
11.45-12.30	Panel discussion on supervision legislation changes - Accountability & Governance Product Approval Update - Putting it into Practice	Linda Hardy Phil Jones Scott Hillery
12.30-13.30	LUNCH Networking, exhibition and posters	
Afternoon Session Chair: Mark Jackson		
13.30-14.00	Bacillus and Other Stories – shared learning from MHRA IAG.	Chris Jones
14.00-15.00	Inspection Findings and Good Practice / Solutions	Martine Powell Emma Davies
15.00-15.40	BREAK Networking, exhibition and posters	
15.40-15.45	Move to Breakout Rooms	

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15.45-16.30	Breakout Session 1					
	Room:		Room:		Room:	
	Chair: Emma Davies		Chair: Graeme Richardson		Chair: Andy Lowey	
	Digital solutions to increase process efficiency and control and PQS Management		The Arrowe Park and Chester Journey: How to engage Trust Boards with aseptic services—proactive management of facility shut downs		Pathfinder update	
	Nicky Stringer / TBC Uchenna Ihedioha		Helen Clark, Chris Green, Jackie Wilkinson		TBC	
16.30-16.40	 Return to Main Plenary 					
Chair : Andy Lowey						
16.40 – 17.15	Infusions and Special Medicines Programme—Next Steps				Chris Woodard Liz Fleetwood	
17:15 – 18:00	Networking, exhibition and posters					
19.00-19.30	Drinks Reception					
19.30	Course Dinner					

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08.30-09.00	Networking, exhibition and posters		
Morning Session Chair: Anne Black			
09.00-09.30	QAAPS 6 Update	Dafydd Rizzo Lynn Morrison	
09.30-10.00	National Radiopharmacy Review	Richard Cattell	
10.00-11.15	Compliance management & panel discussion	Martine Powell Mark Jackson Catriona Ketiar Ronan Tagala	
11.15-11.25	Exhibitor Prizes		
11.25-11.50	BREAK Networking, exhibition and posters		
11.50-11.55	 Move to Breakout Rooms 		
11.55-12.25	Breakout Session 2		
	Stream 1	Stream 2	Stream 2
	Room:	Room:	Room:
	Chair: Shakeel Herwitker and Louisa Knowles	Chair: Sue Renn	Chair: Emma Davies
	BOPA Horizon Scanning & Capacity Planning	Update to NPSA 20 - Risk Assessment of Injectable Medicines	QC Regulation
	Farah Al-Sheikhli	Anne Black	Liam Harvey David Caulfield
12.25-12.35	 Move to next Breakout Room 		
12.35-13.05	Room:	Room:	Room:
	Hazardous Medicinal Products & Risk Management	Innovative approaches to GMP compliance – Virtual Reality	HTM 02-01 update – Medical Gases
	Louisa Knowles Louise Church	Andrew Merriman Nethan Roberts Chris Goodwin	Lucy Hennessy

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13.05-13.55	LUNCH Networking, exhibition and posters		
13.55-14.00		  Return to Main Plenary   	
Afternoon Session Chair:: Nicky Stringer			
14.00-14.30	Showcasing Research in Technical Services Poster Presentations		Nicky Stringer Sue Renn Sarah Ward
14.30-15.00	How to get Started in Research		Sarah Ward
15.00-15.45	Keynote Presentation Building Effective Teams		Jim Timpson
15.45-16.00	What does the Royal College of Pharmacy do for Technical Services? Summary and Close		Justine Scanlan
16.00	Close		