



# Programme ISCPHM Annual Scientific Meeting

The Gresham Hotel (Riu Plaza), 23 O'Connell Street Upper, Dublin D01C3W7

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Day 1:		Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> October 2026	Accredited Continuing Education: credits
09.00 – 09.45		<b>Registration and Coffee/Tea</b>	
09.45 – 10.00		<b>Welcome and opening address</b>	
10.00 – 10.30	1	Prof Ellen Crushell, Deputy Chief Medical Officer and Consultant Paediatrician at Children's Health Ireland <i>Topic: Preventive Child Health Policy</i>	
10.30 – 11.00	2	Dr Farhana Sharif, Consultant Paediatrician, Midland Regional Hospital <i>Paediatric Anxiety</i>	
11.00 – 11.15		<b>Break</b>	
11.15 – 11.45	3	Dr Farhana Sharif, Consultant Paediatrician, Midland Regional Hospital <i>A Happiness Toolkit</i>	
11.45 – 12.15	4	Ms Teresa Foley, Occupational Therapist <i>Topic: Feeding Therapy</i>	
12.15 – 12.45	5	Dr Kathy Looney PhD, Senior Clinical Psychologist, Child and Adolescent Complex Obesity Service, Children's Health Ireland (CHI). <i>Topic: Obesity</i>	
12.45 – 13.15	6	Poster Presentations & prizes (3-minute magic)	
13.15 – 14.15		<b>Lunch</b>	
14.15 – 14.45	7	Dr Hafi Saad, CMD, Roscommon <i>Assessment of Secondary School Vaccination Consent Forms, 2025–2026: Response Rates, Form Completeness, Immunisation Team Workload, and Common Errors - National Audit</i>	
14.45 – 15.30	8	Prof Seamus O'Reilly, Consultant Medical Oncologist, Cork-Mercy & South Infirmary Victoria University Hospitals <i>Climate Change and Cancer</i>	
15.30 – 16.00	9	Dr John Fitzsimons <i>Kindness in Healthcare</i>	
16.00 – 17.00		<b>AGM (Refreshments provided)</b>	<b>Work-Based Practice: 1 credit</b>
Day 2:		Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> October 2026	Accredited Continuing Education: credits
08:45 – 09:00		<b>Registration and coffee/tea</b>	
09:00 – 09:10		<b>Opening address</b>	
09:10 – 09:50	10	Dr Blathnaid Gavin, Consultant Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist, with a special interest in ADHD <i>Understanding ADHD</i>	
09:50 – 10:20	11	Ms Anita Boyle, Speech and Language Therapist, Supporting Parents and Early Childhood Services (SPECS), Bray and North Wicklow Area Partnership <i>Prevention and early intervention in speech and language therapy</i>	

10.20 – 10.50	<b>12</b>	Dr Sharon Lane, CEO Dyspraxia/DCD Ireland <i>More Than Clumsiness: Seeing the Whole Child with Developmental Coordination Disorder</i>
10.50 – 11.05		<b>Break</b>
11.05 – 11.45	<b>13</b>	Speaker to be confirmed <i>Immunisation Update</i>
11:45 – 12.20	<b>14</b>	Dr Clóna Ní Cheallaigh, Consultant and Clinical lead, Inclusion Health Service, St James's Hospital, Dublin <i>Topic: Social Inclusion</i>
12.20 – 13.00	<b>15</b>	Dr Fiona McGuire, Public Health Specialist Registrar, National Cancer Control Service? <i>Co-creation of public health resources</i>
13:00 – 13:05		Closing & Final Remarks
13:05 – 14:05		<b>Lunch</b>

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