



VTE Dublin 2021

Diagnostic and therapeutic advances in venous thromboembolism (VTE)

Thursday 7th October 2021

Mater Misericordiae University Hospital

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OPENING ADDRESS: Prof Fionnuala Ní Áinle, Consultant Haematologist, MMUH/Rotunda Hospitals

THURSDAY 7th OCTOBER

SESSION 1: UPDATES

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| 13:00-13:15 | VTE awareness in Ireland
<i>Ms Annemarie O'Neill, CEO, Thrombosis Ireland</i> |
| 13:15-13:35 | The World Thrombosis Day Campaign: impact, challenges and future directions
<i>Prof Beverley Jane Hunt, OBE, Professor of Thrombosis & Haemostasis at King's College London; Consultant in the Departments of Haematology & Pathology at Guy's & St Thomas NHS Foundation Trust; & Clinical Lead in Haematological Sciences at Viapath LLP</i> |
| 13:35-13:45 | Patient Video: PE survivor |
| 13:45-14:15 | The role of the PERT Team in 2021
<i>Dr Rachel Rosovsky: Director, Thrombosis Research, Division of Hematology, Massachusetts General Hospital, Co-Chair of MGH's Thrombosis Committee and Assistant Professor of Medicine, Harvard Medical School</i> |
| 14:15-14:25 | Patient Video: COVID and thrombosis |
| 14:25-14:55 | Anticoagulation as a therapeutic strategy in hospitalized patients with COVID-19
<i>Dr Michelle Sholzberg, Division Head of Hematology-Oncology, Medical Director of the Coagulation Laboratory, Director of the Hematology-Oncology Clinical Research Group, St. Michael's Hospital, Li Ka Shing Knowledge Institute, University of Toronto</i> |
| 14:55-15:20 | Break |



SESSION 2: VTE & CANCER

- 15:20-15:50 Cancer and COVID-19
*Dr. Nicole M. Kuderer; Medical Director, Advanced Cancer Research Group
Kirkland, Washington*
- 15:50-16:20 Trials addressing the role of anticoagulation in outpatients with COVID-19
*Dr Jean Connors, MD, Medical Director, Hemostatic Antithrombotic Stewardship and
Medical Director, Anticoagulation Management Services, Hematology Division, Brigham and
Women's Hospital / Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, Associate Professor of Medicine, Harvard
Medical School*
- 16:20-16:30 Patient Video: Cancer-associated thrombosis
- 16:30-17:00 Prevention of Cancer-Associated Thrombosis
*Prof Alok Khorana, M.D., F.A.C.P, F.A.S.C.O, Professor of Medicine, Cleveland Clinic Lerner College
of Medicine, Case Western Reserve University, the Sondra and Stephen Hardis Chair in Oncology
Research, Vice-Chair for Clinical Services of the Taussig Cancer Institute (part of Case
Comprehensive Cancer Center) and Director of the Gastrointestinal Malignancies Program at the
Cleveland Clinic, Cleveland, Ohio*
- 17:00-17:30 Optimal evaluation of recurrent VTE risk in cancer patients
*Prof Cihan Ay, M.D., Associate Professor, Medical University of Vienna, Department of Medicine I,
Division of Haematology and Haemostaseology*
- 17:30-18:00 Treatment of cancer-associated thrombosis
*Prof Agnes Y. Y. Lee, MD, Professor of Medicine, University of British Columbia
Medical Director, Thrombosis Program, Associate Executive Director, Vancouver Coastal Health
Research Institute*
- 18:00 END OF DAY ONE**



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08:40-09:10 Update on the management of splanchnic vein thrombosis
Dr. Mandy N. Lauw, MD PhD, Internist-hematologist, Dept. of Hematology, Erasmus University Medical Center, Rotterdam, The Netherlands

SESSION 1: VTE Exemplar Awards

09:10-10:50 Inaugural Thrombosis Ireland VTE Exemplar Awards: announcement of winners

10:50-11:10 Break

SESSION 2

11.10-11.30 Management of pregnant women with antithrombin deficiency
Dr Katie White, Haematology Clinical Fellow; Guy's and St Thomas's Hospital, London

11:30-12:00 Prevention of VTE in patients with traumatic brain injury
Dr Philip J. O'Halloran MD PhD, Neurosurgery Trauma Fellow, Royal London Hospital, Honorary Lecturer RCSI.

12:00-12:30 Hypercoagulability and Thrombosis in Myeloproliferative Neoplasms
Prof Anna Falanga, Full Professor of Hematology at University of Milan Bicocca, in Milan, and Chief of the Department of Immunohematology and Transfusion Medicine and the Thrombosis and Hemostasis Center, at the Hospital Papa Giovanni XXIII, in Bergamo, Italy.

12:30-13:00 How to assess the long-term risk of recurrent VTE in unprovoked VTE patients; the saga continues and how do we deal with men
Dr Geert-Jan Geersing, General Practitioner / Associate Professor, Julius Centre for Health Sciences and Primary Care, Utrecht, the Netherlands

13:00-14:00 LUNCH

14:00-14:30 Diagnostic strategies in suspected PE across different healthcare settings; what model to use in what patient
Dr Geert-Jan Geersing, General Practitioner / Associate Professor, Julius Centre for Health Sciences and Primary Care, Utrecht, the Netherlands



SESSION 3

- 14:30-14:40 Patient Video: Thrombotic thrombocytopenic purpura
- 14:40-15:10 Advances in the management of thrombotic thrombocytopenic purpura
Prof Marie Scully, Consultant Haematologist at University College London Hospitals and Professor of Haemostasis and Thrombosis at University College London
- 15:10-15:20 Patient Video: Taking anticoagulation as a young woman following a hormone-provoked VTE
- 15:20-15:50 Anticoagulation in women: abnormal uterine bleeding and making decisions on duration of anticoagulation following a hormone-provoked VTE event
Dr Bethany Samuelson-Bannow, Assistant Professor of Medicine in the Hemophilia Treatment Center at Oregon Health and Science University, Oregon, USA
- 15:50-16:00 Break

Session 4: VITT

- 16:00-16:30 Vaccine-induced thrombosis & thrombocytopenia presenting as cerebral vein & sinus thrombosis
Dr Jonathan Coutinho, Consultant Neurologist, Amsterdam University Medical Center, The Netherlands
- 16:30-16:40 Vaccine-induced thrombosis & thrombocytopenia: the Irish experience
Dr Dawn Swan, Haematology Specialist Registrar, St. James Hospital
- 16:40-17:10 Vaccine-induced thrombosis & thrombocytopenia: the UK experience
Prof Beverley Jane Hunt OBE, Professor of Thrombosis & Haemostasis at King's College London; Consultant in the Departments of Haematology & Pathology at Guy's & St Thomas NHS Foundation Trust; & Clinical Lead in Haematological Sciences at Viapath LLP

CLOSING ADDRESS: Dr Tomás Breslin, Consultant Emergency Physician, Mater Misericordiae University Hospital

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VIRTUAL NURSING PARALELL SESSION

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NMBI CEU – 3 points accreditation

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| 08.50-09.00 | Welcome
<i>Ms Sarah Garvey - Advanced Nurse Practitioner, Beaumont Emergency Department</i> |
| 09:00-09:30 | Covid and Clots at Kings
<i>Ms Emma Gee – Nurse Consultant Coagulation & Thrombosis, Kings Hospital</i> |
| 09:30-09:50 | Outpatient Management of Low Risk Pulmonary Embolism in Belfast Trust
<i>Ms Rosemary Lavery – VTE Clinical Nurse Specialist, Belfast City Hospital</i> |
| 09:50-10:10 | CVA in Pregnancy
<i>Ms Jacinta Byrne – Haematology Clinical Nurse Specialist, National Maternity Hospital</i> |
| 10:10-10:30 | Hospital Acquired Thrombosis
<i>Ms Lidhy Solomon - VTE Clinical Nurse Specialist, Mater Hospital</i> |
| 10:30-10:50 | Break |
| 10:50-11:10 | Managing a Warfarin Clinic during a Pandemic
<i>Ms Catriona O’Leary –Coagulation, Clinical Nurse Specialist, Cork University Hospital</i> |
| 11:10-11:30 | Research presentation - Practitioners’ Practice when evaluating VTE risk due to lower limb injuries within the ED setting
<i>Ms Lynda Gibbons – Advanced Nurse Practitioner, Our Lady’s Hospital Navan, Emergency Department</i> |
| 11:30-11:50 | Interesting Case Studies
<i>Ms Sarah Garvey - Advanced Nurse Practitioner, Beaumont Emergency Department</i> |
| 11:50-12:10 | Patient Experience
<i>Ms Nicola O’ Byrne - Lactation consultant & Nurse</i> |
| 12:10-12:20 | Questions & Close |



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VIRTUAL PATIENT SESSION AT VTEDUB21

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08.30-08.35	Welcome and introduction to Thrombosis Ireland Patient Support Charity. <i>Ann Marie O'Neill, Patient & Founder of "Thrombosis Ireland"</i>
08.35-08.50	What are blood Clots and how do they happen? <i>Dr. Aine Bourke, Consultant Haematologist, Sligo & Letterkenny</i>
08.50-09.00	Questions & Answers
09.00-09.20	Unusual Clotting Conditions <i>Dr. Maeve Crowley, Consultant Haematologist, Cork University Hospital</i>
09.20-09.30	Questions & Answers
09.30-09.50	Warfarin & The DOAC's <i>Claire O'Dwyer, Pharmacist, Dundalk/OLOL</i>
09.50-10.00	Questions & Answers
10.00-10.15	Break for a Chat/ Grab a Coffee/ Request Information
10.15-10.45	Physical Recovery After a Clot <i>Laura Madden, Physiotherapist, St. James Hospital</i>
10.45-11.00	Questions & Answers
11.00-11.20	Look After Your Mind <i>Dr. Patricia Byrne, Clinical Psychologist, St. James Hospital</i>
11.20-11.30	Questions & Answers
11.30-12.05	Women's Issues in Thrombosis & Anticoagulation <i>Prof. Fionnuala Ni Ainle, Consultant Haematologist, The Mater & Rotunda</i>
12.05-12.15	Questions & Answers
12.15-12.35	Post Thrombotic Syndrome & Compression Stockings <i>Bernie Hannon, Clinical Nurse Specialist, St. James Hospital</i>
12.35-12.45	Questions & Answers
12.45	Close of Meeting