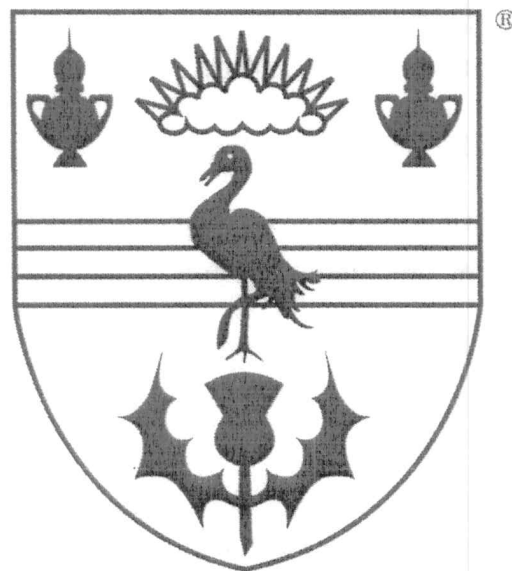


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TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

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19th & 20th May 2010

The Glynhill Hotel, Renfrew

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The Conference

The Annual Conference of the Royal Environmental Health Institute of Scotland is one of the major events in the Scottish environmental health calendar. This year we are holding the Conference at the Glynhill Hotel, Renfrew, where we look forward to welcoming delegates. The Conference will be held over two days on 19th and 20th May.

Conference Fees

Full delegates: The full delegate fee includes all documentation, a light buffet lunch on both days, the Conference Dinner, and tea and coffee during breaks. Overnight accommodation is not included.

Full delegate rate: £310.00 REHIS Member £360.00 Non REHIS Member

Day delegates: The day delegate fee includes documentation, light buffet lunch, and tea and coffee during breaks. The day delegate fee does not include the Conference Dinner on Wednesday 19th. Tickets for the Conference Dinner can be purchased separately at a cost of £45.00. Overnight accommodation is not included.

Day delegate rate: £170.00 REHIS Member £195.00 Non REHIS Member

Half-day delegates: The half-day delegate fee includes documentation, light buffet lunch, and tea and coffee during breaks. Overnight accommodation is not included.

Half-day delegate rate: £105.00 REHIS Member £130.00 Non REHIS Member

Accommodation

The Conference Hotel is the Glynhill Hotel, 169 Paisley Road, Renfrew. If you require accommodation, please book this direct with Reservations (tel: 0141 886 5555) mentioning that you are attending the REHIS Conference in order to receive the Conference rate of £85.00 per person per night for bed and breakfast.

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PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY 19TH MAY

- 10.00am onwards ***REGISTRATION***
- SESSION I** **Chairman: Alistair Thomson, Senior Vice-President, REHIS**
- 10.30am ***CONFERENCE OPENING***
- 10.35am ***PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS***
Roderick House
President
REHIS
- 11.00am ***KEYNOTE SPEECH***
Dr Harry Burns
Chief Medical Officer
Scottish Government
- 11.30am ***HEALTH PROTECTION IN SCOTLAND – MAKING A
DIFFERENCE***
Dr Martin Donaghy
Medical Director
Health Protection Scotland
- Noon ***BODY PIERCING AND TATTOOING (to be confirmed)***
Claire Chalmers
Senior Lecturer
University of the West of Scotland

- 12.30pm **LUNCH**
- 1.15pm **REGISTRATION**
- SESSION II** **Chairman: Roderick House, President, REHIS**
- 1.45pm **PUBLIC HEALTH ETC (SCOTLAND) ACT 2008 – MAKING A DIFFERENCE**
Andrew Blake
Chairman
Society of Chief Officers of Environmental Health in Scotland
- 2.15pm **CARBON MONOXIDE – THE SILENT KILLER**
John Murray
Environmental Health Officer
North Ayrshire Council
- 2.45pm **CRYPTOSPORIDIUM IN SCOTLAND'S WATER**
Colin Ramsay
Epidemiologist
Health Protection Scotland
- 3.15pm **BREAK**
- SESSION III** **Chairman: Paul Bradley, Junior Vice-President, REHIS**
- 3.45pm **H1N1 – WHAT PANDEMIC? – SCOTLAND'S RESPONSE**
Dr Jim McMenamin
Consultant Epidemiologist
Health Protection Scotland
- 4.15pm **A LOCAL AUTHORITY RESPONSE TO THE INFLUENZA H1N1 PANDEMIC**
Crawford Morgan
Head of Protective Services
North Lanarkshire Council
- 5.00pm **CLOSE OF SESSION**
- 7.30pm **CIVIC RECEPTION (to be confirmed)**
- 8.00pm **CONFERENCE DINNER**

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- 9.00am **REGISTRATION**
- SESSION IV** **Chairman: Colin Wallace, Past President, REHIS**
- 9.30am **THE FUTURE EDUCATION AND TRAINING OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH PROFESSION**
John Sleith
Chairman
REHIS Examinations and Professional Standards Committee
- 10.00am **MINISTERIAL SHORT-LIFE WORKING GROUP WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT - UPDATE (to be confirmed)**
Jacqueline Campbell
Team Leader
Health Protection Team
Scottish Government
- 10.30am **HOW WE DO THINGS IN IRELAND – ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH OFFICER EDUCATION AND TRAINING**
Maurice Mulcahy
Chairman
Environmental Health Officers' Association (Ireland)
- 11.00am **BREAK**
- SESSION V** **Chairman: John Sleith, Chairman, Examinations and Professional Standards Committee, REHIS**
- 11.30am **THE INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH...SAME CHALLENGES, DIFFERENT SETTINGS**
Bernard Forteach
President
International Federation of Environmental Health
- Noon **INTERNATIONAL HEALTH REGULATIONS – SCOTLAND'S RESPONSE**
Dr Chris Redman
Epidemiologist
Health Protection Scotland
- 12.30pm **PROTECTING OUR ARMED FORCES IN COMBAT ZONES**
Major Richard Doliczny
Environmental Health Officer
SO2 Med (EH)
Scotland, the North of England and Northern Ireland
British Army

1.00pm

LUNCH

SESSION VI

Chairman: Bernard Forteath, Past President, REHIS

1.45pm

REGISTRATION

2.15pm

SCOTLAND'S NATIONAL FOOD AND DRINK POLICY

David Thomson

Deputy Director

Food and Drink Industry Division

Scottish Government

2.45pm

FOOD SAFETY PRESENTATION (title to be confirmed)

Jim Thomson

Assistant Director

Food Standards Agency Scotland

3.15pm

FOOD SAFETY PRESENTATION (title to be confirmed)

Professor Hugh Pennington

3.45pm

CLOSING REMARKS

Roderick House

President

REHIS

4.00pm

CLOSE OF CONFERENCE