

CIEH Wales Conference: Embracing Change, Empowering Environmental Health

Hilton Hotel, Cardiff

Wednesday 22 October (Day 2)

09.00 Registration and exhibition viewing

9.30 - 10:15

Outbreaks and Incidents Breakout 1 Incident management & outbreak control in LA enforced settings <ul style="list-style-type: none">- 2 x case study outbreaks examined- Public Health controls- Reflections on approaches taken Speaker: Rhys Thomas, Food Safety and Public Health Manager, Newport City Council & Chair of the All-Wales Communicable Disease Expert Panel	Environmental & Public Protection Breakout 2 Changing behaviours and choosing sustainable solutions Chair: Mark Elliott Speaker: Professor Ian Walker, Environmental Psychologist, Swansea University
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10.20-11.05

<p>Legal Update Breakout 1 Presenting Prosecutions and Outcomes with Impact</p> <p>Speaker: David Travers, Gough Square Chambers</p>	<p>Housing Update Breakout 2 Innovative solutions and technology in tackling damp & mould</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the benefit of EHPs being part of conversations with registered providers and private landlords about pro-active approaches to damp & mould. - overview of some of the technology that can be used to collate data for monitoring, assessment & triage, and used on site for property surveys. <p>Speaker: Elizabeth Blend, Senior housing Consultant, RHE Global (Housing Division)</p>	<p>Health & Safety Breakout 3 Beyond the Bronze - Protecting Public Health</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sunbed Regulation – emerging issues and challenges • Addressing Risk Assessment and Compliance Gaps <p>Speakers: Lisa Griffin, Team Manager: Commercial, Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council & Chair of the All Wales Training & Professional Development Expert Panel Simon Morse, Specialist Environmental Health Officer & Chair of the South-East Wales Health & Safety Task Group Matt Davenport, Environmental Health Technician, Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council</p>
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11.05

Refreshments and exhibition viewing

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- 11.35 **Housing Panel: Improving health through housing solutions**
- Update on Rent Smart Wales and Housing Expert Panel activities
 - Dr Henry Dawson CenvH MCIEH, Senior Lecturer and Programme Director for Environmental Health, Cardiff Metropolitan University
 - Matt Dicks, National Director, CIH CYMRU
 - Joanna Seymour, Director of Partnerships & Development, Warm Wales
 - Bethan Jones, Operations Manager, Rent Smart Wales
- 12.30 Lunch and exhibition viewing**
- 13.30 **The Future Health Protection System: Post COVID, overview of health protection system.**
- Chair - Sarah Johns, Chief Environmental Public Health Officer, Welsh Government
- Speakers:
- Nia Roberts, Deputy Director Health Protection, Llywodraeth Cymru /Welsh Government
 - Sam Lauder, Assistant Director of Health Protection, Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board BCU
 - Sion Lingard, Consultant in Health Protection & Training Programme Director, Public Health HEIW
 - Rhys Thomas, Food Safety and Public Health Manager, Newport City Council & Chair of the All-Wales Communicable Disease Expert Panel
- 14.25 **Future strategies and priorities of FSA**
- Speaker: Katie Pettifer, Chief Executive, Food Standards Agency
- 14.55 Refreshments and exhibition viewing**
- 15.25 **From Risk to Resilience: Tackling Emerging Health & Safety Issues**

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Speaker: Annmarie Staunton, Senior Policy Advisor, Health & Safety Executive

16.00 – 16.35

The Workforce of the Future: Adapting to Change and Seizing Possibilities

- Jon Buttolph, Executive Director, Professional Standards, Chartered Institute of Environmental Health
- Ian Jones, Head of Service, Public Protection, Wrexham County Borough Council

16.35

Closing remarks

Chair: Mark Elliott, President, Chartered Institute of Environmental Health

Sian James, Chair, Environmental Health Wales

16.45

Close of conference

