

# Wessex Branch Annual Conference



18 November 2025, Novotel Southampton

## IPS WESSEX BRANCH

08:45-09:20	Registration & Exhibition Viewing
09:20-09:30	Welcome & Housekeeping - Chair
09:30-10:00	Managing a large <i>C. auris</i> outbreak in the Vascular service at UHS - Julian Sutton - Consultant in Infectious Diseases & Medical Microbiology, University Hospital Southampton NHS Trust
10:00-10:30	UHSFT Measles Cluster - Sue Dally, Matron Infection Prevention and Control, University Hospital Southampton
10:30-11:00	How Infection Preventionists can help save the world - Suzy Moody - TB Specialist Nurse and Sustainability Advocate, HIOW Healthcare Trust
11:00-11:30	Refreshments & Exhibition Viewing
11:30-12:00	IPC in a Mental Health and Community setting - Anne Evans, HIOW Healthcare Trust
12:00-12:30	Infection Control for Funeral Directors - Jackie Collins, Independent IPC Specialist
12:30-13:00	Hydrate to Feel Great - Heidi Smith, Senior IPC Specialist, NHS Hampshire and Isle of Wight Integrated Care Board
13:00-14:00	Networking Lunch & Exhibition Viewing
14:00-14:05	Afternoon Welcome - Chair
14:05-14:35	Varicella Incident within a Care Home setting - Viv O'Connor, Infection Prevention & Control Lead Nurse, NHS Hampshire and Isle of Wight Integrated Care Board
14:35-15:05	iGAS outbreak in a Planned Treatment Centre - Yvonne Martindale, Deputy Director Infection Prevention and Control, Sussex Community NHS Foundation Trust
15:05-15:20	Sponsor hosted session - T-Safe
15:20-15:30	Closing remarks - Chair

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