

Diagnosis and clinical impact of anaerobic infections

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Public Health England, Colindale, London. UK.

Chair: Prof Sheila Patrick

10:00 Introduction

Prof Sheila Patrick

10:05 *Propionibacterium acnes* as a cause of chronic back pain.

Prof Hanne Albert

University of Southern Denmark

10:35 Oral microbes and cancer.

Dr Riina Rautemaa-Richardson

University Hospital of South Manchester, Wythenshawe Hospital

11:05 – 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 *Propionibacterium acnes* and prostate cancer.

Dr Andrew McDowell

University of Ulster

12:00 A life with *Clostridium difficile*.

Prof Ian Poxton

University of Edinburgh

12:30 Lunch and poster viewing

14:00 The anatomy of a pimple: acne and the role of *Propionibacterium acnes*. (tbc)

14:30 Offered paper

14:45 MALDI_TOF mass spectrometry in the management of anaerobic infections. Prof Elisabeth Nagy

University of Szeged

15:15 Offered paper

15:15 – 15:30 Coffee break

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15:45 Trends in anaerobic infection.

Dr Trefor Morris

Anaerobe Reference Unit, Public Health Wales

16:15 Antimicrobial resistance of Gram negative anaerobic pathogens.

Dr Jozsef Soki

University of Szeged

17:00 End of symposium.

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