

Optimising MedTech Development & Innovation Through Research

Thursday 23rd February 2012 at BioCity, Nottingham

10:00	Registration and Coffee
10:30	Welcome & Introductions Lucy Allen, NIHR Office for Clinical Research Infrastructure (NOCRI) Sue Dunkerton, Co-Director of HealthTech & Medicines KTN
10:40	Research & the Innovation Pathway Oliver Wells, ABHI
11:05	Understanding the Importance of Unmet Clinical Needs Wendy Tindale, Devices for Dignity, NIHR Healthcare Technology Cooperative
11:20	Regulatory Requirements & Medical Device Studies Sandra Welch, Director of Clinical Operations, Medvance Kath Clarke, Regulatory Affairs and Quality Assurance Manager, Medvance
11:40	Funding for Innovation Sue Dunkerton, Co-Director of HealthTech & Medicines KTN
12:00	Panel Q&A
12:30	Lunch & Networking
13:30	Clinical Research in the NHS Jill Dhell, Department of Health
13:45	An Introduction to the NIHR Clinical Research Network (CRN) Sarah Crawshaw, NIHR Clinical Research Networks
14:00	Collaborative Research – Engaging with World-Leading Clinical Academics Lucy Allen, NIHR Office for Clinical Research Infrastructure (NOCRI);
14:15	Delivering Collaborative Research through the NIHR Clinical Research Infrastructure Tim Skelton, BRU Manager, University of Leicester Robyn Lotto, BRU Research Nurse, Glenfield Hospital
14:30	Panel Q&A
15:00	Coffee & Networking
15:20	NICE & The Medical Technologies Evaluation Programme Mark Campbell, NICE
15:50	An Industry Perspective of the NICE Medical Technologies Evaluation Programme Nick Bettles, Inditherm Plc
16:10	Panel Q&A
16:40	Meeting close