Neonatal Update 2019
“the science of newborn care”

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Speakers confirmed to date

Preventing infection transmission: key principles to guide policies
Dr Peter Hoffman, Public Health England

Sepsis calculators and other practical approaches to reduce antibiotic exposure in neonates
Professor Annemarie Van Rossum, Erasmus University, The Netherlands

The role of the preterm intestinal microbiome in sepsis and necrotising enterocolitis
Dr Christopher Stewart, University of Newcastle

Bringing big-data to infection control: preventing infections using pathogen genomics and mathematical modelling
Professor Christophe Fraser, University of Oxford

Advances in the management of hydrocephalus in infancy
Mr Greg James, Department of Paediatric Neurosurgery, Great Ormond Street Hospital

Translating insights from epigenetic science into health policy
Professor George Chrousos, University of Athens, Greece

The David Harvey Lecture 2019: The history of the development of surfactant
Professor Christian Speer, University Children’s Hospital, Wurzburg, Germany

Screening and novel therapies for Retinopathy of Prematurity
Professor Ann Hellstrom, Queen Silvia Children’s Hospital, Sweden

Real-time continuous glucose monitoring in neonatal intensive care
Dr Kathryn Beardsall, University of Cambridge

Caffeine therapy for apnea of prematurity: two decades of international clinical research
Professor Barbara Schmidt, University of Pennsylvania

Midwifery-led childbirth
Professor Julia Sanders, Cardiff University

Environmental hazards and newborn health
Professor Mireille Toledano, Imperial College London

Non-invasive newborn ventilation in high, middle and low-income settings
Professor Haresh Kirpalani, Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia

Practical management of home parenteral nutrition in infancy
Dr Susan Hill, Great Ormond Street Hospital

Neurodevelopmental outcomes following late and moderate prematurity
Professor Sam Johnson, University of Leicester

Strengths and weaknesses of national confidential case reviews of maternal and newborn morbidity and mortality
Professor Marian Knight, University of Oxford

Platelet-transfusion thresholds in neonatal medicine
Dr Anna Curley, National Maternity Hospital, Dublin

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