CANCER SURVIVAL IN IRELAND: HOW ARE WE REALLY DOING?

OBJECTIVES

1. Review cancer survival rates in Ireland for 10 cancers types (Lung, breast, colon, rectal, gastric, liver, cervical, ovarian, childhood leukaemia, prostate)

2. Examine recently published global cancer survival rates comparing cancer across 67 different countries

3. Identify gaps in the cancer continuum from prevention, screening, treatment, management of advanced disease, to end of life care

4. Provoke discussion and debate regarding access to care, access to drugs, resource limitations for patients being treated for cancer
FINTAN GUNNE LECTURE THEATRE,
Catherine McAuley Centre, Nelson St

Monday, 18th May 2015 at 18:00 hrs.

17.30 REGISTRATION AND REFRESHMENTS
18:00 WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION (Dr Cathy Kelly, Consultant Medical Oncologist)

18:05 DUCTAL CARCINOMA IN SITU: THE ROLE OF GENOMIC PREDICTORS IN DETERMINING WHO CAN AVOID RADIOTHERAPY (Session Chair: Mr Mitchel Barry, Consultant Surgeon)

Dr Lawrence Paszat, Senior Scientist/Epidemiologist and Radiation Oncologist (University of Toronto)

18:30 CANCER SURVIVAL IN IRELAND: HOW ARE WE REALLY DOING?
DATA FROM THE NATIONAL CANCER REGISTRY (Dr Harry Comber, NCRI)

18:40 PITFALLS WHEN COMPARING CANCER SURVIVAL ACROSS COUNTRIES AND CONTINENTS (Dr Lawrence Paszat, University of Toronto)

Discussion Panel
Dr Lawrence Paszat, Senior Scientist and Epidemiologist, Radiation Oncologist, University of Toronto, Ontario, Canada
Dr Jerome Coffey, Director National Cancer Control Programme (NCCP)
Dr Harry Comber, Director of the National Cancer Registry of Ireland (NCRI)
Dr Patricia Fitzpatrick, Director of Evaluation for the National Cancer Screening Service
Mr Gerry Mc Entee, Consultant Surgeon, MMUH
Prof. Leo Lawlor, Consultant Radiologists, MMUH
Prof. Helen Fenlon, Consultant Radiologist, MMUH
Mr Jurgen Mulsow, Consultant Surgeon, MMUH
Mr Conor Shields, Consultant Radiologist, MMUH
Mr Tom Walsh, Consultant Gynaeoncologist, MMUH and Rotunda
Representation from the Irish Cancer Society
### SESSION 1: IRISH SURVIVAL DATA FOR BREAST AND GYNAECOLOGICAL CANCER

Chairs: Dr Cathy Kelly and Professor Malcom Kell

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<td>Dr Deirdre Kelly, Registrar Medical Oncology</td>
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<td>Dr Kushal Chummun, Gynaecology SpR</td>
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### SESSION 2: IRISH SURVIVAL DATA FOR GASTROINTESTINAL AND HEPATOBILIARY

Chairs: Prof. Helen Fenlon and Prof. Ronan Cahill

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### SESSION 3: IRISH SURVIVAL DATA FOR LUNG AND PROSTATE CANCER AMD CHILDHOOD LEUKAEMIA

Chairs: Dr Michaela Higgins and Ms Karen Redmond

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**20:00 Prof. Ronan Cahill, Concluding Remarks**

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