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Tuesday, 26 September from 13.00 - 14.00

Venous Thromboembolism

"Using QI to reduce harm and promote recovery"

What will I learn?

- To understand the impact and epidemiology of VTE.
- How to risk assess and optimally prevent hospital-acquired VTE.
- To understand the importance of raising awareness of the signs and symptoms of VTE.



Prof. Fionnuala Ní Áinle

National Clinical Lead for the Venous Thromboembolism Patient Safety Programme

Prof Ní Áinle is the National Clinical Lead for the Venous Thromboembolism Patient Safety Programme (NVTEP).

A Consultant Haematologist based in the Mater and Rotunda Hospitals in addition to being a Full Clinical Professor at the School of Medicine UCD and Co-Director of the Conway SPHERE Research Group.



Ann Marie O'Neill

CEO, Thrombosis Ireland

Ann Marie is a Thrombosis Patient, survivor of multiple blood clots and founder of Thrombosis Ireland. Her mission is to see both a mandatory VTE Risk Assessment in our hospitals, Improvement in VTE education & awareness for Patients & Health Care Professionals and accurate Statistics for VTE in Ireland, made available to all.



Dr. Bibi Bassa

Emergency Medicine Registrar

Dr. Bassa background is in emergency medicine - currently a VTE Fellow in MMUH. Current RCSI MD Candidate with an interest in VTE in trauma. Keen interest in patient safety and recently completed the RCSI Diploma in human in patient safety and RCPI diploma in QI leadership.



Carol Walsh

Advanced Nurse Practitioner

Carol is Advanced Nurse Practitioner in acute medicine, with an interest in the acute management of VTE and prevention of hospital acquired Venous Thromboembolism.

Co-hosts



Dr. John Fitzsimons, Clinical Director with the National Quality and Patient Safety Directorate and Consultant Paediatrician at Children's Health Ireland at Temple Street.



Róisín Egenton, Programme Manager (Strategy), Quality and Patient Safety Improvement

National Quality and Patient Safety Directorate

The National QPS Directorate provides a regular lunch time, one hour webinar series, focusing on quality safety and improvement. Running approximately every two weeks (in term time), it is open to all those interested in improving quality. Join individually or together as a group to assist in building your own local QPS networks.

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