

# RCPsych in Scotland Joint Old Age and General Adult Faculty Conference

6 December 2024 | Stirling Court Hotel, Stirling

## Tricky Transitions and Interfaces across the Age Range

Morning Session Chair: Dr Vivek Pattan	
09:00 – 09:15	Arrival / Registration
09:15 – 09:25	<b>Welcome and introduction to the morning from the Old Age Faculty Chair</b> Dr Vivek Pattan, Consultant Psychiatrist, Chair of RCPsychiS Old Age Faculty
09:25 – 10:15 (inc Q&A)	<b>What is NHS 111 (England)? Press 2 for Mental Health. Do we need one in Scotland?</b> Dr. Ajoy Thachil, Consultant Psychiatrist, Consultant Liaison Psychiatrist; Medical Lead, Same Day Emergency Care in Mental Health; Associate Medical Director, Croydon/BDP Operational Directorate, South London & Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust
10:15	<b>Parallel Sessions – (delegates select one session)</b>
<b>Session 1</b> (ends at 11:15)	<b>Debate: Does general adult psychiatry have a future as a specialty in the NHS?*</b> Proposition Speaker: Professor Anthony Pelosi, Consultant Psychiatrist, Priory Hospital, Glasgow / Opposition Speaker: Dr Jane Morris, Consultant Psychiatrist & Chair, RCPsychiS
<b>Session 2</b> (ends at 11:05)	<b>Clozapine for Psychosis and Neurodegenerating conditions in Older Adults. Time to rethink our approach.</b> Professor Suzanne Reeves, Professor of Old Age Psychiatry and Psychopharmacology, UCL
11:05 – 11:15	<b>Old Age Faculty Update and Business Meeting</b>
11:15 – 11:30	<b>Break &amp; Posters</b>
11:30 – 12:00	<b>Different diagnoses, different people, different needs (Rare Dementia Group)</b> Professor Sebastian Crutch Professor of Neuropsychology, Dementia Research Centre, UCL
12:00 – 12:45	<b>Sleep, Circadian Rhythms and Bipolar Disorder</b> Professor Daniel Smith, Chair of Psychiatry & Head of the Division of Psychiatry, University of Edinburgh
12:45 – 13:45	<b>Lunch &amp; Posters</b>
Afternoon Session Chair: Dr Jane Morris	
13:45 – 14:25	<b>Workshop - Developing a national consensus protocol for Young Onset Dementia pathway.</b> Facilitators: Dr Vivek Pattan, Consultant Psychiatrist, NHS Forth Valley; Dr Sowmya Munishankar, Consultant Psychiatrist and Clinical Director, Old Age Psychiatry, NHS Lanarkshire (joining remotely) and Ms. Jill Carson, Consultant in Public Policy, Alzheimer's Scotland
14:25 – 14:50 (amended)	<b>ASD and ADHD across the age</b> Dr Prem Shah, Consultant Psychiatrist, NHS Lothian / Edinburgh Psychiatry
14:50 – 15:05	<b>Break &amp; Posters</b>
15:05 – 15:45	<b>Workshop - Developing the protocol for transition from adult to older adult using patient journey examples. Should all patients transition?</b> Facilitator: Dr Vivek Pattan, Consultant Psychiatrist, NHS Forth Valley; Dr Neill Anderson, Consultant Psychiatrist, NHS Lothian (OAP) & Dr Amy Macaskill, Consultant Psychiatrist & Clinical Lead General Adult Psychiatry North NHS, NHS Highland (GAP)
15:45 – 16:15	<b>Feedback from the groups/ audience</b>
16:15 – 16:45	<b>Poster Prize and Panel discussion</b>
16:45	<b>Close</b>

*\*All views are the speakers own for the purposes of the debate only*