



Annual Study Conference 2022

The Hayes Conference Centre, Swanwick,
Alfreton, Derbyshire, DE55 1AU

Monday 10th to Wednesday 12th October 2022
*With Tuesday 11th October available as a day
conference within the full Conference*

Applied Healthcare Chaplaincy **#Making a Difference on the Ground**

Over the last three years, the College, and indeed the whole profession, has been increasingly focussed on “What does good look like” as we go forward. Last year our virtual conference considered this question in broad terms. This year, as we meet in person, we want to apply best practice to action on the ground, reflecting on our teams and on ourselves as individual chaplains.

Areas covers will include “How do we deliver the best care? How best to work with rituals? What can be seen as best practice in mental health or a palliative setting?” We will also look at the chaplaincy workforce, “how do we care for ourselves, how do we best recruit?” These and many more questions are facing us as the profession builds on what we have learnt during covid19.

In keeping with our “Applied Chaplaincy theme” the conference will focus on workshops, talks and panel discussions to maximise the opportunity for learning and engagement rather than ‘keynote speakers’, with space left between for networking and informal learning from colleagues from across the UK.

Confirmed contributors include:

Lindsay van Dijk, Simon Betteridge, Mia Hilborn, Sabia Rehman, Andrew Williams, Jez Brown, Mark Newitt, Karen Murphy

Costs

- Full conference from £295 for CHCC members
- Day conference £100
The middle day has been designed to work as a stand-alone day conference for those unable to attend the full conference.

Please see booking form for full booking options

Booking Forms

Available on the CHCC website or from alison.thorp1@nhs.net

CPD points available

2022 Conference Indicative Timetable

Day one: Monday 10th October 2022

- 12:00-12:45 Arrival & Registration in the **Lakeside Reception**
- 12:45-13:45 **Lunch**
- 13:45-14:15 Drop-in session for first time conference attendees
- 14:30-14:45 Welcome and introduction
- 14:45-16:00 **Keynote panel, discussing: “Spirituality is a complex term to define and is primarily associated with meaning, purpose, hope, love, transcendence and relationships.” (John Swinton)**
- 16:00-16:30 Refreshments
- 16:45-17:45 **Common Concerns – a space to discuss current issues** (could include guidelines, Registration and the role of chaplaincy in ICSs)
- 18:30 **Dinner**
- 19:45 **Mental Health Forum Gathering**

Day two: Tuesday 11th October 2022 (and Day Conference)

- 08:00-08:15 Worship/Meditation
- 08:15 **Breakfast**
- 09:15-10:30 **Keynote panel: Applying the complexity of spirituality to make a difference on the ground.**
- 10:30-11:00 Refreshments

11:00-12:30 **Workshops**

Compassion fatigue & Burnout

Chaplaincy in multi-disciplinary teams

The application of chaplaincy in palliative care

Learning from engagement with the
new community health framework

Encountering diverse perspectives on reality, life, and
death.

12:45 **Lunch**

14:00-15:30 **Workshops**

15:30-16:15 Refreshments

16:30-17:45 **The value of ritual in spiritual encounters from
different belief perspectives**

19:00 **College Dinner**

Day three: Wednesday 12th October 2022

08:00-08:15 Worship/Meditation

08:15 **Breakfast**

09:30-10:45 **Making a difference in the NHS**

10.45-11.00 **Closing Plenary**

11:00-11:30 **Refreshments and Departure**