

IDI Annual Conference Programme



24th October 2025, Hodson Bay Hotel, Athlone

“2025-AI: A quarter century of decontamination, evolution, education, and new possibilities”

07:30-08:30	Registration, Exhibition Viewing, Tea & Coffee	
08:30-08:45	Official opening of conference 2025	Mr John Behan – TU Dublin
Session 1	Moderator: Niamh O Callaghan	
08:45-09:25	Why you need to report Decontamination incidents, Phaco Handpieces	Sulisti Holmes – NHS Scotland
09:25-10:05	Advancing Disinfection Standards - UVC innovation by Light-emitting diodes (LED) for ultrasound probe high-level disinfection	Tracey Nugent – Lumicare
10:05-10:45	"Your Mouth Harbours a Diverse Array of Viruses: An Under-Appreciated Risk of Contamination"	Professor Coleman – Dublin Dental University Hospital
10:45-10:50	Q&A	
10:50-11:40	Exhibition Viewing, Tea & Coffee	
Session 2	Moderator: Sandra Dowling	
11:40-12:15	What's Next in Track and Trace? Trends, Data, and the Road Ahead	Alex Prior – Athera Healthcare
12:15-13:00	It all adds up – improving margin of safety for patients in every step of endoscope decontamination	Olegs Tucs – TU Dublin
13:00-13:10	Q&A	
13:20-15:00	Lunch & Exhibition Viewing	
Session 3	Moderator: Darren Fitzpatrick	
15:00-15:40	The future of flexible endoscopes	Jessie Oliver – Decontamination & Stores Manager - Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust
15:40-16:10	20 years of decontamination education, The past, the present and the future	John Behan – TU Dublin
16:10-16:30	TBC	TU Dublin Student – TBC
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17:00	Closing of Conference	Ms Tracey Scott