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ARNS Conference – Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> May 2026			
08:30	<b>Registration, refreshments and exhibition</b>		
09:00 – 09:15	<b>Introduction and welcome – Maria Parsonage, ARNS Chair</b>		
09:15 – 10:00	<b>Keynote Speaker</b> Chair: Maria Parsonage  Title: TBA  Speaker: Professor Lucy Easthope		
09:45 – 10:15	<b>Respiratory News</b> Chair: Maria Parsonage /Iain Wheatley Title: Respiratory Transformational Partnership and looking to the future.  Speaker: Health Innovation Oxford and Thames Valley		
10:15 – 10:45	<b>Session 1</b> Chair: Iain Wheatley / Joanne King  Title: Sex differences in Obstructive airway disease  Speaker: Christine Mwasuku		
10:45 – 11:30	<b>Refreshments and exhibition</b>		
11:30 – 12:15	<b>Sponsored symposium</b> Chair: Elaine Bevan-Smith  Title: TBA  Speaker: TBA		
12:20 – 12:50	<b>Session 2</b> Chair: Vivienne Marsh  Title: Young People in Healthcare  Speaker: Nicky Pettitt, Consultant Nurse for Youth & Transition at University Hospitals Birmingham	<b>Session 3</b> Chair: Emma Rickards  Title: Putting nursing on the front foot  Speaker: Ann McMahon and Andrée le May	<b>Session 4</b> Chair: Joanne King  Title: Optimising patient consultation  Speaker: Anna Murphy
12:50 – 13:20	<b>Poster viewing – session 1 Kate Lippiett and Aleks Gawlik-Lipinski</b>		
13:20 – 14.00	<b>Lunch and exhibition</b>		
14.00 – 14:30	<b>Case Studies / Workshop / Practice experiences / Research</b>		
	<b>Session 5:</b> Chair: Joyce Pang	<b>Session 6:</b> Chair: Beverley Bostock	<b>Session 7:</b> Chair: Maria Eurton

	<p>Title: Type 2 Inflammation in COPD Speaker: Helena Cummings / Kerry Woodward</p>	<p>Title: Why are people with asthma more likely to receive antibiotics? Perspective from healthcare professionals and patients Speaker: Nour Odeh</p>	<p>Title: Practical Clinical skills Spirometry competency's Speaker: Claire Adams</p>
14:35 – 15:20	<p><b>Sponsored Symposium</b> Chair: Maria Eurton</p> <p>Title: TBA Speaker: TBA</p>		
15:20 – 15:50	<p><b>Refreshments and exhibition</b></p>		
15:50 – 16:20	<p><b>Session 6 - Oral Presentations</b> Chair: Donna Peat / Kayleigh Brindle</p>		
16:20 – 16:50	<p><b>ARNS Got Talent</b> <b>Nominees for Respiratory Excellence</b> Chair: Maria Parsonage / Iain Wheatley</p>		
16:50 – 17:05	<p><b>AGM – Members only</b></p>		
17:15	<p><b>Close of day one</b></p>		
19:00	<p><b>Drinks reception</b></p>		
19:30	<p><b>Gala dinner and awards ceremony</b></p>		



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ARNS Conference – Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> May 2026		
08:00-08:30	<b>Optional wellbeing sessions: Singing/Laughing</b>	
08:30 -09:00	<b>Registration, refreshments and exhibition</b>	
09:00 –09:05	<b>Vice Chair - Introduction and Welcome</b> Iain Wheatley, ARNS Vice Chair	
09:05 – 09:45	<b>Keynote Speaker:</b> Chair: Iain Wheatley  Title: The Healthcare Landscape  Speaker: Pippa Heylings MP	
09:45 –10:15	<b>Session 1 – Oral presentations</b> Chair: Helena Cummings	
10:15 – 10:45	<b>Refreshments and exhibition</b>	
10:45 –11:15	<b>Session 2</b> Chair: Iain Wheatley and Nerea Odongo  Title: Lincolnshire Community Virtual Wards  Speakers: Kate Parrott / Ruth Crowder	<b>Session 3:</b> Chair: Rachel Daly  Title: Bronchiectasis  Speaker: Naomi Watt and Rachel Daly
11:20 -12:05	<b>Sponsored symposium</b> Chair: Maria Eurton  Title: TBA  Speaker: TBA	
12:05 –12:35	<b>Poster viewing – Session 2 – Kate Lippiett and Aleks Gawlik-Lipinski</b>	
12:35-13:15	<b>Lunch and exhibition</b>	
13:15 –13:50	<b>Case Studies / Workshop / Practice experiences / Research</b>	
	<b>Session 4:</b> Chair: Lucy Speakman  Title: Practice experience and research Career as a Respiratory nurse (career progression)  Speaker: Natalie Harper	<b>Session 5:</b> Chair: Leanne-Jo Holmes  Title: Mesothelioma  Speaker: Maria Parsonage /Gem Barton  Title: Women with Mesothelioma and cosmetics  Speaker: Irwin Mitchell

13:55 – 14:30	<p><b>Session 6</b>  Chair: Amanda Smalley  Title: ILD / Pulmonary hypertension  Speakers: Emma Rickards and Jessica Mandizha</p>	<p><b>Session 7</b>  Chair: Dave Barber  Title: Dysfunctional breathing and management techniques  Speakers: Ruth Thomas and Vicki Wilson</p>
14:35 – 15:05	<p><b>Session 8</b>  Chair: TBA  Title: When the professional becomes a patient (Asthma)  Speaker: Joanne King and Sharon Stothard</p>	
15:05 – 15:15	<p><b>Competition Prize Awards and Close of Conference</b>  Chair: Maria Parsonage and Iain Wheatley</p>	