

INNOVATION IN HOME SUPPORT CONFERENCE 2025







Our Life, Our Way!

Let's reimagine care at home

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

8.45am	Registration - Exhibitor Stands			
9.40am	Shane Jennings	CEO Dovida Ireland	Welcome Address	
9.55am	Mark Pollock	Master of Ceremonies	Introduction	
10.05am	Joseph Musgrave	CEO Home and Community Care Ireland	Is it time for Ireland to have a national social plan?	
10.35am	Hildegarde Naughton TD	Minister of State with responsibility for Disability	Ministerial Address	
10.50am	Break - Poster Viewing and Exhibitor Stands			
11.10am	Prof. Helen Sanderson	Keynote Speaker	Imagine if we did home support differently	
11.40am	Tricia Nicoll	Invited Speaker	How well are you supporting people to live a Gloriously Ordinary Life?	
12.10pm	Tony O'Brien	Facilitator	Panel Discussion and Q&A	
12.45pm	Lunch - Rooftop Bar			

Poster - Connecting Voices: Frontline Alternative & Augmentative Communication (AAC) Support in the Home. Sarah Meehan and Genevieve Williams, HSE, North Inner City Children's Disability Network Team (NIC CDNT)

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	Policy in Action					
1.30pm	Avril Easton, Irish Hospice Foundation. Findings from the first National End of Life Survey about Experiences of End-of-Life Care (EOLC) at Home.					
1.45pm	Maighread Kelly, Independent Consultant. Safeguarding Excellence in Homecare: A framework for protecting adults.					
	New Models Better Lives	Frontline Innovation				
2pm	Marie Kehoe-O'Sullivan, National Disabilities Quality Improvement Office, HSE. Health Passport (HSE).	2pm - 2.30pm Karen McCormick, Founder of inCharge. inCharge App:	Tricia Nicoll WORKSHOP: Gloriously Ordinary			
2.15pm	Barry Moore, Vitality Neuro Rehabilitation. Exercise & Wellness: The next step in the continuum of care for people living with paralysis.	Scaffolding Teams, Supporting Good Lives. Exploring how inCharge uses	Lives - Applying the tests			
2.30pm	Jenny Burke and Frances Maloney, Dovida Ireland. Releasing Capacity, Restoring Independence - A national model for neurogenic bowel and bladder care at home. The Mayo experience.	technology to strengthen the relationships and coordination that make person-centred lives work.				
	New Models Better Lives	Frontline Innovation				
2.45pm	Dr. Mary Cronin, University College Cork, Prof. Sinead McGilloway, Maynooth University, and June Twomey, Family Carers Ireland / RGN HSE. Communicating with Healthcare Professionals – overview of an empowerment workshop co-designed for family carers.	2.30pm - 3pm Irene Hartigan, Peter Corcoran and Francis Fowley, UCC and NUIG. Event Camera Sensing: Remote monitoring of care.	Tricia Nicoll WORKSHOP: Gloriously Ordinary Language			
3pm	Marese Damery, Irish Hospice Foundation. Supporting People to Die Well at Home - an innovative programme for carers and professionals.					
	New Models Better Lives	Frontline Innovation				
3.15pm	Coklar-Okutkan et al, Trinity College Dublin, DKIT, Caredoc, and Dovida Ireland. Evaluating the Effectiveness of the ProACT Digital Health Platform for Multimorbidity Self-Management in Older Adults: Findings from the SEURO Irish Trial Site.	3pm - 3.30pm Kirsty Ryan, OT and Clinical Training Manager, Seating Matters. Therapeutic seating for dementia care.				
3.45pm	Winning Abstract: Corcoran, P et al, UG and UCC - Where does helpful become intrusive? Reimagining home-based care: Ethical boundaries in remotely sensed care.					
4.15pm	Closing Remarks - Mark Pollock					
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