# IARNA 15th National Conference

*Hotel Kilkenny, Kilkenny*

**Saturday 30th September 2017**

**THEME:** ‘Skills and Drills: Caring with Confidence’

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| 09.00 - 09.08 | Welcome from IARNA  
**IARNA Chairperson**                                                                 |
| **Session 1:** Chairperson Introduction  
| 09.10 - 09.40 | Pre-Admission Units - Where we are and where we want to be  
Ms Aileen O Brien  
*Nurse Lead, National Clinical Anaesthesia Programme*                                                                 |
| 09.40 - 10.10 | Malignant Hyperthermia- Still a Burning Issue  
Ms. Maureen McLaughlin  
*Quality Nurse Specialist, Department of Anaesthesia, Lahey Hospital and Medical Centre, MA, USA*                     |
| 10.10 - 10.40 | Enhanced Recovery After Surgery (ERAS)  
Prof Paul Neary  
*Consultant Colorectal Surgeon, Tallaght Hospital*                                                                 |
| 10.40 - 10.50 | Questions and Answers                                                                 |
| 10.50 - 11.10 | Coffee & Exhibition                                                                            |
| **Session 2:** Chairperson Introduction  
| 11.10 - 11.40 | Easy Queasy Pharmacology  
Ms Geraldine McMahon  
*Clinical Nurse Facilitator, Tallaght Hospital*                                                                  |
| 11.40 - 12.10 | Regional Anaesthesia-Principles and Practices  
Dr Brian Kinirons  
*Consultant Anaesthetist, Galway University Hospital*                                                              |
| 12.10 - 12.40 | Managing Generational Diversity in the Workplace  
Ms Katrina Bickerstaff  
*Immediate Past President, American Society of Perianesthesia Nurses*                                          |
| 12.40 - 12.55 | Questions and Answers                                                                          |
| 12.55 - 13.15 | Judging of Poster Competition, Exhibition                                                       |
| 13.15 - 14.15 | Lunch                                                                                         |
| 14.15 - 17.05 | Workshops                                                                                     |
| 14.15 - 17.05 | • Difficult Airway  
• Fibroptic Intubation  
• Paediatric Scenarios  
• Can’t Intubate, Can’t Ventilate  
• Regional Anaesthesia Workshop  
All delegates will attend each airway station on a rotational basis.  
*Please check information board at the conference to find your group* |
| 17.05 - 17.20 | Conference Closure and Presentation of Prizes                                                  |

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