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## 08:45 DELEGATE REGISTRATION, NETWORKING AND REFRESHMENTS

**Chair: Nishkay Kakkar**

### 09:15 Welcome and opening address

Dr Nishchay Kakkar, BIA Trainee Meetings Secretary

### Sustainability in Infection: Reducing the carbon footprint of infection diagnosis, management and control

09:20 Luke Hunt, SpR in Infectious Diseases & Medical Microbiology, Sheffield Teaching Hospitals

### Sustainable glove use in critical care

Dr Sam Clark, Consultant Intensivist, Critical Care Unit, Mid Cheshire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

### 10:20 Parvovirus: What's happened this season?

Dr Alison Cope, Consultant Virologist, Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust

## 11:00 REFRESHMENTS AND NETWORKING

### Treating IE - Multidisciplinary approach

#### Panel members:

11:30 Dr Oliver Watson, Cardiology Consultant, Sheffield Teaching Hospitals

Dr Emma Boldock, Consultant Microbiologist, Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust

Mr Norman Briffa MB ChB MD FRCS(CTh), Consultant Cardiac Surgeon, Sheffield Teaching Hospitals

### 12:30 Ventilation and IPC

Dr Chris Lynch, Microbiology Consultant, Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

## 13:10 LUNCH AND NETWORKING

**Chair: Hannah Pymont**

### Periprosthetic joint infection - The Sheffield perspective

14:10 Professor Rob Townsend, Microbiology consultant, Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust and Tim Harrison, Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

### 15:25 Future of molecular testing 16S PCR

Dr Hannah Tanner, Clinical Scientist, UKHSA

### 16:10 Closing remarks

Dr Nishchay Kakkar, BIA Trainee Meetings Secretary

## 16:15 CLOSE OF CONFERENCE

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