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## 08:30 DELEGATE REGISTRATION AND EXHIBITION VIEWING

Session Chair: Helen Call/Diane Stark, NHS Highland

**09:15** **Welcome and opening address**  
*Heidi May, Nurse Director*

**09:30** **Public Health Update**  
*Jenny Wares*

**Topic: Microbiology**  
**10:00** *Vanda Plecko, Matthew Coulson, Maarya Mehmood & Michael Milarvie*  
*Recorded Talk*

## 10:30 REFRESHMENTS AND EXHIBITION VIEWING

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**11:15** **Re-envisioning hand hygiene practice**  
*Professor Lesley Price, Professor, Glasgow Caledonian University*

**11:45** **Water safety: Chain of Infection - A reservoir of organisms**  
*Daniel Pitcher, Authorising Engineer [Water], Water Hygiene Centre*

**12:25** **COMPANY SYMPOSIUM**  
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## 12:55 LUNCH AND EXHIBITION VIEWING

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**14:10** **Respiratory Health Effects from Cleaning Products**  
*Dr Mark Hilditch, Consultant Occupational Physician, Occupational Health and Wellbeing Service, NHS Highland*

**14:40** **Patient placement and assessment for infection risk**  
*Emma Franklin, Infection Prevention & Control Nurse, NHS Highland*

**Care Home Update**  
**15:10** *Ann Chalmers, Senior Infection Prevention & Control Nurse, Quality Improvement Facilitator, NHS Care Homes, Care at Home & Adult Day Care, New Craigs Hospital*

**15:40** **CLOSE OF CONFERENCE**  
*Catherine Stokoe*