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# AORTIC DISSECTION AWARENESS DAY IRELAND

## Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2024



### Guinness Enterprise Centre The Liberties, Dublin



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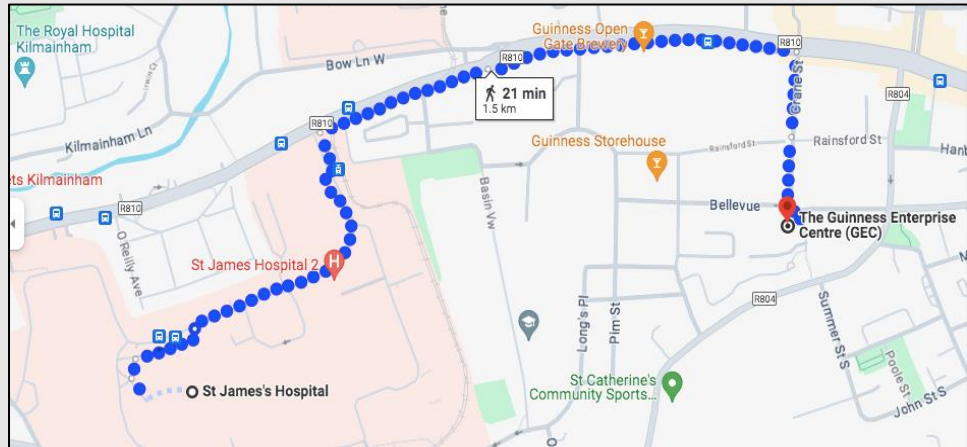
All delegates and guests will receive a name badge at the Welcome desk. Please wear your badge at all times.

## Catering facilities

Catering will be served across the foyer from the Aortic Dissection Awareness day meeting room. This area will remain available all day for delegates requiring a quiet rest or private conversation. Tea/coffee breaks, mineral water and lunch are all included in your registration.

## Venue

Guinness Enterprise Centre  
Taylors Lane  
The Liberties  
Dublin 8  
Ireland  
D08 YPP9  
T: 00353 1 4100600



## Directions

The Guinness Enterprise Centre is 1km (14 minute walk/5 min cab ride) from St. James Hospital Luas (Tramstop), 1.3 km (19 minute walk/8 min cab ride) from Heuston Station and 2.4 km (30 minute walk/15 min cab ride) from Dublin City Centre. Take the number 123 Bus from O'Connell Street or Dame Street (direction Walkinstown) and disembark at James Street Bus Stop 1940. It's the first stop after Arthurs Pub opposite ROE & CO. On street parking is available a couple of minutes from the GEC, be mindful of the one way system in the area.

## Accommodation

We recommend delegates stay in the local area the night before the event, to make it easier to arrive at the venue for a 9am start. Hotels are available nearby to suit a range of budgets.

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## PROGRAMME: AORTIC DISSECTION AWARENESS DAY IRELAND 2024

<b>09:00 – 09:30</b>	<b>Registration and Tea/Coffee</b>	
09:30 – 09:45	<b>Welcome &amp; Introduction</b> Mr. Gareth Owens, Chair, Aortic Dissection Awareness UK & Ireland	
09:45 – 10:00	<b>Host:</b> Mr. Saleem Jahangeer, Consultant Cardiothoracic Surgeon, St. James’s Hospital	
10:00 – 10:15	Ms. Mary Day, CEO, St. James’s Hospital, Dublin	
10:15 – 10:30	Dr. Emma McCann, Consultant in Clinical Genetics, Children’s Health Ireland	
10:30 – 10:45	Patient Story	
<b>10:45 – 11:15</b>	<b>Tea/Coffee Break</b>	
11:15 – 11:35	<b>Keynote:</b> Dr. Benjamin Youdelman, Director of Thoracic Aortic Surgery, Maimonides Medical Center, Brooklyn, New York; Clinical Lead, THINK AORTA US	
11:35 – 11:50	Ms. Zenia Martin, Consultant Vascular Surgeon, St. James’s Hospital	
11:50 – 12:05	Dr. Ross Murphy, Consultant Cardiologist, St. James’s Hospital	
12:05 – 12:20	Dr. Cormac Kennedy, Consultant Pharmacologist, St. James’s Hospital	
12:20 – 12:35	Dr. Rajesh Kumar, Consultant Cardiologist, Tullamore, Co. Offally	
12:35 – 13:00	Interactive Q&A	
<b>13:00 – 14:00</b>	<b>Lunch Break</b>	
14:00 – 14:15	Dr. Darragh Shields, Consultant in Emergency Medicine, St. James’s Hospital	
14:15 – 14:30	Dr. Danielle Byrne, Consultant Radiologist, St. James’s Hospital	
14:30 – 14:45	Dr. John Cooney, Consultant Psychiatrist & Clinical Director, St. James’s Hospital	
14:45 – 15:00	Ms. Niamh McCarthy, Senior Physiotherapist, St. James’s Hospital	
15:00 – 15:15	Ms. Anne Gallagher, Cardiac Rehabilitation Co-ordinator, Mater Misericordiae University Hospital, Dublin (Rtd.)	
15:15 – 15:30	Ms. Jacinta Flynn, Advanced Nurse Practitioner, St. James’s Hospital	
15:30 – 15:50	Interactive Q&A	
<b>15:50 – 16:15</b>	<b>Tea Break</b>	
16:15 – 16:20	<b>Special Presentation</b>	
16:20 – 16:30	Closing Remarks & Announcement of AD Awareness Day Ireland 2025 Mr. Saleem Jahangeer, Mr. Gareth Owens, Mr. Stuart Garvie & Ms. Deirdre Clinch	
<b>16:30 – 17:00</b>	<b>Networking &amp; opportunity for patients/clinicians and group photos</b>	
<b>17:00</b>	<b>Depart</b>	

## **Speakers (in order of appearance):**

**Mr. Gareth Owens**, *MSc. (Oxon), MBCS, CITP, Chair, Aortic Dissection Awareness UK & Ireland*

**Mr. Saleem Jahangeer**, *Consultant Cardiothoracic Surgeon, St. James's Hospital, Dublin*

**Ms. Mary Day**, *Chief Executive Officer, St. James's Hospital, Dublin*

**Dr. Emma McCann**, *Consultant in Clinical Genetics, Childrens' Hospital Ireland*

### **Patient TBC**

**Dr. Benjamin Youdelman**, *Director of Thoracic Aortic Surgery, Maimonides Medical Center, New York, USA*

**Ms. Zenia Martin**, *Consultant Vascular Surgeon, St. James's Hospital, Dublin*

**Dr. Ross Murphy**, *Consultant Cardiologist, St. James's Hospital, Dublin*

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**Mr. Stuart Garvie**, *Ireland Representative, Aortic Dissection Awareness UK & Ireland*

**Ms. Deirdre Clinch**, *Ireland Representative, Aortic Dissection Awareness UK & Ireland*