



Posture &
Mobility
Group

PMG Conference 2017

Draft Programme

DATE/TIME	EVENT The conference programme is subject to change at the discretion of PMG	Location
Monday 17th July		
15:00 – 21:00	Registration desk	Motorpoint Foyer
15:00 – approx 19:00	Book Stall	Motorpoint Foyer
16:00 – 17:00	Speed networking: <i>Plus sizes – where do they fit?; Belts and harnesses – what are they for?; Integration of Electronic Assistive Technology; Stability or mobility: conform or function?</i>	Novello & Langley Level 2 Motorpoint
19:00 – 22:00	Welcome Evening	Smoke Haus
Tuesday 18th July		
08:00 – 08:45	Breakfast in the Exhibition	Main Arena
08:00 – 17:00	Registration desk	Front Foyer
08:00 – 17:00	Book Stall	Front Foyer
08:00 – 17:00	Exhibition open	Main Arena
09:00 – 09:15	<i>Opening Address:</i> Diane Hargrove , Chair of Posture & Mobility Group	Conference Suites Level 2
09:15 – 10:15	OPENING PLENARY SESSION: PL1 <i>i) SPECIAL GUEST: Chris Rattenbury</i> , Wheelpower ambassador <i>ii) Surgical aspects of treating Myelomeningocele</i> Mr Paul Leach , Consultant Paediatric Neurosurgeon, University Hospital of Wales, Cardiff	“
10:15 – 11:15	Exhibition; refreshments; poster viewing	Main Arena
11:20 – 12:00	FREE PAPERS FP1: <i>Exploring seating solutions for children with complex physical disabilities – less is more.</i> Caroline Desjardins , Leicester Wheelchair Services & Suzanne Ziegler , Leicester Partnership NHS Trust FP2: <i>Custom made lateral supports for the active wheelchair user: a case study</i> Dale Ryan , ABMU Health Board, Swansea	Conference Suites Level 2
12:00 – 13:00	PARALLEL SESSIONS: AM	
PS1	<i>i) Reducing temperature at the seat-patient interface in carved foam seating</i> Sarah Greasley , Oxford Centre for Enablement <i>ii) Enhancing comfort and function through temperature controlled back supports</i> Matthew Eveleigh , Sunrise Medical	Level 2 Room TBC
PS2	<i>Exploring computer vision as a platform to deliver playful home-based manual wheelchair skills training.</i> Kathrin Gerling , University of Lincoln	Level 2 Room TBC
PS3	<i>A person-centred approach to the protection and restoration of body shape</i> Tessa Ellis and Helena Poulton , Independent Practitioners	Level 2 Room TBC
PS4	<i>Exhibition viewing</i>	Main Arena
PS5	<i>What do we do with these competencies?</i> Gill Packham , National Wheelchair Managers' Forum; Susan Gold , WestMARC, Glasgow Colin Gibson , Rehabilitation Engineering Services Management Group (RESMaG)/Institute of Physics and Engineering in Medicine (IPEM)	Level 2 Room TBC
PS6	<i>i) Show me the money!</i> David Punt , Chair of PMG Research Committee; <i>ii) Show me the stage!</i> Dave Long , PMG Conference, Education & Communications Cttee	Level 2 Room TBC
PS7	<i>Is your performance affected by stability?</i> John Colvin , WestMARC, Glasgow; Simon Fielden and Mike Heelis , West Midlands Rehabilitation Centre, Birmingham	Level 2 Room TBC
13:00 – 14:00	Exhibition; refreshments; poster viewing	Main Arena
14:00 – 15:00	PARALLEL SESSIONS: PM (as AM sessions above)	
15:00 – 16:00	Exhibition; refreshments; poster presentations Q&A	Main Arena
16:00 – 17:00	PLENARY SESSION: PL2 <i>i) Mobile app technologies in pressure ulcer care - an evaluation in the community</i> Lorna Tasker , ABMU Health Board, Swansea <i>ii) Deformation is a cell killer: protecting tissues by minimizing exposure to sustained deformations</i> Amit Gefen , president of the European Pressure Ulcer Advisory Panel (EPUAP)	Conference Suites Level 2
19:00 – 19:45	Drinks Reception in the Exhibition	Main Arena
20:00 – 01:00	Gala Dinner & After Party	Main Arena

Wednesday 19 th July	EVENT	WHERE
08:00 – 08:45	Breakfast and Exhibition	Main Arena
08:00 – 17:00	Book Stall	Front Foyer
08:00 – 16:00	Registration desk open	Front Foyer
08:00 – 14:15	Exhibition	Main Arena
09:00 – 09:10	Good morning greetings/housekeeping: Diane Hargrove	Conference Suites Level 2
09:10 – 10:30	PLENARY SESSION: PL3 <i>User-centred design of smart wheelchairs</i> Chinemelu Ezech , University College London <i>Advanced matrix seating: what can be achieved using Matrix</i> Hans Candeborn , Aktiv Ortopedteknik, Sweden <i>Little explorers</i> Jo Jex , Active Design	“
10:30 – 11:30	Exhibition; refreshments; poster viewing	Main Arena
11:30 – 12:30	FREE PAPERS FP3: <i>Delivering a person-centred wheelchair service, using shared decision making (SDM)</i> Lynne Peters , Bridgewater Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust FP4: <i>Physical management of people with a disorder of consciousness (DOC) and its impact on the pattern of limb and spinal deformities: results from a prospective case series and a retrospective chart review.</i> Rasheed Meeran , Holy Cross Hospital, Haslemere FP5: <i>The role of digitised pressure transducers for use with air cushions to assist the consistent management and prevention of pressure ulcers.</i> Benjamin Lee , ABMU Health Board, Swansea	Conference Suites Level 2
12:30 – 13:00	THE ALDERSEA LECTURE <i>Change: good, bad or ugly?</i> Lone Rose , National Spinal Injuries Centre, Stoke Mandeville	“
13:00 – 14:15	Lunch; exhibition; poster viewing	Main Arena
14:15 – 15:30	FINAL PLENARY SESSION: PL4 Personal Wheelchair Budgets (PWBs) <i>PWBs – piloting the processes</i> , Frances Beavis , Gloucestershire Wheelchair Service Question Time: panel members TBC	Conference Suites Level 2
15:30 – 15:45	Prize giving	“
15:45 – 16:30	PMG AGM	
16:30	Farewell refreshments	TBC

TIMES

Registration desk

Monday 17th July - 15:00 to 21:00

Tuesday 18th July - 08:00 to 17:00

Wednesday 19th July - 08:00 to 16:00

Exhibition

Monday 17th July: CLOSED (exhibition set up day)

Tuesday 18th July - 08:00 to 17:00; 19:00 to 19:45

Wednesday 19th July: 08:00 to 14:15

Book stall

Tuesday 18th July - 08:00 to 19:00 approx

Wednesday 19th July - 08:00 to 17:00

B&B Accommodation at Liberty Living

Check-in: TBC