



Western Health  
and Social Care Trust



Innovations

# Support for Ideas to Improve Patient Care

**6 December 2013 – South West Acute Hospital**

Registration & Lunch 1.00pm, Lecture Theatre

**1.00pm – 3.30pm**

A workshop to introduce the research and innovation support available in developing your idea to improve patient care.

## Programme

**1.00 Registration and Lunch**

**1.30 Introduction to R&D in WHSCT and an Overview of the Clinical Translational Research & Innovation Centre (C-TRIC)** Dr Maurice O’Kane, Director of R&D/ CEO, C-TRIC

**1.45 R&D Office Support and Study Portfolio** Sally Doherty, R&D Manager

**2.00 Ideas and intellectual property (IP)** Dr David Brownlee, Innovation Adviser  
What is the value of IP?

**2.10 What if you have an idea?** Dr David Brownlee, Innovation Adviser  
Support available from  
HSC Innovations

**Case study / Patent Searching** Dr David Brownlee, Innovation Adviser

**3.15 Discussion** All

**3.25 Summary and Close**