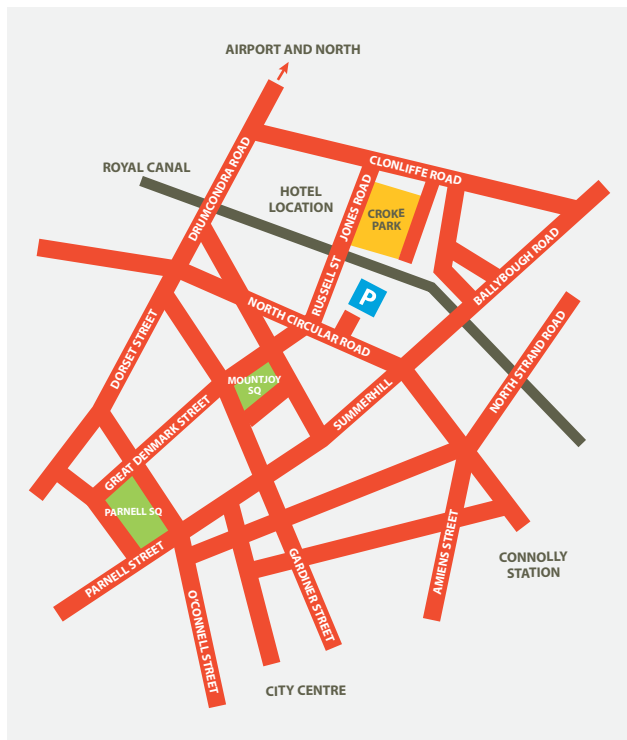


## DIRECTIONS

The Hogan Mezzanine, Level 4, Hogan Stand, Croke Park is served by bus, rail, DART & LUAS that can all bring you within 15 minutes walk of the stadium.

Tel: 01 819 2300 [www.crokepark.ie](http://www.crokepark.ie)



### Car Parking:

For events in the Hogan Mezzanine, parking is available at the Canal Car Park. This is located off the North Circular Road and is accessed via St Margaret's Avenue (first left after Gill's Pub on the corner with Russell Street). There is pedestrian access from the car park onto Jones's Road for the main entrance to the Hogan Stand.

### Accommodation:

Please contact The Croke Park Hotel directly on 01 871 4444 if overnight accommodation is required.

## CANCELLATION AND REGISTRATION POLICIES FOR THIS EVENT:

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- All registrations received after 12pm on March 29th will be subject to the late registration fee.
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- The IHF will issue invoices for this conference if required. Full contact details of the individual & hospital/institution to be invoiced must be provided, along with signed proof from the invoicee that attendance has been approved.
- To be considered for the poster or oral presentation competition, the lead author or a nominated author must register and attend the conference.
- Un-registered delegates presenting themselves at the conference on April 5th may be admitted if there is seating capacity at the event. Full payment of the late fee must be provided by cheque, cash or credit card at the conference, **invoices will not be issued on the day of the conference.**
- All delegates will receive confirmation of their registration. This confirmation is also your receipt. Attendance certificates will be available at the conference.
- After close of business on March 29th the organisers may not be available to enter into any correspondence with delegates or those wishing to attend the conference.

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# 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Stroke Conference

Council on Stroke

Friday 5th April 2019

Hogan Mezzanine, Croke Park  
Conference Centre, Dublin

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**Late Registration fee** **€150.00**

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\*Please note that the student rate is for those taking part in courses that are full time, undergraduate and primary degrees only. Photocopy or pdf of valid student ID card required.

## PROGRAMME: Irish Heart Foundation Council on Stroke, Friday 5th April 2019

**07.45** Registration, tea, coffee and scones

**08.45** Welcome

### Session 1

**08.50** Update from the National Stroke Programme

Professor Rónán Collins, Tallaght University Hospital, Dublin

**09.10** Atrial Fibrillation: The role of anticoagulation on the incidence of stroke and dementia

Professor Mårten Rosenqvist, Karolinska Institute, Sweden

**09.50** Spasticity Management

Professor Jean-Michel Gracies, Université Paris Est Créteil, France

**10.30** Break, trade exhibition and poster tours

### Session 2

**11.15** Selected oral presentations – PL1 to PL6

**12.15** 5 minute break to change rooms

**Parallel A. 12.20 – Unusual Vasculopathies**

Dr Simon Cronin, Cork University Hospital

**12.40 – Stroke Nursing: The cornerstone of stroke unit care**

Nora Cunningham, University Hospital Limerick

**Parallel B. 12.20 – Testing and quantifying the consistency of thickened oral nutritional supplements using the IDDSI framework**  
Deirdre Kidney & Sarah Rowland, St Vincent's University Hospital, Dublin

**12.40 – Hidden and Unexpected: Persisting challenges after mild stroke**

Anne Connolly, University Hospital Galway

**13.00** Lunch, poster viewing and trade exhibition

### Session 3

**14.00** Stroke Survivor Story – Kieron O'Connor

**14.10** Update from the National Stroke Register

Joan McCormack, Royal College of Physicians of Ireland & Claire Prendergast, Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital, Drogheda

**14.40** Reflections on the role of psychology within a stroke service

Dr Aine Connolly, Tallaght University Hospital & Naas General Hospital & Patricia Daly, Naas General Hospital, Kildare

**15.20** What factors explain why some inpatient stroke survivors do not receive the recommended frequency and intensity of therapy? The REACT study.

Dr David Clarke, Leeds Institute of Health Sciences, UK

**16.00** Announcement of prize winners and closing remarks

Dr John MacFarlane, Irish Heart Foundation Council on Stroke

**16.05** Close of conference

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