

**Sexual Health of the North West Conference
Tuesday 26th September 2006**

| Time | Topic | Speakers |
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| 09:00 – 9:30 | Registration and refreshments | |
| Session 1 | | |
| 09:30 – 9:45 | Regional welcome | Dr Ruth Hussey Regional Director of Public Health |
| 09:45 – 10:05 | National Support Team | Ms Jane Mezzone Delivery Manager Sexual Health, Department of Health |
| 10:05 – 10:30 | Chlamydia screening | Dr Jan Clarke Chair of the National Chlamydia Screening Programme steering group |
| 10:30 – 10:55 | Epidemiology of HIV in the North West | Dr Penny Cook Senior Lecturer, Centre for Public Health |
| 10:55 – 11:20 | Morning break | |
| Session 2 | | |
| 11:20 – 11:45 | Regional perspective on sexual health | Dr Paula Grey, Lead Director of Public Health, Liverpool PCTs |
| 11:45 – 12:10 | Tracking the burden of disease: current challenges and available resources | Ms Keira Allen Enhanced Surveillance Officer, Health Protection Agency North West |
| 12:10 – 12:35 | North West sexual health indicators | Ms Sara Hughes Public Health Intelligence Officer, HPA NW/NWPHO |
| 12:35 – 13:45 | Lunch | |
| Session 3 | | |
| 13:45 – 14:10 | Condoms – where they come from and what makes them work | Prof. Mark Bellis Director, Centre for Public Health |
| 14:10 – 14:35 | Sexual violence | Ms Bernie Ryan Service Manager, St. Mary's Sexual Assault Referral Centre |
| 14:35 – 15:00 | Afternoon break | |
| Session 4 | | |
| 15:00 – 15:25 | Community syphilis screening pilot in gay saunas, Manchester | Dr Lorraine Lighton Sexual Health Lead, HPA North West |
| 15:25 – 15:50 | The evolution of sexual health nursing | Ms Kathy Jones Lead Nurse/Modern Matron |
| 15:50 – 16:00 | Close | Dr Ruth Hussey Regional Director of Public Health |
| Chair Session 1 | Dr Catherine Quigley Regional Epidemiologist, Health Protection Agency North West | |
| Chair Session 2 | Ms Julie Kelly Public Health Specialist, Sexual Health, Liverpool PCTs | |
| Chair Session 3 | Dr Lorraine Lighton Sexual Health Lead, Health Protection Agency North West | |
| Chair Session 4 | Prof. Qutub Syed Director, Health Protection Agency North West | |

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