

# WORKPLACE HEALTHY LUNGS SUMMIT 2017

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PROGRAMME

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## MORNING SESSION *(Mountbatten room)*

<b>08.30 – 09.30 Registration and exhibition</b>		
<b>09.30</b>	<b><i>Introductory address</i></b>	Martin Temple, Chair, HSE
<b>09.40</b>	<b><i>Keynote: Why lung disease is still a problem and the wider health landscape</i></b>	Dr Alison Cook, Director of Policy and Communications, British Lung Foundation
		Doug Russell, Health and Safety Officer, Usdaw
<b>10.15</b>	<b><i>Tackling occupational lung disease – HSE’s contribution</i></b>	Peter Brown, HSE Director of Health and Work Programme
		Martin Friar, Deputy Director (Insight and Service Design) HSE
<b>11.00 Refreshments and exhibition</b>		
<b>11.30</b>	<b><i>Leading the way – Industry and trade union examples of tackling workplace lung disease</i></b>	Joanne Shepherd, Health and Safety Manager, Blackpool and The Fylde College
<b>11.45</b>		Danny Martland, Director SHE Military Air and Information, Programmes and Support SHE Lead, BAE Systems
<b>12.00</b>		Lauren Kyle, Head of Cleaning UK and Ireland, Service Operations, Sodexo
<b>12.15</b>		Bud Hudspith, National H&S Adviser, Unite the Union
<b>12.30 Lunch and exhibition</b>		

# EXHIBITION *(Cambridge room)*



## EXPERIENCE ZONE

**As part of the exhibition** – delegates will be able to take advantage of our ‘Experience Zone’. Here you can meet and discuss issues with key experts on a variety of topics supporting our knowledge and understanding of respiratory risk. You will gain access to emerging knowledge and be able to visually and individually experience some of the challenges around progress and integration.

**Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD)** COPD is a serious long-term lung disease that accounts for 33% of the 12,000 lung disease deaths each year estimated to be linked to past exposures at work. Find out about the latest HSE research into the effects of demographics and workplace changes on COPD.

**Occupational asthma and respiratory symptoms in cleaners** Come and find out how HSE are working closely with the cleaning industry, the healthcare sector and specialists in infection control to understand cleaning and disinfection processes in acute healthcare settings, and how respiratory exposure to chemical products could be minimised.

**Lung function testing** Come and meet the team who are breathing new life into lung function measurements. Find out what’s new and even have a go yourself!

**FFRED** Come and meet ‘FFRED the Head’ who has been developed by HSE as a highly visual demonstration tool to help promote better use of RPE.

**Shared research** Would you like to know about the latest research on reducing exposure to harmful construction dust or how to reduce exposure in additive waste manufacturing? Then come and talk to HSE’s Centre for Shared Research who will be on hand to discuss these projects (and more) as well as show how you can get involved in the latest cutting edge research.

**The SWORD scheme** The University of Manchester present data on occupational and work-related respiratory disease, including asthma and silicosis, reported by physicians to The Health and Occupation Research network (THOR). Hear how the data can be used to determine incidence, trends in incidence and help evaluate the effectiveness of sector specific interventions to reduce incidence of occupational respiratory disease.

**Meet HSE’s Occupational Lung Disease team** Your chance to meet the team that is leading and coordinating HSE’s efforts to tackle occupational lung disease, find out in more detail what they are doing and how it all fits together. It is also a chance to speak to the team about anything you think you could offer to help with their combined efforts to eliminate occupational lung disease.

**LOcHER project** Meet members of the ‘Learning Occupational Health by Experiencing Risks (LOcHER) Steering Group’ and find out how they have been working with young learners to raise awareness around tackling occupational lung disease.

**Partnership working** Meet HSE’s partnership managers and find out how HSE works successfully with organisations across a number of priority sectors to increase awareness of the risks associated with the inhalation of workplace dust, gases and fumes and to promote good control practices.

## PROGRAMME - AFTERNOON PARALLEL SESSIONS

We have two parallel sessions in the afternoon. If you would like to hear about Repirable Crystalline Silica head to the Mountbatten room, if you are interested in Occupational Asthma head to the Windsor room.

### Parallel Session 1 - **Respirable Crystalline Silica** (*Mountbatten room*)

<b>13.30</b>	<b><i>Opening remarks by Chair</i></b>	Professor Len Levy, Emeritus Professor of Environmental Health within the Institute of Environment and Health at the University of Cranfield
Scene setting <b>13.45</b>	<b><i>Current picture of health risk and exposure</i></b>	Dr Nick Warren, HSE Head of Health Research
<b>14.00</b>	<b><i>Health effects of RCS – the real story</i></b>	Professor David Fishwick, HSE's Chief Medical Adviser and Terry McGough
Solutions <b>14.20</b>	<b><i>Exposure control</i></b>	Chris Keen, HSE Principal Occupational Hygienist and Mike Slater, Director, Diamond Environmental
<b>15.00</b>	<b><i>Comfort break</i></b>	
<b>15.20</b>	<b><i>Health surveillance</i></b>	Dr Steve Forman, HSE Principal Medical Advisor and Melanie Brewster, Industrial Diagnostics
<b>16.00</b>	<b><i>Panel discussion and closing remarks by Chair</i></b>	Panel and Professor Len Levy
<b>16.30</b>	<b><i>Close</i></b>	

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## Parallel Session 2 - **Occupational Asthma** (*Windsor room*)

<b>13.30</b>	<b><i>Opening remarks by Chair</i></b>	Professor Sir Anthony Newman Taylor, Professor of Occupational and Environmental Medicine, Director of Research, National Heart and Lung Institute, Imperial College
Scene setting <b>13.45</b>	<b><i>Current picture of health risk and exposure</i></b>	Professor Martie Van Tongeren, Professor of Occupational and Environmental Health at the University of Manchester
<b>14.00</b>	<b><i>Health effects of RCS – the real story</i></b>	Dr Chris Barber, Consultant Respiratory Physician and HSE Senior Medical Adviser and Phil Hydes
Solutions <b>14.20</b>	<b><i>Exposure control</i></b>	Duncan Smith, HM Principal Specialist Inspector of Health & Safety (Occupational Hygiene) and Alex Wilson, Industrial Hygienist, Rolls-Royce
<b>15.00</b>	<b><i>Comfort break</i></b>	
<b>15.20</b>	<b><i>Health surveillance</i></b>	Dr Chris Barber, Consultant Respiratory Physician and HSE Senior Medical Adviser and Dr Phil Oliver, Occupational Physician, Collingwood Health
<b>16.00</b>	<b><i>Panel discussion and closing remarks by Chair</i></b>	Panel and Professor Sir Anthony Newman Taylor
<b>16.30</b>	<b><i>Close</i></b>	