

**PROGRAMME**

**Muscle Channel Patients Day**

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2013 1.30pm-5pm**

**Lecture Theatre, 33 Queen Square, London WC1N 3BG**

Organised by Catherine Parry, Clinical Nurse Specialist on behalf of Professor MG Hanna and the Specialist Muscle Channel Clinical Service

1.30pm **Registration**

2pm **Introduction**

Professor Mike Hanna – Professor in Neurology, NHNN

2.20pm **Muscle Channelopathies – diagnosis, treatment and symptom management**

Dr Jennifer Spillane - Clinical Research Fellow in Neuromuscular Disease, UCL

2.40pm **Exercise testing for Channelopathies**

Dr Doreen Fialho – Consultant Clinical Neurophysiologist, NHNN

**3PM - 4PM – Information Stands and Refreshments**

4pm **The way forward - Role of the Clinical Nurse Specialist**

Catherine Parry – Neuromuscular Clinical Nurse Specialist, NHNN

4.15pm **MRI Trial**

Dr Jasper Morrow - Clinical Research Fellow in Neuromuscular Disease, UCL

4.30pm **General Question and Answer Session**

Led by Professor Mike Hanna – Professor in Neurology, NHNN

5pm **Close**

**INFORMATION STANDS**

- **Genetic Analysis of Ion Channelopathies**  
Dr Richa Sud and Dr Samuel McCall, Clinical Scientists, NHNN
- **Neurophysiological evaluation and exercise testing in muscle Channelopathies**  
Dr Doreen Fialho, Consultant Clinical Neurophysiologist, NHNN and Dr Renata Scalco, Clinical Research Fellow in Neuromuscular Disease, UCL
- **Developing models for the study of Periodic Paralysis**  
Neta Amior, PhD Student, UCL
- **Functional expression analysis of Ion Channelopathies**  
Roope Mannikko, Research Associate, UCL

- **UK Patient support resources in conjunction with Periodic Paralysis International and Periodic Paralysis association**

Liz Page, Client Services UK

- **Service development and patient participation**

Trish Turner, Executive Administrator, MRC Centre, NHNN

Vina Pswarayi, NCG Office Manager

Iwona Skorupinska, Clinical Research Nurse, NHNN

Cath Parry, Clinical Nurse Specialist, NHNN