

# SICS

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 ADVANCE KNOWLEDGE, SUPPORT  
 AND REPRESENTATION AT  
**SICS 2026**

**CRIEFF HYDRO HOTEL**  
**30 APRIL - 1 MAY 2026**

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## Thursday 30 April 2026

08:30	<b>DELEGATE REGISTRATION, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION VIEWING</b>		
09:30	<b>Welcome and opening address</b> Dr Iain MacLeod		
<b>Plenary Session 1</b>			
09:45	<b>Standards and driving safety</b> Prof Marie Johnson		
10:05	<b>Safety Culture</b> Dr Neil Spenceley		
10:25	<b>QI, SICSAG and performance indicators</b> Prof Naz Lone		
10:45	Panel Q&A		
11:00	<b>REFRESHMENTS, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION VIEWING</b>		
	<b>Melville Hall</b>	<b>Earn Room</b>	<b>Tasting Room: Practical Sessions</b>
11:30	<b>Advanced Thoracic Medicine</b>  1. Management of complex ischaemic heart failure Speaker to be confirmed	<b>Highlighting the allied professionals</b>  1. BLING-III, Antimicrobial Infusions why bother Fiona Clarke	<b>Session title to be confirmed</b> Speaker to be confirmed
11:50	2. Lung POCUS in ICU Dr Richard Cowan	2. Nutrition in the ICU Speaker to be confirmed	
12:10	3. E-CPR Dr Louise Hartley	3. Infection Control, making it mean more Speaker to be confirmed	
12:30	Panel Q&A	Panel Q&A	
12:45	<b>LUNCH, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION VIEWING</b>		
	<b>Melville Hall</b>	<b>Earn Room</b>	<b>Tasting Room: Practical Sessions</b>
14:00	<b><u>21st Century Treatments</u></b>  1. Delirium : Of mice and men exploring the mechanisms of ICU delirium Dr Zoeb Jiwaji	<b><u>Traumatology</u></b>  1. Do we need a transfer service Dr Andrew Cadamy	<b>Session title to be confirmed</b> Speaker to be confirmed

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14:20	<b>2. Anaemia in the ICU</b> Dr David Griffith	<b>2. Traumatic Brain Injury</b> Speaker to be confirmed	
14:40	<b>3. Advanced Oncology</b> Speaker to be confirmed	<b>3. Intra-abdominal organ injury, the trauma surgeons view</b>	
15:00	<b>Panel Q&amp;A</b>	Ms Helen Dorrance	
15:15	<b>REFRESHMENTS, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION VIEWING</b>		
<b>Plenary session 2</b>			
15:45	<b>Travel Grant winners</b> Speaker to be confirmed		
16:00	<b>Session title to be confirmed</b> Speaker to be confirmed		
16:30	<b>Session title to be confirmed</b> Speaker to be confirmed		
17:00	<b>CLOSE OF DAY 1</b>		
19:30	<b>Dinner &amp; Ceilidh</b>		

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08:30 DELEGATE REGISTRATION, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION VIEWING			
	Melville Hall	Earn Room	Tasting Room: Practical Sessions
09:30	<u>Drugs misuse in Scotland, our own pandemic</u>  <b>1. The ICU experience</b> Dr Chris McGovern	<u>Tissue and Organ Donation</u>  <b>1. Tissue donation what we all need to know</b> Dr Sharon Zahara	<b>Session title to be confirmed</b> Speaker to be confirmed
09:50	<b>2. Drugs in Prisons - Chief inspector of prisons Scotland</b> Mrs Sara Snell	<b>2. Supporting the Donor Family</b> Specialist Nurse for Organ Donation	
10:10	<b>3. The toxicology experience</b> Prof Michael Eddleston	<b>3. Solid organ Donation in Scotland, where are after the AOMRC changes</b> Dr Helen Tyler  <b>Panel Q&amp;A</b>	
10:30	<b>Panel Q&amp;A</b>		
10:45 REFRESHMENTS, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION VIEWING			
	Melville Hall	Earn Room	Tasting Room: Practical Sessions
11:15	<u>Research and new treatments</u>  <b>1. AOP Platinum Sponsor presentation</b> Dr Sundeep Kaul	<u>Residents and Recruitment</u>  <b>1. Recruitment and getting the job</b> Dr Robert Docking	<b>Session title to be confirmed</b> Speaker to be confirmed
11:45 / 11:35	<b>2. Research in the ICU, TBI and where are we</b> Dr Callum Kaye	<b>2. Being a Better Supervisor</b> Speaker to be confirmed	
11:55		<b>3. Consultant jobs and how NES support us</b>	

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12:30	<b>LUNCH, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION VIEWING</b>		
	Melville Hall		Tasting Room: Practical Sessions
	<b><u>The Future of ICU</u></b>		Session title to be confirmed Speaker to be confirmed
14:00	1. <b>From FICM to CICM what this means for us all</b> Dr Jack Parry Jones		
14:20	2. <b>Medium and smaller units, how can it work</b> Dr John Berridge		
14:40	3. <b>SICS Future</b> Dr Iain MacLeod		
14:50	Panel Q&A		
15:15	Abstract Prizes		
15:15	<b>REFRESHMENTS, POSTERS AND EXHIBITION VIEWING</b>		
	Melville Hall		Tasting Room: Practical Sessions
	<b>Building a brighter future</b>		Session title to be confirmed Speaker to be confirmed
15:45	1. <b>Green spaces for the ICU</b> Dr Lucy Hogg		
16:05	2. <b>Recovery as a patient, what it meant to be in the ICU and the recovery service</b> Ms Ria O'Hanlon		
16:25	3. <b>Spinal Injuries, recovery and rehab what we have in Scotland</b> Speaker to be confirmed		
16:45	Panel Q&A		
17:00	<b>CLOSE OF CONFERENCE</b>		

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