Programme
Hepatitis C Elimination – The Final Frontiers

10:00 – 10:10 Welcome and introduction: Dr Ahmed Elsharkawy and Dr Will Gelson

Clinical Conundra
Chair - Dr Ahmed Elsharkawy and Dr Will Gelson

10:10 – 10:40 Update on DAA efficacy and safety in the paediatric population – Dr Girish Gupte – Birmingham Women’s and Children’s Hospital

10:40 – 11:10 Management of acute hepatitis C and reinfection – Dr Lucy Garvey - Imperial College London

11:10 – 11.30 Coffee break

11:30 – 12:00 Re-treatment of hepatitis C: challenging situations and rare viral sub types – Prof Will Irving Queen Mary University London

12:00 – 12:45 Keynote speaker
Prof Graham Foster - “To boldly go”: transcending the final frontiers Queen Mary University London

12:45 – 13:30 Lunch

Evolving Areas
Chair - Dr Ahmed Elsharkawy, Dr Will Gelson and incoming BVHG Chair – Dr Mark Aldersley

13:30 – 14:00 Screening for hepatitis C, including lessons from HepCATT - Dr Fiona Gordon Bristol Royal Infirmary

14:00 - 14.30 Use of hepatitis C positive donor organs in hepatitis C negative recipients – Dr Matthijs Backx Public Health Wales – Microbiology

14:30 – 15:00 Coffee break

Beyond the final frontier

15:00 – 15:45 Debate:
Ms Helen Hampton - Lead Clinical Nurse for Blood Borne Virus, Cornwall
Mrs Lisa Ellis - Hepatitis Clinical Nurse Specialist, UHB.

15:45 Summary and close

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