



Irish Nurses and Midwives Organisation
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Advanced Practice Section Conference

*Theme: Demonstrating Impact: through Research,
Innovation and Practice:*

Wednesday
27th May 2026

The Richmond Education &
Event Centre, Dublin 7

Conference Fee:

€35 INMO members
€70 non members

8.30am:	Registration, trade exhibition tea and coffee.	Research
09.00:	Conference welcome and opening Oliver Allen Chair and Caroline Gourley, INMO President	
	Keynote 1: Nursing and Midwifery Research in Ireland Speaker: Dr. Martin Duignan, RANP, Doctor of Nursing, Director of Nursing Research, Education and Innovation, Health Service Executive -	
09.55:	Factors Affecting AN/MP Participation in Research Speaker: Ms. Caitriona McGarrell, Emergency RANP, INMO Advanced Practice Section	
10.30:	Trade Exhibition - tealcoffee	Innovation
11.00:	Keynote 2: Getting started with Research Speaker: Dr. Wayne Thompson, RANP, Assistant Professor/Ad Astra Fellow Programme Director, School of Nursing, Midwifery and Health Systems, University College Dublin	
11.40:	Navigating Scarcity: Enhancing Services in a Resource Constrained Health Service. Speaker: Ms. Edith Donnelly, Advanced Nurse Practitioner, Heart Failure Team, Craigavon, Northern Ireland	
12.10:	Spark Innovation Programme: Developing Initiatives to Improve Health Services Speaker: To be confirmed	
13.00	Trade Exhibition - Lunch and networking	Practice
14.00:	A Spotlight on RANPs Impact on an Acute Hospital's Services Speaker: Ms. Shirley Ingram, RANP Acute Chest Pain, Tallaght University Hospital	
14:40:	Abstract presenter 1. Speaker:	
15:10:	Abstract presenter 2. Speaker:	
16:00:	Conference close	

Bookings are essential

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