

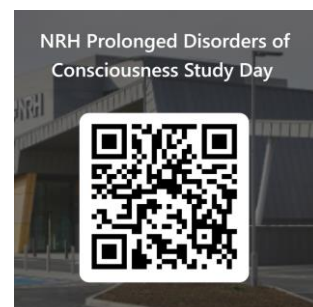
Saturday 24th February, Royal Marine Hotel, Dun Laoghaire

Open to all clinicians involved in the care of patients with a PDoC who wish to improve their knowledge, care and management of these patients and how best to support their families.

Study Day Aims & Objectives

- Share knowledge and information on the care of a person with a PDoC
- Share best practice guidelines
- Provide advice on supporting friends and families
- Develop an informal national network for services working with PDoC patients.

Tickets are €50 and include all sessions listed below, lunch, refreshments and complimentary parking. Application forms here <https://forms.office.com/e/Z65n9JskgV> or by scanning QR code. **Closing Date is Tuesday 13th February.**



8:30	Registration – Tea & Coffee (Study Day will commence sharply at 9am)
9 – 9.15	Welcome and introduction - Kate Curtin, Brain Injury and Stroke Programme Manager
9.15 - 10	What is PDoC? - Service at NRH and Outreach Role - Amy O’ Connor, RGN, Brain Injury & Stroke Outreach Specialist
10 - 11	Medical Management of the patient with a Prolonged Disorder of Consciousness – Dr. Raymond Carson, Consultant in Rehabilitation Medicine
11 – 11.15	Break – Tea, Coffee & Refreshments / Networking
11.15 – 12.15	Postural management of the patient with a Prolonged Disorder of Consciousness – Orla Friel, Senior Physiotherapist
12.15 – 1.15	PDoC – An interdisciplinary approach to assessment of awareness, treatment and supporting families - Fiona Haughey, Clinical Specialist Occupational Therapist, Dee Gray, Senior Music Therapist & Rebecca O’ Connor Senior Music Therapist
1.15 – 2.15	Lunch & Networking
2.15 – 2.45	Assessing eating, drinking and swallowing in PDoC - Emma Harte, Clinical Specialist Speech Therapist
2.45 – 3.30	Supporting Friends & Families - Jayne Fitzherbert, Senior Medical Social Worker & Dr. Hannah Gallivan, Senior Clinical Neuropsychologist
3.30 – 4.00	Assisted Decision Making Act/Will & Preference - Renee Summers, Senior Medical Social Worker
4.00 – 4.15	Q & A and Discussions / Close