



# NIVAS

National Infusion and  
Vascular Access Society

The 8th NIVAS Conference

Keeping patients safe in vascular access  
and IV therapy in 2020

17–18 November 2020

A VIRTUAL CONFERENCE

## Draft Agenda

The virtual conference web app will be available from 09.00–18.00 each day allowing delegates time to look around the virtual exhibition hall, view the e-posters and talk to colleagues and industry representatives.

**Tuesday 17 November – Chair: Andrew Barton, NIVAS Chair**

**09.00–09.15** **Welcome and introduction to day 1**

*Andrew Barton, NIVAS Chair*

**09.15–09.45** **Safety aspects of vascular access in 2020: Our vision**

*Andrew Barton, NIVAS Chair and Advanced Nurse Practitioner IV Therapy and Vascular Access,  
Frimley Health NHS Foundation Trust*

**09.45–10.30** **Sponsored session supported by industry**

**10.30–11.00** **NatSSIPs & LocSSIPs adapting safety procedures in challenging times**

*Speaker to be confirmed*

**Break in sessions**

**Don't forget to visit the virtual exhibition hall**

**14.00–14.30** **CAVA (Cancer & venous access) study results**

*Speaker to be confirmed*

**14.30–15.15** **Vascular access & IV therapy during the COVID pandemic**

*Open forum with the NIVAS Board*

**15.15–15.45** **Securement and fixation in COVID times**

*Dr Matt Jones, NIVAS Board member and Lead Clinician For Vascular Access,  
East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust*

**15.45–16.00** **Round-up of day 1**

*Andrew Barton, NIVAS Chair*

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Wednesday 18 November – Chair: *Tim Jackson, NIVAS Vice-Chair*

12.00–12.15 **Welcome and introduction to day 2**  
*Tim Jackson, NIVAS Vice-Chair*

12.15–12.45 **Consent and ethics in vascular access and IV therapy**  
*Catherine Hale, Associate Professor, Warwick Medical School*

12.45–13.30 **Sponsored session supported by industry**

13.30–14.00 **Managing vascular access in patients with abnormal coagulation**  
*Dr Gill Evans, Consultant Haematologist at East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust*

**Break in sessions**

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16.00–17.00 **NIVAS members presenting back from abstract submissions**

17.00–17.30 **Infusion safety**  
*Paul Lee, Medical Devices Training Manager, Swansea Bay University Health Board*

17.30–17.45 **Awards for best poster and oral presentation**  
*Presented by Tim Jackson*  
**Summing up of meeting and close**  
*Andrew Barton*

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