



BASICS SCOTLAND 10TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

**NEWTON HOTEL, NAIRN
SATURDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER 2012**

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10TH ANNIVERSARY



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FRIDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER 2012

21.00 – 22.00	Dave “Heavy” Whalley - ex leader of Leuchars and RAF Kinloss MRT (retired) will present on his 30 years of mountain rescue including the Lockerbie Disaster, civilian and military rescues.
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SATURDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER 2012

08.45 – 09.15	Registration & Tea/Coffee
09.15 – 09.30	Chairman's Introduction Dr Hal Maxwell
09.30 – 10.00	Opening Speaker Professor George Crooks
10.00 – 10.30	“Incidents that changed my practice” - Clinical presentations by BASICS Scotland Responders accounting incidents that changed their practice.
10.30 – 11.00	Tea/Coffee
11.00 – 11.30	“Incidents that changed my practice” cont.
11.30 – 11.45	Question & Answer Session
11.45 – 13.00	Clinical Workshops including clinical governance, casualty packaging, airway techniques and more.
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch (AGM 13.00-13.20 - BASICS Scotland Members)
14.00 – 14.45	Pre-Hospital Responders & Psychosocial Resilience Dr Susan Klein
14.45 – 15.40	Human Factors in Emergency Decision-Making- TEREMA Captain Phil Higton
15.40 – 16.00	Tea/Coffee
16.00 – 16.45	Ten years of Pre-Hospital care Professor Sir Keith Porter
16.45 – 17.00	Chairman's Thanks and Closing Dr Hal Maxwell

Programme subject to change

OBJECTIVES

The BASICS Scotland Annual Conference and AGM 2012 brings together leading experts in the field of pre-hospital care to discuss the central issues and current challenges facing Scotland and the UK today.

WHO IS WELCOME?

The conference will be of particular interest to all pre-hospital and remote healthcare professionals in Scotland and the UK.





WANT TO MAKE A WEEKEND OF IT?

To celebrate our 10th anniversary, BASICS Scotland is delighted to be able to offer a discounted rate for delegates wishing to stay.

Accommodation is available from just £85 and includes an invitation to our exclusive drinks reception on **Friday 14th September** with Dave "Heavy" Whalley (EPASS Registered Event), and an invitation to the formal dinner evening event on **Saturday 15th September** featuring Norman MacKay's Ceilidh Experience and awards ceremony.

For more information and booking, visit www.basics-scotland.org.uk



FEEDBACK FROM 2011

"Excellent and inspired as usual"

"Great to meet people who understand/struggling with same issues."

"Great to have some hands on experience."

"Thanks to all for the conference, it was a very worthwhile event."



DELEGATES WILL BENEFIT FROM:

- ▶ An occasion to share and exchange ideas with leading professionals in the field of human factors.
- ▶ An opportunity to gain hands on experience with the latest new equipment.
- ▶ A chance to share experiences with likeminded healthcare professionals facing the same pre-hospital care challenges.

DELEGATE RATES 2012

BASICS Scotland Members

Doctors - **£50**

Allied Health Professionals - **£25**
(Nurses, Paramedics etc)

Students/Voluntary Org - **£20**

BASICS Scotland Non-Members

Doctors - **£100**

Allied Health Professionals - **£50**
(Nurses, Paramedics etc)

Students/Voluntary Org - **£20**

Prices include lunch, refreshments, delegate info and CPD/EPASS certification.

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10TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE SPEAKERS



Professor George Crooks is currently the Medical Director for NHS 24 and Director of the Scottish Centre for Telehealth & Telecare. He is also Medical Director for the Scottish Ambulance Service where he is responsible for the quality, safety and effectiveness of all clinical services and the development of new services in partnership with other NHS organisations.

George was a General Practitioner in Aberdeen for 22 years and his past appointments have included Director of Primary Care with NHS Grampian with responsibility for all community-based independent contractor services. George has a particular interest in the appropriate use of technology to support the delivery of high quality patient care, using it as a vehicle to empower patients to actively participate in their care. He also is involved in the development of common assessment and triage processes across the NHS in Scotland as a better way to manage unscheduled and emergency care provision.

He was awarded an OBE in the Queen's New Year Honours List 2011 for services to healthcare.



Dr Susan Klein, as Director of the Aberdeen Centre for Trauma Research, is recognised as a national and international expert in the field of trauma-related research. She was appointed by the Pakistan Government as a research advisor to their Mental Health and Psychosocial Relief Work Programme for victims of the Pakistan Kashmir earthquake of October 2005. More recently, she was a member of the Guidance Development Advisory Group and the Research Assessment Team commissioned by the Department of Health (DOH)/NATO to provide evidence informed guidance for the psychosocial response to major incidents (including terrorist events) to which all NATO countries have now signed up. As a result of this work, she was recently invited by the Scottish Government to contribute to a working group whose remit is to produce guidance on psychosocial mental healthcare provision for emergency preparedness and response. This is in collaboration with the Resilience Advisory Board for Scotland (RABS) and for implementation as part of the Care for People affected by Emergencies.



Captain Phil Higton has been a commercial pilot for 34 years with British Airways and as part of Terema for the last eleven years has extensive experience in transferring learning between his former and current worlds.

He is Director of Training for Terema and has been responsible for the preparation and delivery of programmes for more than 10,000 Health care professionals. Current projects include the challenge of maintaining patient safety while incorporating the latest advances in systems improvement.

TEREMA specialises in human factors training to reduce error in the workplace. This subject is of great interest to the health service in Scotland and is of particular relevance to practitioners making decisions under pressure in emergency situations.

Phil has worked with the National Clinical Assessment Service (NCAS) in the field of behavioural markers in clinical assessment with particular reference to team-working and contributes to several international studies where safety is the focus. In the training role he is actively engaged in projects with both primary and acute healthcare all over the United Kingdom and works with the whole range of employees within these organisations.



Professor Sir Keith Porter MB BS FRCS(Ed) FRCS(Eng) FIMC RCS(Ed) FFSEM(UK) FCEM is Honorary Professor of Clinical Traumatology at the University of Birmingham and Consultant Trauma Surgeon at Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Birmingham. Qualifying originally in London and doing much of his higher surgical training in the West Midlands, he was originally appointed Consultant Trauma Surgeon at the Birmingham Accident Hospital in 1986. With changes in hospital practice he is now Senior Trauma Surgeon at University Hospital Birmingham and the Royal Centre for Defence Medicine where he is the civilian lead co-ordinating the care of injured military personnel returning from Afghanistan. He is also an active immediate care practitioner working both in urban practice in Birmingham and the rural surrounding Shire counties.

He is the Medical Director of the West Midlands Central Accident Resuscitation (CARE) team and actively involved in both the delivery of pre-hospital care and education within the region. He is the regional representative of both BASICS and the Faculty of Pre-hospital Care and is actively involved in the College of Surgeons of Edinburgh, as the Chairman of the Faculty of Pre-hospital Care and an examiner. He is the Chairman of the Intercollegiate Board for training in Prehospital Emergency Medicine and recently Co-Chaired the DOH review on Major Trauma in relation to its prehospital care and transport sub-group.

He has published numerous books on pre-hospital care and contributed chapters to both pre-hospital and hospital publications. He is Chairman of the Trauma Care Council, Medical Adviser to the County Air Ambulance and is a member of the Resuscitation Council and Defence Scientific Advisory Committee. He is a member of the Surgeon General Research Strategy Group.

He was made a Knight of the British Empire in 2010 New Years Honour List.

