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Annual Conference

2026

8.00-9.00	Registration and Welcome
9.00-9.15	Conference introduction Professor David Taylor Professor of Psychopharmacology, King's College London Director of Pharmacy and Pathology, South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust
9.15-9.45	What makes clozapine so special? Professor Sir Robin Murray Professor of Psychiatric Research, King's College London
9.45-10.15	Mounting evidence for the dangers of anticholinergic activity Dr Delia Bishara Consultant Pharmacist for Mental Health of Older Adults and Dementia, South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust
10.15-10.45	Very long-acting injections and miraculous outcomes Professor David Taylor Professor of Psychopharmacology, King's College London Director of Pharmacy and Pathology, South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust
10.45-11.15	MORNING BREAK
11.15-11.45	The Impact of female sex hormones on mental health, Menopause, PMDD, PME & ADHD Kate Organ Consultant Pharmacist hormone related mental health, ADHD assessor, BMS menopause Specialist
11.45-12.15	Controlling antipsychotic-associated weight gain – with and without GLP-1 agonists Dr Toby Pillinger Consultant Psychiatrist, South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust Reader in Translational Psychiatry, King's College London
12.15-12.45	Cannabis and psychosis – myths and realities Professor Marta Di Forti Professor of Drug use, Genetics and Psychosis, King's College London. Consultant Psychiatrist, South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust
12.45-13.15	LUNCH BREAK

13.15-14.15	Satellite Symposium – sponsored by Teva
14.15-14.45	Appraising the efficacy evidence for medication in the treatment of depression in children and adolescents Dr Richard Lyus Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist, Cambridgeshire and Peterborough NHS Foundation Trust
14.45-15.15	Updates on The Maudsley Prescribing Guidelines for Mental Health Conditions in Physical Illness Dr Siobhan Gee Deputy Director of Pharmacy and Consultant Pharmacist for Liaison Psychiatry, South London and the Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust Clinical Director, Mind & Body programme King's Health Partners Honorary Senior Lecturer, King's College London
15.15-15.45	Update on deprescribing psychiatric drugs: practical tips for clinical practice Dr Mark Horowitz Associate Professor of Psychiatry, Adelaide University Visiting Lecturer in Psychopharmacology, King's College London
15.45-16.00	AFTERNOON BREAK
16.00-16.30	Ketamine – isomers, formulations, dosing and outcomes Prof. Mario F. Juruena Professor of Affective Disorders and Translational Psychiatry, King's College London Consultant Psychiatrist, South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust Head of the Maudsley Advanced Treatment Service (MATS), South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust
16.30-17.00	The latest innovations in the use of clozapine Professor David Taylor Professor of Psychopharmacology, King's College London Director of Pharmacy and Pathology, South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust
17.00-17.30	Meet the speakers
17.30-17.45	Closing remarks

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