



ROYAL COLLEGE OF  
PHYSICIANS OF IRELAND

# ELDER ABUSE

## Recognition and Response

29<sup>th</sup> March 2012

2.00pm – 6.00pm

The Royal College of Physicians of Ireland,  
No. 6 Kildare Street, Dublin 2

Topics for this event will include:

- Definition, prevalence and types of elder abuse
- How to recognise the warning signs
- Law and Capacity
- How to assess an older patient, best/recommended practice
- How to deal with signs of elder abuse, who to contact, 'Whistleblowing'
- Expert presentations on recent cases

### Faculty:

**Dr. Joe Duggan**

– Consultant in Geriatric and General Medicine, Mater Misericordiae University Hospital

**Prof. Des O'Neill**

- Consultant in Geriatric Medicine, Adelaide and Meath (National Children's) Hospital

**Mrs. Sarah Mahon**

– Dedicated Officer for the Protection of Older People, HSE Dublin Mid-Leinster Region

**Dr. David Robinson**

– Consultant in Geriatric Medicine, St. James's University Hospital

**Ms. Patricia Rickard Clarke**

– Commissioner, Law Reform Commission

**Dr. Diarmuid O'Shea**

– Vice President of Education & Professional Development, Royal College of Physicians of Ireland

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### Registration Form

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 Allied Health Professionals/Nursing Practitioners  
 Other

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- RCPI Website       Private Website       Medical Newspaper       Colleague  
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Completed forms can be faxed, posted or emailed to:

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Confirmation of registration will be sent to the email or postal address supplied.