

## Westminster Health Forum policy conference

### The future of medicine regulation in the UK

Timing: Morning, Wednesday, 10<sup>th</sup> March 2021

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- 8.30 Registration
- 9.00 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Daniel Zeichner MP**, Vice-Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Group for Life Sciences
- 9.05 **Regulatory developments and the evolving role of the MHRA**  
**Jonathan Mogford**, Policy Director, MHRA  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.45 Break
- 9.50 **Stakeholder priorities for the future of medicine regulation - supporting innovation, providing transparency, and ensuring patient access to medicines not affected by regulatory change**  
**Dr Jan Turner**, Director, Safer Medicines Trust  
**Chris Tovey**, Chief Operating Officer, GW Pharmaceuticals  
**Sarah Faircliffe**, Legal Director, Bird and Bird  
**Professor Melanie Calvert**, Director, Birmingham Health Partners Centre for Regulatory Science and Innovation; and NIHR Senior Investigator, University of Birmingham  
Patient representative
- 10.40 Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.10 **Chairs closing remarks**  
**Daniel Zeichner MP**, Vice-Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Group for Life Sciences
- 11.15 Break
- 11.25 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Baroness Julia Cumberlege**
- 11.30 **International collaboration and the UK's future relationship with the EMA**  
Senior representative, Europe  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.50 Break
- 11.55 **Working with regulatory partners and keeping the UK at the forefront of medicine regulation**  
Senior representative, regulation
- 12.05 **Learning from the COVID-19 response - enabling rapid regulatory response and ensuring safety**  
Senior academic
- 12.15 **Navigating changes to the research landscape, and supporting safety and transparency**  
**Professor Alastair Denniston**, Research and Innovation, University Hospitals Birmingham NHSFT; Deputy Director, Birmingham Health Partners Centre for Regulatory Science and Innovation; and Member, Regulatory Horizons Council (UK)
- 12.25 **Ensuring quality in clinical trials - research integrity, public trust and workforce development**  
Senior representative, clinical trials
- 12.35 Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.50 **Concluding remarks**  
**Jonathan Mogford**, Policy Director, MHRA
- 12.55 **Chair's and Westminster Health Forum closing remarks**  
**Baroness Julia Cumberlege**  
**Michael Ryan**, Deputy Editor, Westminster Health Forum

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