Westminster Health Forum policy conference:
Pharmaceutical pricing and access to medicines
Timing: Morning, Thursday, 25th April 2019
Venue: Congress Centre, 28 Great Russell Street, London WC1B 3LS

Agenda subject to change

8.30 - 9.00  Registration and coffee

9.00 - 9.05  Chair’s opening remarks
Baroness Jolly, Liberal Democrat Lords Spokesperson for Health

9.05 - 9.35  The Voluntary Scheme for Branded Medicines Pricing and Access - key aims
Robert Kettell, Deputy Director, Medicines Pricing, Department of Health and Social Care
Questions and comments from the floor

9.35 - 10.05  ‘Industry perspective on the Voluntary Scheme for Branded Medicines Pricing and Access’
Paul Catchpole, Director of Value and Access, ABPI
David Watson, Director of Pricing and PPRS, ABPI
Questions and comments from the floor

10.05 - 10.55  Bringing new products to the market - price control, the impact of the Accelerated Access Collaborative and preparing for Brexit
Paul Ranson, Consultant, Morgan Lewis
Keith Jordan, Communications, Policy and Access Director, Roche
Robert Whitemore, Director, Roboleo & Co
Bhulesh Vadher, Clinical Director of Pharmacy, Oxford University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
Questions and comments from the floor

10.55 - 11.00  Chair’s closing remarks
Baroness Jolly, Liberal Democrat Lords Spokesperson for Health

11.00 - 11.25  Coffee

11.25 - 11.30  Chair’s opening remarks
Anne Marie Morris MP, Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Group on Access to Medicines and Medical Devices

11.30 - 11.40  ‘How research and innovation can shape access to cancer drugs’
Professor Paul Workman, Chief Executive and President, The Institute of Cancer Research

11.40 - 11.50  Meeting patient choice - and implications for cost
Nick Medhurst, Head of Policy and Public Affairs, Cystic Fibrosis Trust

11.50 - 12.00  Value-based pricing, reimbursement and supply chains - challenges for industry
Dr Stuart Dollow, Founder, Vermilion Life Sciences

12.00 - 12.10  Emerging forms of competition - evaluating the uptake of biosimilars
Professor Mike Hannay, Managing Director, East Midlands Academic Health Science Network

12.10 - 12.30  Questions and comments from the floor

12.30 - 12.55  Next steps in assessing cost effectiveness - priorities for NICE
Meindert Boysen, Director, Centre for Health Technology Evaluation, NICE
Questions and comments from the floor

12.55 - 13.00  Chair’s and Westminster Health Forum closing remarks
Anne Marie Morris MP, Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Group on Access to Medicines and Medical Devices
Michael Ryan, Deputy Editor, Westminster Health Forum