

Programme

Women's Health Concern 20th Annual Symposium

Royal Society of Medicine, London W1G 0AE

Friday 16 October 2009

09.00	Registration, exhibition viewing and coffee
09.30	Welcome and introduction <i>Chairman, Dr John Stevenson</i>
09.40	Raised Urea: But is Kidney Function really Abnormal? <i>Professor John Cunningham</i>
10.20	Bio-identical Hormones and other Complementary Medicines: Science Fact or Science Fiction? <i>Professor Margaret Rees</i>
11.00	Coffee
11.30	The Gerald Swyer Memorial Lecture*: Heart Disease in Women <i>Professor Peter Collins</i>
12.10	Teenagers and Sex: Is it Catching? <i>Dr Gillian Vanhegan</i>
12.50	Lunch
14.00	What are the Real Risks for Breast Cancer? <i>Professor Richard Farmer</i>
14.40	Arthralgia and Arthritis: When is an Ache really a Disease? <i>Dr Mike Irani</i>
15.20	Tea
15.50	Osteoporosis Therapies: Panaceas or Poisons? <i>Dr John Stevenson</i>
16.30	Your questions answered <i>Dr John Stevenson</i>
16.45	Close

Sessions and speakers subject to change

**The late Dr Gerald Swyer was internationally recognised for his early work on the development of the contraceptive pill; the first endocrine and fertility clinics in London; and his pioneering research on hormone replacement therapy.*

He was Chairman of Women's Health Concern from 1980-1993. The Dr Gerald Swyer Memorial Fund was set up in 1995 as a lasting tribute to him.