

BASHH Annual Conference 2025

9th - 11th June | Edinburgh International Conference Centre

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Note: The following agenda is currently in draft, and is subject to change at the Conference Organisers Discretion | January 2025

Monday 9th June 2025

| Time | Session | |
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| 08:45 | Registration opens | |
| 09:30 – 09:45 | Pentland Auditorium Welcome Address <i>Professor Matt Phillips, BASHH President</i> <i>Kat Smithson, BASHH CEO</i> <i>Dr. Daniel Clutterbuck, Conference Local Host</i> | |
| 09:45 – 10:45 | Antimicrobial Resistance in Bacterial STIs: Challenges, Innovations and Future Directions | |
| 10:45 – 12:00 | Pentland Auditorium | Fintry Auditorium |
| | Oral Presentations | Oral Presentations |
| 12:00 – 13:00 | Lunch Break <i>Hosted in the Exhibition Hall (Cromdale Hall)</i> | |
| 13:00 – 14:00 | Pentland Auditorium | Harris Suite 1 |
| | Herpes and the Law | Moderated Posters |
| 14:05 – 15:00 | Pentland Auditorium SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM: ViiV Healthcare | |




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| 15:00 – 15:30 | Refreshment Break <i>Hosted in the Exhibition Hall (Cromdale Hall)</i> | | |
| 15:30 – 16:20 | Pentland Auditorium Oral Presentations | Fintry Auditorium Oral Presentations | |
| 16:25 – 17:55 | Friday Afternoon Clinic: MDT | | |
| 18:00 – 19:00 | Welcome Reception <i>Hosted in the Exhibition Hall</i> | | |

Tuesday 10th June 2025

| Time | Session | | |
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| 07:45 | BASHH President's Plant Based Breakfast <i>Platform 5, Edinburgh International Convention Centre</i> | | |
| 08:00 | Registration desk opens Arrival Tea & Coffee | | |
| 08:30 – 09:30 | Pentland Auditorium Oral Presentations | Fintry Auditorium Oral Presentations | |
| 09:35 – 10:35 | Pentland Auditorium Session TBC | Fintry Auditorium SHAN Session | Harris Suite 1 Moderated Posters |
| 10:40 – 11:10 | Refreshment Break <i>Hosted in the Exhibition Hall (Cromdale Hall)</i> | | |
| 11:10 – 12:05 | Pentland Auditorium <i>SPONSORED SYMPOSIUM: MSD UK</i> | | |
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| 12:10 – 13:10 | Pentland Auditorium Supporting gender questioning, transgender and non-binary people attending sexual health services | Fintry Auditorium Oral Presentations | |

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| 13:10 – 14:10 | Lunch Break <i>Hosted in the Exhibition Hall (Cromdale Hall)</i> | | |
| 14:10 – 15:00 | Pentland Auditorium Keynote: Does STI prioritisation mean we accept that we have lost control of STIs in the general population? | | |
| 15:05 – 16:00 | <i>Sponsored Symposium 3</i> | | |
| 16:00 – 16:15 | Refreshment Break <i>Hosted in the Exhibition Hall (Cromdale Hall)</i> | | |
| 16:15 – 17:15 | Pentland Auditorium Anal cancer screening - what should GUM/SRH physicians do given current evidence? 4-nation update on the uptake and impact of HPV vaccination programme in GBMSM | Fintry Auditorium Unheard voices: how YOU can provide better healthcare for the largest single minority group in the UK | Harris Suite 1 Moderated Posters |
| 17:15 – 18:00 | Pentland Auditorium Alternative Sex - Reframing Kink, BDSM and Polyamory | Fintry Auditorium Lustrum 2: Using co-production and brief films to increase the uptake of STI and HIV testing among sex partners of people diagnosed with a bacterial STI(s), as part of partner notification in the era of online sexual healthcare | |
| 18:00 | Conference Close | | |
| 19:30 | Gala Dinner <i>The Caves, 8-10 Niddry Street South, Edinburgh</i> | | |

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Wednesday 11th June 2025

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| 08:30 | Registration opens | |
| 09:00 – 10:00 | Pentland Auditorium Advancing Sexual Health Research: Key findings and future directions from the NIHR Health Protection Unit (HPRU) in Blood Borne and Sexually Transmitted Infections (BBSTI) | Fintry Auditorium The new HIV 2024 Report and the limitations of healthcare provision to underserved communities |
| 10:05 – 10:35 | Pentland Auditorium Session TBC | Fintry Auditorium 10 steps to a green sexual health and HIV clinic: A Workshop |
| 10:35 – 11:05 | Refreshment Break <i>Hosted in the Exhibition Hall</i> | |
| | Pentland Auditorium | |
| 11:05 – 11:50 | Top 5 Papers: HIV and GUM | Digital PrEP pathways: how to be mindful of equity/inequities when (co)designing digital services & |
| 11:50 – 12:05 | Prize ceremony – awards and undergrad essay prize | The Scottish ePrEP Clinic: using the evidence and working together to create an online PrEP service with maximal inclusivity and reach |
| 12:05 – 13:00 | Pentland Auditorium <i>Sponsored Symposium 4</i> | |
| 13:00 – 13:44 | Lunch Break <i>Hosted in the Exhibition Hall (Cromdale Hall)</i> | |
| 13:45 – 14:45 | Pentland Auditorium BASHH Guidelines Update session | |
| 14:45 | Closing Address | |
| 15:00 | Conference close | |

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