



## Association of Children's Diabetes Clinicians

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#### **ACDC ANNUAL CONFERENCE ASTON**

Our 13<sup>th</sup> ACDC Annual Conference will be held at Conference Aston, Aston University Campus B74BL Birmingham on February 1<sup>st</sup> 2019. Please visit our website to download and complete the registration forms <http://www.a-c-d-c.org/forthcoming-acdc-meetings/> Places are limited and each year we are always oversubscribed, so please register early. The programme is now confirmed with excellent speakers at the conference.



#### **ACDC GUIDELINES UPDATED**

The ACDC has updated some of our guidelines which were up for review. Please note Version 4 of 'Management of Type 1 Diabetes Mellitus during illness in children and young people under 18 years (Sick Day Rules)' and Version 3 of 'A Practical Approach to the Management of Continuous Glucose Monitoring (CGM) / Real-Time Flash Glucose Scanning (FGS) in Type 1 Diabetes Mellitus in Children and Young People Under 18 years.' All guidelines are nationally endorsed and freely available on our ACDC website <http://www.a-c-d-c.org/endorsed-guidelines/>

#### **ACDC NEW GUIDELINE DEVELOPMENT GROUP**

ACDC Guideline Development Group, led by Dr Melanie Kershaw continue work on the new ACDC guideline 'Steroid Induced Hyperglycaemia Diabetes guideline which is planned for completion early next year.

#### **ACDC SUPPORTER OF QIC DIABETES AWARDS**

ACDC supported the 2018 Diabetes Quality in Care (Qic) Programme and we thank our committee member Dr Eleri Williams who was in the judging panel. The Quality in Care programme was launched in 2011 bringing the NHS, industry and patient groups closer together to increase joint-working.

The programme has the goal of recognising good practice in the UK and providing opportunities for sharing projects and initiatives that, ultimately, will benefit patients. Awards night was held 18<sup>th</sup> October at <http://www.qualityincare.org/diabetes/awards/supporting>



#### **OTHER MEETINGS**

48th Annual BSPED Conference, November 7-9, 2018 Birmingham, UK

*Dr May Ng Chair ACDC*

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