

Monday 23 June											
						Exhibition hall	Meeting room 4	Aspect bar	Plaza view foyer	Living lounge	Outside
8.00am – 10.00am	Registration										
10.00am – 11.15am	No mental health without oral health: why is it important and what can psychiatrists do to close the gap?	From evidence to practice: new methods for developing state-of-the-art pharmacological guidelines in psychiatry	Blood biomarkers for Alzheimer's disease: the road to clinical implementation	Please help me! I've been asked to review a paper	'Being with' rather than 'doing to': a tale of systems and people						
11.15am – 11.45am	Break					Pitch your poster sessions					
11.45am – 11.55am	Welcome address Professor Stephen Lawrie and Dr Sridevi Sira Mahalingappa, Congress Co-Chairs and Dr Abdul Raoof, Associate Dean for Advanced Learning and Conferences			Keynote overflow room Quiet space	Keynote overflow room						
11.55am – 12.25pm	KN1 President's opening lecture Dr Lade Smith CBE, President, Royal College of Psychiatrists			Keynote overflow room Quiet space	Keynote overflow room						
12.25pm – 12.55pm	KN2 Professor Norman Sartorius, President, Association for the Improvement of Mental Health Programmes			Keynote overflow room Quiet space	Keynote overflow room						
12.55pm – 1.55pm	Lunch				Print is dead...long live publishing!	Rapid-fire poster presentations	SAS doctors lounge		Students and resident doctors lounge	Climate Café	
2.00pm – 3.15pm	Treatment resistant and complex psychosis: part one	Mental health in time of crisis and disaster	BJPsych 2025 themed issue: psychiatric symptoms on the ovarian hormone roller coaster	AI in psychiatry – help or hype?	How lived experience leadership is driving the equity principles within the Culture of Care programme						
3.15pm – 3.25pm											
3.25pm – 4.40pm	Treatment resistant and complex psychosis – part two	The silent epidemic: understanding the hidden impact of domestic and sexual violence on the brain	Mind meets machine: AI tools for mental health, from creation to compliance	Is laughter the best medicine? Exploring gallows humour to combat burnout and enhance health promotion	Understanding the dual impact on clinicians and victims following patient-perpetrated homicide and launching the new RCPsych guidance for the support of staff (CR239)						
4.40pm – 5.10pm	Break					Pitch your poster sessions					
5.10pm – 5.40pm	KN3			Keynote overflow room Quiet space	Keynote overflow room						
5.40pm – 6.10pm	KN4 How we are failing women's mental health, and what we must do about it Professor Linda Gask, Emerita Professor of Primary Care Psychiatry, University of Manchester			Keynote overflow room Quiet space	Keynote overflow room						
6.15pm – 7.30pm					Stand up for mental health!		A book club with a twist - exploring mental health conditions impacting on young people through fiction			Music as medicine	Nature walk

Wednesday 25 June											
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8.00am – 9.00am	Registration										
8.00am – 8.45am							Life step by step: a mindful exploration			The Movement - connecting our body and mind through creative movement	Congress 5km run
9.00am – 9.30am	KN10			Keynote overflow room Quiet space	Keynote overflow room						
9.30am – 10.00am	KN11 Gut feelings - the microbiome and mental health Professor John Cryan, University College Cork			Keynote overflow room Quiet space	Keynote overflow room						
10.00am – 10.30am	Break					Pitch your poster sessions					
10.30am – 11.45am	'A tale of six cities': international perspectives on deliberate self-harm and suicidal behaviour in prison	Disorders at the interface of neurology and psychiatry – part one	How can psychiatrists tackle the insomnia epidemic? Treatment, service provision and pathways	Bridging the gap: opportunities for impact outside the NHS	When cognitive neuroscience meets clinical practice: the OCD and schizophrenia continuum		Doing do-able jobs: A masterclass in coaching and mentoring to support our professional development				
11.45am – 11.55am											
11.55am – 1.10pm	What must change to improve women's mental health care?	Disorders at the interface of neurology and psychiatry – part two	Modernising the Mental Health Act 1983	Scapegoating in psychiatry: Understanding, addressing, and preventing blame cultures	A 21st century renaissance – emerging from the 'dark ages' in bipolar disorder						
1.10pm – 2.10pm	Lunch				Crafting the life you dream of: underpinned by neuroscientific methods	Rapid-fire poster presentations	SAS doctors lounge		Students and resident doctors lounge	I'm a psychiatrist get me out of here: escape rooms as a learning tool	
2.10pm – 2.40pm	KN12 In conversation with... Dr Marchelle Farrell			Keynote overflow room Quiet space	Keynote overflow room						
2.40pm – 3.10pm	KN13			Keynote overflow room Quiet space	Keynote overflow room						
3.10pm – 3.40pm	Break					Pitch your poster sessions					
3.40pm – 4.55pm	Waves of hope. Personal stories about Electroconvulsive Therapy. A book presentation	Disorders at the interface of neurology and psychiatry – part three	Towards a safer future: effective approaches to implementing safety recommendations in mental health services	Doctors referred to the regulator - addressing the mental health impact through a collaboration between the RCPsych and the GMC	Prevention: the modern art and science for protecting and promoting mental health						
4.55pm – 5.05pm											
5.05pm – 6.20pm	How low can you go? Can brief interventions improve the mental health of people with personality disorder?	Disorders at the interface of neurology and psychiatry – part four	Chronobiology – practical strategies in clinical practice		The intergenerational transmission of poor mental health: what can we do to help?						
6.40pm – 7.40pm	AGM									Congress poetry reading	Nature walk
	Congress Party										

Thursday 26 June											
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8.00am – 9.00am	Registration										
8.00am – 8.45am							Life step by step: a mindful exploration			Zumba	
9.00am – 9.30am	KN14			Keynote overflow room Quiet space	Keynote overflow room						
9.30am – 10.00am	KN15 What about the patients that don't get better?: health justice and chronic conditions Professor Rob Poole, Centre For Mental Health And Society, Bangor University			Keynote overflow room Quiet space	Keynote overflow room						
10.00am – 10.30am	Break					Pitch your poster sessions					
10.30am – 11.45am	Staying safe from suicide: NHSE best practice guidance for safety assessment, formulation and management			“Tell us your story”: how literature and the arts can help psychiatrists understand and empathise with forced migration and its impact on mental health	Personalised approaches to care in psychosis: lessons from the UK early psychosis mental health mission						
11.45am – 11.55am											
11.55am – 1.10pm	Assessment and treatment of obsessive-compulsive spectrum disorders	Aggressive and indecisive or competent and nurturing? Examining and demystifying the perceptions about women leaders in health care	The past, present and future of disease modifying drugs for dementia. A comprehensive update		Law, justice and mental health - impact on the vulnerable						
1.10pm – 2.10pm	Lunch					Rapid-fire poster presentations	SAS doctors lounge		Students and resident doctors lounge	Knightfulness: the chess challenge	Nature walk
2.10pm – 2.40pm	KN16			Keynote overflow room Quiet space	Keynote overflow room						
2.40pm – 3.55pm	How do we improve access to mental health services for patients with neurological disorders? An overview and debate	Tardive Dyskinesia - hidden in the shadows of psychiatric practice?		From idea to impact: navigating the academic publication journey	Reports from The Lancet Standing Commission on the mental health effects of the COVID-19 Pandemic						