

Events 2017



1 February 2017 Geographical clusters: a vision for the future

Follow-up workshop with the Wellcome Trust at Newcastle University to explore opportunities and challenges for collaboration across clusters in the context of the Industrial Strategy.

20 March 2017 Adopting a stratified approach to severe asthma

In partnership with NHS England, a roundtable to explore stratification of severe asthma. Part of a series of meetings with NHS England exploring exemplar clinical pathways for adopting stratified medicine in the NHS.

13 June 2017 Accelerating access to medical innovation

Joint workshop with the Centre for the Advancement of Sustainable Medical Innovation, supported by the Medical Research Council and the National Institute for Health Research, to build a research agenda for innovation science.

3 July 2017 Looking to the future: endpoints in clinical research

Joint workshop with the Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry (ABPI) focused on the utility, relevance and acceptability of existing and new endpoints in oncology research across different stakeholder perspectives.

6 September 2017 FORUM Annual Lecture: The mind-body interface

Keynote will be given by Dr Kevin Tracey, Chief Executive Officer of the US Feinstein Institute for Medical Research, followed by a panel discussion with distinguished guests from across the life sciences sector. This event will explore research and healthcare challenges around the mind-body interface.

Autumn 2017 Personalised psychiatry

Roundtable exploring the potential for personalised psychiatry, looking at developments in mental health research and how these might be used in the future for patient care.

Winter 2017 Bridging the preclinical-clinical boundary

Workshop with the ABPI looking at ways to better integrate across earlier stage discovery research and clinical research and practice, to drive more effective translational research.

Attendance at these events is by invitation only. If you are interested in attending please contact FORUM@acmedsci.ac.uk.



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