

**Emergency Planning Society**  
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## **Emergencies in Health and Heritage**

A one-day Conference in the  
Palatine Room, National Museum, Collins Barracks, Dublin 7  
**Monday October 17<sup>th</sup> 2005**

### **BOOKING FORM**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Official Purchase Order No. \_\_\_\_\_ attached  
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# Emergencies in Health and Heritage Risks – Prevention – Contingency



## Conference

Palatine Room, National Museum,  
Collins Barracks, Dublin 7

**Monday October 17<sup>th</sup> 2005**

**09.15 – 16.45**

**Registration from 08.45**

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# Emergencies in Health and Heritage

In today's fast changing world it is important to recognise that our society is vulnerable to a range of hazards which can have severe impacts on public safety and corporate resilience. For example an influenza pandemic, which is regarded as a very real threat would have major implications for every aspect of life in the country.

This conference addresses two diverse topics and provides the conference delegates with an opportunity to identify areas of common interest in undertaking the process of planning for emergencies in either field.

How real are the risks? What preventative measures should be taken?

## Conference Topics

**Public Health:** Infectious disease, vulnerability of water and food supplies

**Heritage:** Protection of historical treasures

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## Who should attend?

The central theme of this conference is "vulnerability".

The conference will appeal to a broad range of professionals and anyone who is concerned with crisis management:

Risk Managers  
Emergency / Continuity Planners  
Facility Managers  
Public Authorities / Fire Services  
Academics

Librarians  
Recovery Specialists  
Event Managers  
Public Health Agencies  
Museums / Heritage

# PROGRAMME

## 08.45 Registration & Coffee

### 09.15 Introduction and Welcome

*Michael Gallagher, Chair, Republic of Ireland Branch, EPS*

#### Opening address

*Speaker to be confirmed*

### 09.45 Public Health & Drinking Water Supplies

*Denis Morrissey, Senior Scientific Officer, Dublin City Council*

### 10.30 Tea / Coffee

### 11.00 Contingency planning for the protection of cultural heritage

*Prof. Patrick Boylan, Emeritus Professor of Heritage Policy & Management, City University, London*

### 11.45 Damage mitigation and emergency response measures at historical buildings

*Steve Emery, Fire Safety Advisor, English Heritage*

### 12.30 Lunch

### 13.30 Farmleigh – Protecting our heritage

*Julie Cummins, Curator, Farmleigh*

### 14.15 Public health issues in relation to food for large gatherings

*Sue Codd, Senior Environmental Health Officer, Dublin / North Eastern Region, HSE*

### 14.45 Tea / Coffee

### 15.00 Managing food incidents – The Red Sudan scare.

*Jeff Moon, Chief Specialist Environmental Health, FSAI*

### 15.30 The Implications of an Influenza Pandemic

*Dr. Darina O'Flanagan, Director, Health Protection Surveillance Centre, HSE*

### 16.15 Panel discussion – Q&A session

### 16.45 Close

#### Fee:

EPS Members €175 or £123stg

Non-members €225 or £158stg

#### Payment:

Payment by cheque must accompany booking or, where appropriate, a Purchase Order is acceptable.

#### Cancellations:

A 50% cancellation fee will be charged for cancellations received within 7 days of the Conference.

Cancellations received on October 13<sup>th</sup> or 14<sup>th</sup> will incur the full fee. Substitutions are allowed.

#### Booking:

Bookings can be made by returning the Booking Form.

Telephone bookings MUST BE confirmed by written confirmation either by post or by fax. Numbers are restricted and places will be allocated based on the order of receipt of bookings.

#### Parking:

Car parking is available at the Museum. There is a LUAS stop at the gate.