

Workshop on Ethics and Governance in Cancer Biobanking

to be held on 7th January 2009, at Thistle Hotel, Marble Arch, London.

PROGRAMME

UP09.30 – 10.00	Registration and refreshments	
10.00 – 10.05	Opening Address and housekeeping	Derek Stewart OBE, NCRI Confederation of Cancer Biobanks
Session 1	Chair - Dr Jane Kaye, Ethox Centre, University of Oxford	
10.05 - 10.30	CCB Guiding Principles – a cornerstone for good biobank governance	Dr Brian Clark, onCore UK
10.30 – 11.00	Generic and enduring consent – the essential elements	Dr Alison Parry-Jones, Wales Cancer Bank
11.00 – 11.30	Networking Break	
Session 2	Chair - Professor Graeme Laurie, University of Edinburgh	
11.30 – 12.00	Information governance requirements to protect donor confidentiality	Harry Cayton OBE, Chair, National Information Governance Board for Health and Social Care
12.00 – 12.30	Linkage of Clinical Information to annotate samples	Chris Carrigan, National Cancer Intelligence Network
12.30 – 13.30	Networking Lunch	
Session 3	Chair - David Neal, NRES	
13.30 – 14.00	Regulation of Human Research Biobanks – a Q&A Session	Adrian McNeil, Chief Executive, Human Tissue Authority
14.00 – 14.30	An example of fair access in principle and practice	Dr Martin Yuille, UK DNA Banking Network
Session 4	Chair - Derek Stewart	
14.30 – 15.00	Ethical review of biobanks - policy and procedure	David Neal, National Research Ethics Service
15.00 – 15.30	Tissue banks and R&D review: IRAS, CSP, TCCs and other acronyms	Dr Janet Messer, NHS R&D Forum
15.30 – 16.00	Networking Break	
Session 5	Chair – Adrian McNeil, HTA	
16.00 – 16.30	Governance models and benefit sharing	Professor Graeme Laurie, University of Edinburgh
16.30 – 17.00	Harnessing stakeholder engagement and support	Derek Stewart OBE, Chair, NCRI Confederation of Cancer Biobanks
17.00	Close	