

South East MND Network Study day
Tuesday 5th March 2024: 9.30am - 4.15pm
Mercure Tunbridge Wells Hotel, TN2 4QL

Programme

Registration open from 9.00 am

9.30	Welcome and introduction	Rachel Thomson – Coordinator, Sussex MND Care & Research Network and Samantha Parry – Coordinator, King’s MND Care & Research Centre
9.45	Genetic Screening in MND	<i>Speaker to be confirmed.</i> South East NHS Genomic Service, Guys & St Thomas’ Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
10.30	Secretion Management	Dr Michelle Ramsay - Consultant Respiratory Physician, Lane Fox Respiratory Unit, St Thomas’ Hospital
11.15	Coffee break	
11.45	Wheelchair technology update	Maggie Hevicon and Lynn Hills – Wheelchair Therapists, MND Association
12.15	“When the answer is no...” to gastrostomy - decision making and support for patients, families and professionals.	Charlotte Cole – Neuro Dietitian, Community Neuro Rehab Team, Horsham, Sussex Community Foundation Trust and Deepti De Araujo – Lead Community Dietitian, First Community Health
13.00	Lunch and exhibitors	
14.00	Behaviour management in MND-FTD - Part 1	Professor Eneida Mioshi – Professor of Dementia Care Research, University of East Anglia
14.45	Behaviour management in MND-FTD - Part 2 workshop and case discussions	
15.30	Comfort break	
15.45	Project Relate	Richard Cave – MND SLT Project Manager, MND Association
16.15	Round up and evaluation. Close and depart	Rachel Thomson and Samantha Parry

