



DOCTORS IN UNITE

Annual Conference and AGM 2020

Saturday 18th January 2020

09:30 **AGM**

Election of officers and motions proposed

10:30 **Registration and Coffee**

11:00 **Plenary: Austerity and the rise in Mortality in the UK**

Dr Lucinda Hiam is an NHS GP who works for NGOs in the UK and around the world.

In 2019 she worked with Médecins Sans Frontières in Uganda and the Middle East, providing healthcare for Syrian refugees. She is part of the Primary Care International clinical team, working to strengthen family medicine worldwide.

Dr Hiam is a GP Champion and former health advisor for Doctors of the World, an organisation which provides access to doctors for undocumented migrants and other people who find it difficult to normally access healthcare. As part of Doctors of the World's 'Stop Sharing' campaign, she provided evidence to the Parliamentary Health and Social Care Select Committee.

Dr Hiam is a programme officer at Lancet Migration. She holds an honorary research fellow position at the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, and she is undertaking a DPhil at Oxford University. Her research interests include the barriers faced by migrants when accessing healthcare, and the impact of austerity on health outcomes in the UK.

12:30 **Lunch**

13:30 **Health and the Climate Crisis**

Dr Rita Issa is an academic GP trainee and activist with Doctors for Extinction Rebellion.

15:30 **Tea break**

16:00 **What now after the General Election?**

Dr Coral Jones is a Doctors in Unite member and retired Hackney GP. She stood as the Labour candidate for Thanet in the 2019 General Election. She reflected on her experience of the election and the challenges facing us over the next five years.

17:00 **Conference close**