

DOCTORAL MIDWIFERY RESEARCH SOCIETY MEETING
6th February, 2009

Loughview Suite, University of Ulster, Jordanstown
9am-4pm

DRAFT PROGRAMME

MORNING SESSION

Chair- Professor Marlene Sinclair

9:00 Poster Exhibition Tea/Coffee

9:30 Chair's Introduction

9:40 Dr Nicola Armstrong
Update from R & D Office

10:00 Professor Frank Dobbs
Director of the Institute of Post Graduate
Medicine and Primary Care

**PROFESSOR OF MIDWIFERY RESEARCH SERIES: GUEST
LECTURE**

10:15 Professor Valerie Hall

*"Reflections on Engaging in Participatory
Research"*

**Morning Coffee Sponsored by School of
Nursing Ulster 11.00-11.30 am**

11:30 Maria Herron, WHSCT Maternity
Services Liaison Committee

*"Research in Action: Listening to Mother's
Voices in the WHSSB"*

12:00 Sue MacDonald,
Education & Research Manager
Royal College of Midwives
Commentary and discussion





**Lunch Sponsored by Research &
Development Office for Northern Ireland
12.30pm-2.00pm**

Afternoon Session

Chair – Professor Helen Dolk

- 2:00pm Opening Remarks- Professor Helen
Dolk, Professor of Epidemiology &
Health Services Research
“Inequalities in Pregnancy Outcome”
- 2:15pm Dympna Walsh PhD Student
*“The experiences of women with
disability using maternity services”*

**Afternoon Tea Sponsored by the UU Institute of
Nursing Research 2:45pm-3.15pm**

- 3:15 “Talk Shop – women surfing the Internet”
Trinity College Dublin, 3rd Year Midwifery Students
- 3:45 Closing Remarks- Prof Marlene Sinclair

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Date of the next meeting 4th June (Cardiff University)