

## **The Medical & Healthcare Subject Specialist Network**

*'At the heart of medical & healthcare collections'*

Invites you to attend a **FREE** two-day conference and training seminar

### **The BODY & SOUL of Medical Collections**

At the Thackray Museum, Leeds

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2008**

Keynote speakers:

**Almut Grüner, Chief Executive, Thackray Museum**

**Nick Winterbotham, Chief Executive, Millennium Point & Thinktank**

The conference will inspire delegates from museums, libraries and archives to make better use of their medical and healthcare collections. Future plans for the network will also be discussed, including a project to map medical and healthcare collections.

Topics will include:

**Audience Development  
Collection Rationalisation  
Collections Care & Access**

**Education Resources  
Engaging Public Debate  
Gallery Refurbishment & Redisplay  
Oral History**

Speakers will include:

**Beth Hawkins & Katie Maggs,  
Science Museum  
Flow Associates  
Dr Francis Neary, University of  
Cambridge  
Pete Starling, Army Medical  
Services Museum  
Sarah Jones, ABPI**

**Dr Joe Cain, University College  
London  
Kate Reeder & Carolyn Ware,  
Beamish  
Martin Warren, Norfolk Museums &  
Archaeology Service  
Pauline Webb, MOSI, Manchester  
Sue Weir, Medical History Walks**

For hotel accommodation contact Leeds TIC telephone 0113 242 5242

Join other delegates for a shared meal in Leeds on Monday evening.

Full programme on receipt of booking form or from:

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Travel and accommodation bursaries may be available to those institutions unable to cover their costs; please include a letter of application with your booking form. Independent museums should also seek help through AIM's Bob Harding Training Grants. This event is supported by funding from the MLA's Renaissance programme.



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