

**Agenda**

**Weekend 3: 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> February 2017**

**Topic: The Eighth Amendment of the Constitution**

**Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> February**

9.15	Private Session	Private
9.45	Welcome from the Chairperson	Public
10.00	<b>Session 1: Member Discussion on Submissions</b>	Private
10.45	Member Feedback from Submissions Discussion	Public
11.15	Coffee	Private
11.30	<b>Session 2: Availability of legal terminations in other jurisdictions; Overview</b> Gilda Sedgh, Guttmacher Institute	Public
11.45	<b>Session 3: Case Study: The UK</b> Dr. Patricia Lohr, Medical Director BPAS Dr. Peter J Thompson, Consultant Fetal Medicine, Birmingham Women's and Children's NHS Foundation Trust	Public
12.15	Roundtable Discussions	Private
12.50	Q&A and feedback from Roundtable Discussions	Public
13.30	Lunch	Private
14.30	<b>Session 1: Rape- Medical and Care Path Issues</b> Dr. Maeve Eogan, Sexual Assault Treatment Unit, Rotunda Hospital Noeline Blackwell, The Dublin Rape Crisis Centre	Public
15.00	<b>Session 2: Rape- Legal Issues</b> Tom O'Malley, NUI Galway	Public
15.15	Roundtable Discussions	Private
16.00	Coffee	Private
16.15	Q&A and feedback from Roundtable Discussions	Public
17.00	Session Conclusion by the Chair	Public

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> February**

9.30	Intro from Chair	Public
9.35	<b>Session 1: Ethical Perspectives- Reproductive Autonomy</b> Dr. Joan McCarthy- University College Cork- <i>Presenting the Pro-choice Perspective</i> Dr. Donal O'Mathuna- Dublin City University- <i>Presenting the Pro-life Perspective</i>	Public
10.05	Roundtable Discussion	Private
10.45	Q&A and feedback from Roundtable Discussions	Public
11.30	Coffee	Private
11.45	<b>Session 2: Regulation of the medical profession and issues arising including conscientious objection</b> Prof Gerard Bury, University College Dublin	Public
12.00	Roundtable Discussion	Private
12.30	Q&A and Feedback from Roundtable Discussion	Public
13.00	Reflective Exercise	Private
13.15	Conclusion	Public