



# Please join us for the Hill's Roadshow Supporting Arthritic Pets



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**In 2019 it will be 80 years since Hill's began to help take care of pets, and as part of our mission, we are proud to continue to support Veterinary Nurses with another CPD roadshow.**

We hope you can join us for a fun and informative day focusing on the key role of nurses in the care and support of arthritic pets and their owners. Although this event is aimed primarily at Veterinary Nurses, we welcome the attendance of all members of the healthcare team. We are delighted to have Dr Siobhan Menzies BVM&S GP CERT(WVA&CPM) LfHom(Vet) MRCVS of HolisticPet as our guest speaker.

**Wednesday March 27th - The Killeshin Hotel**  
Dublin Rd, Ballyroan, Portlaoise, Co. Laois

**Thursday March 28th - Hilton Belfast Templepatrick**  
Paradise Walk Castle Upton Estate, Templepatrick BT39 ODD



**5 hours AMTRA accredited CPD/5 CVE points**  
**Refreshments and Lunch included**  
**Cost: £35**

Places are limited, so book now to secure your place at:  
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## Agenda

8.30am	Tea & Coffee and Registration	
9.15am	Welcome/ Introduction	Hill's speaker
9.30am	A Team Approach to Setting UP OA Clinics	Hill's speaker
10.00am	Pain Perception and Multimodal analgesia	Dr Siobhan Menzies
10.45am	Tea & Coffee	
11.00am	Obesity in Arthritic Pets	Hill's speaker
11.30am	Physical Rehabilitation Techniques	Dr Siobhan Menzies
12.30pm	Lunch	
1.30am	Group 1: Practical - Rehabilitation techniques	Dr Siobhan Menzies
	Group 2: Environmental management of OA	Hill's speaker
2.15pm	Group 1: Environmental management of OA	Hill's speaker
	Group 2: Practical - Rehabilitation technique	Dr Siobhan Menzies
3.00pm	Tea & Coffee	
3.15pm	Predictive Biology and Dietary Management of OA	Hill's speaker
4.00pm	Close	

## Guest Speaker Profile

**Dr Siobhan Menzies** BVM&S  
GP CERT(WVA&CPM) LfHom(Vet) MRCVS

Siobhan Menzies graduated from the Royal [Dick] School of Veterinary Studies in 1990. She studied homeopathy with the Faculty of Homeopathy, Physiotherapy at the Royal Vet College and in 2003 she studied Acupuncture with the Association of British Veterinary Acupuncturists eventually serving as a council member. Siobhan left general practice and established HolisticPet in order to provide complementary therapies for pets in NI. In 2007 Siobhan attended the Canine Rehabilitation Practitioner program provided by the University of Tennessee. Inspired by this course she opened the province's first dedicated pain management clinic with Earlswood vet referrals housing Northern Ireland's first underwater treadmill.

HolisticPet now offers veterinary led pain management clinics in eight veterinary clinics around the province. In June 2017 Siobhan obtained a GP Certificate in Western veterinary acupuncture and chronic pain management. In February 2018 Siobhan became the first vet on the island of Ireland to become an Emmett practitioner for animals. She is currently continuing her studies with the University of Tennessee Certified Canine Rehabilitation Practitioner Program which is the only university accredited course in this field.



Dr Siobhan Menzies