



## Acquired Brain Injury Forum for London (ABIL)

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**Date:** Tuesday, 6<sup>th</sup> June 2017

**Time:** 2.00pm – 5.00pm (Registration from 1.30 pm)

**Venue:** Irwin Mitchell, 40 Holborn Viaduct, London, EC1N 2PZ

### Concussion with focus on Sport

- 2.00 – 2.05 **Welcome** – Tony Hart Chair ABIL
- 2.05 – 2.35 **Sports Concussion - An overview of some of the major issues – what is concussion/why are we concerned about it in the context of sport**  
Dr Richard Sylvester, Consultant Neurologist, Homerton University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
- 2.35 – 3.05 **Sports Related Concussion – recognition and management**  
Dr Simon Kemp, Chief Medical Officer, Rugby Football Union, Twickenham, UK
- 3.05 – 3.30 Break for Refreshments and Networking
- 3.30 – 4.00 **The medium and long term effects and their management (from my experience running a complex sports concussion clinic)**  
Dr Richard Sylvester, Consultant Neurologist, Homerton University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
- 4.00 – 4.30 **Concussion management: the difficulties in children and amateur sport**  
Dr Sam Barke, Medical Director, Return2Play
- 4.30 - 5.00 Close, Refreshments and Networking

### RSVP to Karolina Formella

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**Please apply by 30<sup>th</sup> May 2017**

*ABIL has the following aims:*

- 1. to raise awareness of brain injury in London*
- 2. to encourage dissemination of good practice*
- 3. to campaign for services*