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## Speaker Biography

### Session Details

Date	Friday 30 September 2016
Time	10:00 – 10:30am
Title	Helping young adults with life-limiting conditions to reach their ambitions

### Bev Barclay MBE

*Director of Clinical Services, The J's Hospice*

Bev Barclay has been in palliative care for 25 years commencing in adult palliative care and now is the interim CEO of The J's Hospice.

Bev commenced her career in palliative care at The Princess Alice Hospice, and following a move to the Lions adult hospice in Kent she pioneered the first ever paediatric palliative community service in the country. Whilst running the service it was acknowledged that a transition service was needed, Bev again pioneered a transition service which was a Help the Hospices project in 2005.

In 2009 she left Kent to set up The J's Hospice, a young adult hospice for patients 16-40. This is a community hospice at home and is the first of its kind in the country. Bev was recently awarded the MBE for her services to the hospice movement but especially life limited young adults, she was extremely proud to receive an award for a career she has found so rewarding.

She is married and has 2 sons.

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