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Dear Colleague,

**Re: British Hypertension Society / Nurses Hypertension Association Annual Scientific Meetings
Churchill College, Cambridge, Monday 18th - Wednesday 20th September 2006**

We should like to take this opportunity of reconfirming your registration for this year's meeting of the British Hypertension Society and the Nurses Hypertension Association in Cambridge.

If you now find that you *cannot* attend for any reason, we would be grateful if you could inform us as soon as possible. In particular we should be grateful if you could let us know as soon as possible should your plans change for attending the Conference Dinner on Tuesday evening.

Late Change in BHS Programme: 16.15-17.00 hrs, Tuesday 19th September:

Unfortunately, George Davey Smith is no longer able to attend the meeting to give his presentation on 'Risk Assessment: Distinguishing Cause from Association'.

We are grateful to **Professor John Betteridge (London)** for agreeing to give the following presentation in his place: **Beyond LDL: HDL – The New Lipid Target**

Note: The overspill ensuite accommodation originally booked for Trinity Hall is no longer available and delegates already allocated rooms in Trinity Hall will now be staying in [New Hall](#) (a separate letter has been sent to these delegates with further details).

Please find enclosed for your information maps and directions to Churchill College (for those delegates staying at New Hall, there is also a map showing the location of New Hall).

The British Hypertension Society and the Nurses Hypertension Association are grateful to **Novartis Pharmaceuticals UK Ltd.** for providing an educational grant towards the costs of the meeting.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact us and we look forward to seeing you in Cambridge.

With kind regards,

Mrs. Gerry McCarthy Ms. Elaine Oliver
Meetings Secretariat, BHS / NHA

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Venue

Churchill College,
Storey's Way,
Cambridge,
CB3 ODS.

Tel: 01223 336000 (Porters' Lodge)
01223 336183 (Registration Desk during the conference)
Fax: 01223 336198 (for incoming faxes during the conference)
Web: www.chu.cam.ac.uk

Travel

Please note that all travel arrangements and expenses are the responsibility of the delegates.

Location of Churchill College and New Hall:

Churchill College and New Hall are located off Madingley Road, a short way outside the main city centre (approx. 15-20 min walk).

By Train:

From London, trains to Cambridge leave from King's Cross and Liverpool Street stations. There are normally one or two trains each hour from both stations. The fast trains take slightly over an hour for the journey. Some direct services to Cambridge operate from Birmingham, Leicester, Liverpool, Manchester, Nottingham, Peterborough and Sheffield. It is possible to change at Peterborough for services from Doncaster, Leeds, York, Newcastle, Edinburgh and Glasgow, though the trains can be slow and it may be quicker, though more expensive, to travel via London.

By Taxi:

Cambridge station is about 10-15 minutes by taxi from the Colleges, depending on whether or not your arrival is in the rush-hour.

Churchill College Delegates: Please ask the taxi to drop you off at the Porters Lodge in Storey's Way.

New Hall Delegates: Please ask the taxi to drop you off at the Porters Lodge in Buckingham Road.

By Air:

Cambridge is within easy reach of London Heathrow, London Gatwick & Birmingham International Airport. London Stansted is the nearest international airport to Cambridge, located 30 miles to the South of the city, with easy access by train, coach, or car (M11). EasyJet and Ryanair fly from Stansted.

National Express Coaches run regular services between Cambridge and the following airports: Stansted (50 minutes), Heathrow (2 - 2½ hours) and Gatwick (3 hours). The Bus Station is located in the city centre and it will therefore be necessary for delegates to take a taxi from the bus station to the College.

By Road:

From the M11 (going North)

Exit at Junction 13. Turn right into Madingley Road. Follow the road down towards the City Centre. Take the left turn into Storey's Way and Churchill College is on the left. There is no exit at Junction 13 on the M11 travelling South.

From the A428 (Previously the A45 to and from the West)

Take exit marked for Cambridge and this will bring you down in to Madingley Road. Follow the road down towards the City Centre, following the above instructions from the junction with the M11.

From the City Centre

Storey's Way is the second turning on the right as you come out of Cambridge along the Madingley Road to the M11 and A428. This junction is marked with a traffic island in the middle of the road. Turn into Storey's Way and Churchill College is on the left.

From the A14 (East) (previously the A45 to and from the East)

Take exit marked for Cambridge at Histon and this will bring you down to a large junction by a service station. Turn right and right again at the traffic lights on to the Huntingdon Road. Follow the road towards Huntingdon (past New Hall and Fitzwilliam Colleges) turning left into Storey's Way. This junction is marked by a traffic island in the middle of the road and has the Cambridge Lodge Hotel (painted white wall) on the left-hand corner. Storey's Way has two sharp "dog-leg" bends, the first to the left and the second to the right. Immediately you have taken the second bend the Churchill College buildings will be ahead of you on your right.

From the A14 (North West) (previously known as the A604)

Follow the signs for Cambridge City Centre. This brings you down along the Huntingdon Road. Pass Girton College and NIAB on your left. Take the next right hand turning which is marked by a turning lane in the centre of the road with bollards and on the corner of Storey's Way is the Cambridge Lodge Hotel with a white wall. Follow along Storey's Way following the instructions as for "From the A14 (East)".

Bus Services:

The Citi 4 bus stops near to the College on the Madingley Road (operating on Mondays to Fridays from 07.00 hrs to 19.30 hrs. For further information on local bus services, go to www.traveline.org.uk (or Tel: 0870 608 2608).

Parking:

Parking for conference delegates is available in both Churchill College and New Hall (no extra charge). You do not need a permit to park in either of these car parks. Cars are left at the owners' own risk in both Colleges.

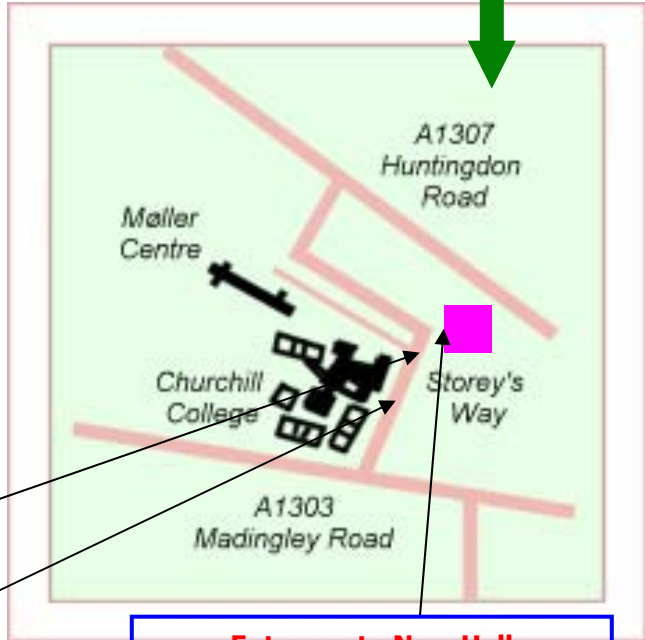
Churchill College Delegates: Enter Storey's Way from Madingley Road, and take the first entrance on the left (Churchill Road) and follow the signs to BHS Delegate Parking in the Main Visitors' Car Park. This road will take you past the Moller Centre, which is currently undergoing building work. It is about a 4-5 minute walk back to the College, so if you have heavy bags, please drop these at the Porters Lodge before you park.

New Hall Delegates: Enter Storey's Way from Madingley Road, drive past Churchill College on your left, and when the road bends sharply to the left, you will see the entrance to New Hall on your right. The car park is immediately on the left after you enter the New Hall gates. If there are insufficient spaces in the New Hall car park, delegates can park in Churchill College.

Churchill College



See the attached College Plans for a more detailed view



Vehicular entrance to Churchill College Car Park (on Churchill Road)

Porters' Lodge, Churchill College

Entrance to New Hall
(on Storey's Way, on the corner before it turns sharp left after Churchill College)

Useful Websites			
Train:	www.thetrainline.com or www.nationalrail.co.uk	Coach:	www.nationalexpress.com
Cambridge Tourist Info:	www.visitcambridge.org	Bus Service Info:	www.traveline.org.uk
Churchill College:	www.chu.cam.ac.uk	New Hall:	www.newhall.cam.ac.uk

Collection of Room Keys:

Delegates staying in Churchill College:

Please collect your room key from the Churchill College Porters Lodge. The official check-in time is 2.00 p.m., although most of the rooms should be available for occupation by 12.00 midday.

Delegates staying in New Hall:

Please collect your room key from the Porters Lodge in New Hall (please see attached map). Rooms will be available for occupation by 12.00 midday. The majority of delegates will be staying in New Block, which is the nearest accommodation to the exit to Storey's Way and to Churchill College. It is a 3 minute walk from New Block to Churchill College and no more than 5 minutes from the Porters Lodge and the Dining Hall (the Dome) to Churchill College.

Accommodation:

Please bear in mind that the Colleges are not hotels, and that you will be staying in student bedrooms. It is not possible to arrange alarm calls, so please remember to bring an alarm clock.

Breakfast (both Colleges):

Delegates should take breakfast in their **OWN COLLEGE** (i.e. New Hall delegates should take breakfast in the New Hall Dining Hall, which is called The Dome – this is indicated on the enclosed map). A full English buffet breakfast will be served in both Colleges from 7.30 – 8.45 a.m.

Other Meals / Smoking Policy:

All other meals (lunches and both dinners) will be held in **Churchill College**. Dress at both dinners (including the Conference Dinner on Tuesday 19th September) is smart casual. Churchill College operates a **non-smoking** policy.

Registration:

Please register with the BHS Secretariat at the Conference Registration Desk in the main Churchill College Foyer from 10.00 a.m. onwards on Monday 18th September.

Internet Access:

Wireless internet access is available in the Wolfson Hall Foyer and the Main Foyer in Churchill College (location of Registration Desk and Exhibition).

Lectures:

All BHS sessions will be held in the Wolfson Hall in Churchill College. A meeting of the Nurses Hypertension Association (NHA) will be held in the Jock Colville Hall, adjacent to the Wolfson Hall, and all delegates are welcome to attend either parallel meeting. Final Programmes/Abstracts for both meetings will be available in your delegate bag.

Annual Business Meetings:

The BHS Annual Business Meeting will be held on Tuesday 19th September from 5.15 p.m. – 6.15 p.m.
The NHA Annual General Meeting will be held on Wednesday 20th September from 9.00 a.m. – 10.15 a.m.

Accreditation:

CPD: The British Hypertension Society meeting has been approved for **14 hours** External Credit for the CPD Scheme of the Federation of Royal Colleges of Physicians of the UK (Code Number 33067). Hospital physicians wishing to claim CPD accreditation should sign the CPD Attendance Register at the Registration Desk.

Messages:

The direct telephone number of the Registration Desk at Churchill College is 01223 336183. This is for incoming calls only and messages will be taken by the Secretariat. Faxes may also be sent to 01223 336198.

Check-Out - Wednesday:

Check out time from your room is 9.00 a.m. on Wednesday. Please ensure that you hand your room key back to the Churchill College or New Hall Porters Lodge as soon as you have vacated your room. Luggage can be stored in Churchill College during the morning sessions.

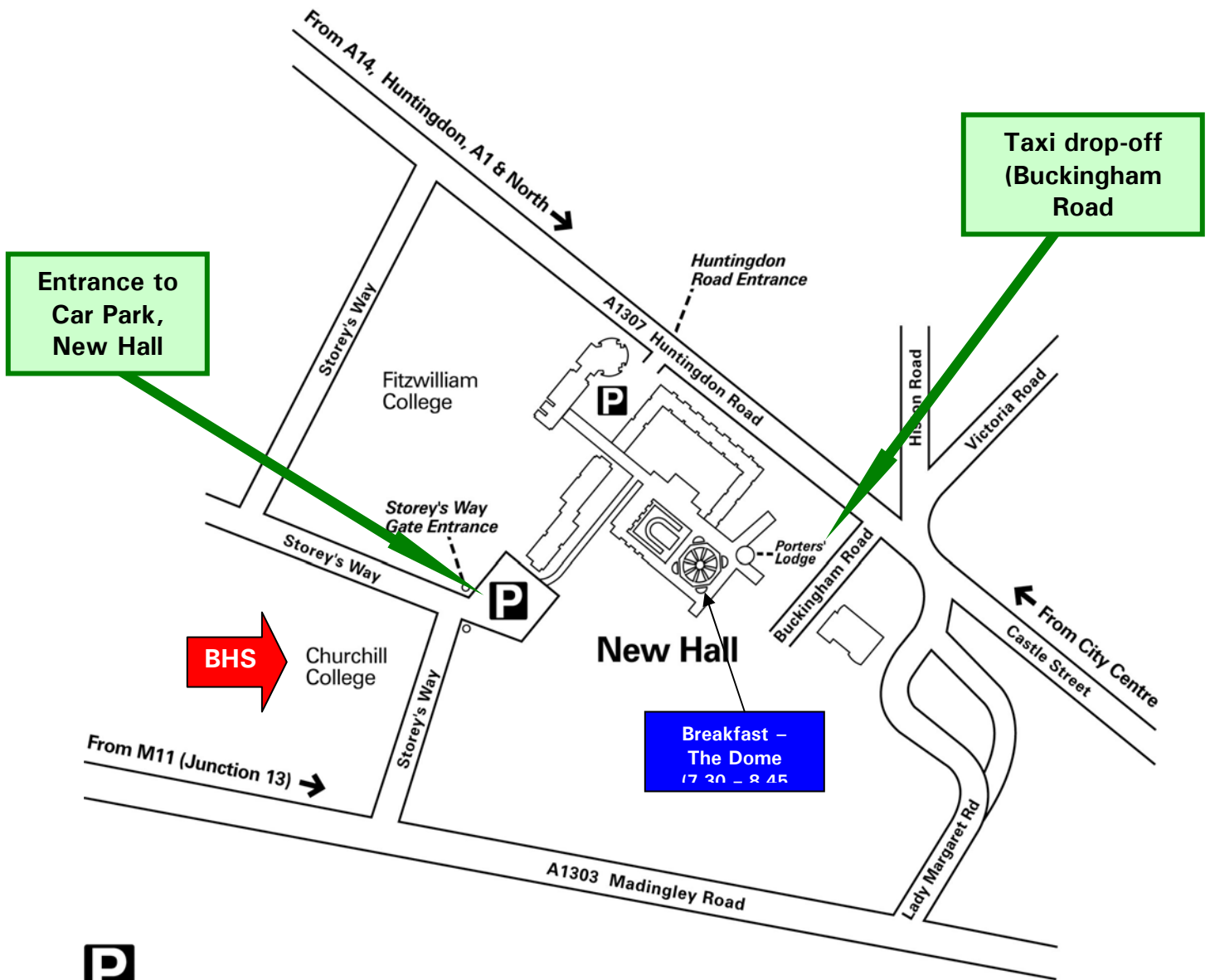
IMPORTANT: *Delegates who do not hand their keys back by 9.00 a.m. may be charged an additional night's accommodation. Delegates causing damage to their rooms will be charged repair and/or cleaning bills incurred by the Colleges.*

Please contact the Secretariat – Hampton Medical Conferences Ltd (Tel: 020 8979 8300) – should you have any queries regarding the meeting arrangements. We look forward to seeing you in Cambridge

FOR DELEGATES STAYING AT NEW HALL

COLLEGE PLAN

(showing location of Churchill College)



Car Parking.

Limited car parking is available off Huntingdon Road, in the Kaetsu Centre car park. There is further parking off Storey's Way. To exit Storey's Way car park you will need to draw your car level with the last post on the left hand side to activate the automatic sensors that open the gates.

If you experience difficulties, contact the Porters by pressing the buzzer on the right of the gate.

