



Launch of the Keep Control campaign

Thursday 11th December 2014, 11am Ashling Hotel, Parkgate Street, Dublin 8

The **Keep Control** campaign was developed for older people by the National Centre for the Protection of Older People at UCD in collaboration with the Older People's Empowerment Network (OPEN). The campaign provides information and resources to empower older people and encourage them to protect themselves from financial abuse by keeping control over their money and financial affairs.

Chair: Professor Gerard Fealy, Director, National Centre for the Protection of Older People, UCD	
9.30 – 11.00	Registration and coffee
11.00 – 11.10	Welcome
	Professor Andrew J Deeks, President of UCD
11.10 – 11.25	Launch of the Keep Control campaign
	Ms Kathleen Lynch TD, Minister of State, Department of Health and
	Department of Justice, Equality and Defence with responsibility for
	Disability, Older People, Equality and Mental Health
11.25 – 11.55	Tackling Elder Financial Abuse
	Professor Mary Gilhooly, Professor of Gerontology in the School of
	Health Sciences and Social Care, Brunel University London
11.55 – 12.45	An overview of the Keep Control campaign
	Dr Deirdre O'Donnell, National Centre for the Protection of Older People, UCD
	and the Older People's Empowerment Network (OPEN)
12.45 – 12.55	Response
	Mr Paschal Moynihan, Specialist for Older Persons' Services, HSE
12.55 – 13.00	Close
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch
14.00 – 14.45	Viewing of the Keep Control DVD (optional)





