

Agenda
Twelfth Irish National Radon Forum
3rd June 2015
EPA HQ Johnstown Castle Wexford.

09:30 **Registration and coffee**

Chairperson: **Ann McGarry**, Environmental Protection Agency.

10:00 **Welcome by Laura Burke.** Director General, Environmental Protection Agency.

10:10 **National Radon Control Strategy – one year on**

- Overview of the implementation of the strategy. Speaker from the Department of Environment, Community and Local Government
- Update from the steering group on radon prevention in new build David Fenton, Environmental Protection Agency
- Update from steering group on radon awareness. Bob Hanna, Department of Energy, Communications and Natural Resources
- Update from the steering group on radon remediation. Eamonn Smyth, Department of Environment, Community and Local Government

10:50 **Discussion**

Filling knowledge gaps identified in the Strategy

11:20 **Update national average indoor radon concentration for Ireland – methodology and preliminary results**
Dr Patrick Murphy, School of Mathematics, University College Dublin

11:45 **Current radon remediation methods and costs in Ireland**
Alison Dowdall, Environmental Protection Agency

12:00 **Pilot study on the impact of energy retrofitting on radon levels in local authority homes.** Stephanie Long, Environmental Protection Agency.

12:15 **Discussion**

12:45 **Close of Forum followed by light lunch**