

# Agenda

<b>10:30 - 11:00</b>	<b>NSAI Update</b>	<b>Chrissie Keane</b>
<b>11:00 - 11:30</b>	<b>Standards Overview</b>	<b>Brian Kirk</b>
<b>11:30 - 12:00</b>	<b>Standards Update</b>	<b>Brian Kirk</b>
<b>12:00 - 12:30</b>	<b>Your Standards Your Say</b>	<b>Trudi Abernethy</b>
<b>12:30 - 13:30</b>	<b>Lunch</b>	



“Your Standards Your Say”  
Trudi Abernethy 24<sup>th</sup> May 2014



# Purpose of Today

- Provide a brief introduction to standards, standardization bodies and how standards are generated
- Introduce the current sterilization and associated standards
- Details from some key standards
- How you can become involved..

# ISO Technical Committee 198 Sterilization of Health Care Products

- WG 1 Industrial ethylene oxide sterilization
- WG 2 Radiation sterilization
- WG 3 Moist heat sterilization
- WG 4 Biological indicators
- WG 5 Terminology
- WG 6 Chemical indicators
- WG 7 Packaging
- WG 8 Microbiological methods
- WG 9 Aseptic processing
- WG 10 Liquid chemical sterilization
- WG 11 General criteria for sterilization processes
- WG 12 Information for reprocessing of re-sterilizable devices
- WG 13 Washer-disinfectors



# National Standards Organisation

- NSAI
- Regular Meetings
- Communicate Documents
- Quarterly Healthcare Standards Consultative Committee
- Documents for Comment

# Documents for Comment.. Flow

- Document Notification to Committee Members via ISO/CEN/NSAI
- Review of Document
- Sent to Interest Groups for Comment..”Your Say...”
- Comments Collated
- Submit Comments to National Body
- National Body submit to Technical Committee - CEN or ISO

- <http://www.nsai.ie/Our-Services/Standardization/Draft-Enquiries-for-Public-Comment.aspx>

# Your Standards

- How?
- When?
- Standards of interest?
- Contact to ensure your comments are captured
- Flow of Information from IDI to Mirror Group
- Flow of Information from Mirror Group to NSAI



Thank you