

NWL Training Hub Newsletter

w/c 10th June 2024



News and Resources

C The Signs – Webinars

C the Signs is a clinical decision support system that accelerates earlier and faster cancer detection. It allows easy access to urgent suspected cancer referral forms as well as the risk assessment tool to support with decision making for suspected cancer. It can automate safety-netting of cancer referrals and investigations as well as support practices and PCNs with their Cancer QOF, DES and IIF targets. We also have a new dedicated FIT dashboard to track, review and action all FIT requests and results.

C the Signs has been re-commissioned across Northwest London ICB and is now the recommended platform for all urgent suspected cancer referrals across the ICB.

To find out more about C the Signs join us at one of these webinars, please use the links below to book:

New to C the Signs?

- Book onto the [C the Signs Administrator Webinars here](#)
- Book onto the [C the Signs Clinician Webinars here](#)

Already using C the Signs and want to find out about the new features?

- Book onto our [C the Signs New Feature Webinar here](#)

CSMS Launch: End of June 2024

NWL Training Hub would draw your attention to the recent system letter regarding the final preparations for the transition to the new NHS Cervical Screening Management System (CSMS). This transition will see Open Exeter no longer accessible for Cervical Screening purposes. A copy of the letter from NHS England is available at this [link](#).

Important Updates and Actions Required

It is expected the system will go live during late June 2024.

Please note: The final actions outlined in the [system letter](#) issued on 21 May 2024, must be completed by 17 June 2024, by all staff delivering cervical screening services. [Find out more here](#).

Partnership Succession Planning – Last chance to book

3 sessions from 12.30 to 14.00 on the 19th and 26th June and 3rd July [Find out more and register here](#).
27 spaces remaining.

Apprenticeships Survey

NWL Training Hub are conducting a survey to understand what apprenticeships are currently in post and how we can best support practices interested in training and upskilling their staff via apprenticeships and what barriers may be in the way of this.

We would appreciate any practice or PCN managers taking the time to completing [this survey](#) to aid us with this.

Register Now – GPN Celebration Event

12th July 2024, 9am to 5pm. [Register here](#).

A celebration event for all primary care nurses in London at Inner Circle, Regent's Park, London, London, NW1 4NS



NWL Training

Refresher interpreting ECG

24th September 2024 from 9:30 to 11am. Online [Register here](#)

The refresher ECG course re-introduces a systematic approach for GPs who interpret ECGs to adopt a system that ensures every ECG is interpreted correctly every time. The focus will be on common scenarios that cause concern in primary care with a focus on red-flag ECGs. Open to GPs and ACPs who have attended the interpreting ECG course.

Webinar - Pulmonary Rehabilitation

18th June 2024 from 1-2pm [Register here](#)

- What Pulmonary Rehabilitation is and why it is important
- Inclusion criteria and how to refer into services
- A patient's perspective
- A panel Q&A

1 day Project Management

3 dates available - 3rd July, 9th July and 12th July from 9.30 – 4.30 [Register here](#).

Following the expression of interest sent out a while ago, we have also now arranged 3, 1 day Project Management Training sessions. There are only 12 places on the courses but staff can be added to the waitlist and if we get enough interest we may run another course/s in the autumn.

2 day Online Paediatric Minor Illness for ANPs

1st and 15th July from 9am - 4pm. [Find out more information and register here](#).

Sally Armstrong asked us to co-ordinate this training, but despite emailing the ANPs /ACPs from across NWL with at least 2 years' experience who filled in the EOI we still have 8 spaces left.

Partnership Succession Planning

3 sessions from 12.30 to 14.00 on the 19th and 26th June and 3rd July [Find out more and register here](#) — 27 spaces remaining.

Does your partnership have a plan in place to ensure a smooth transition when partners retire or leave? Are you looking to identify and develop future leaders within your partnership? Join us for our exclusive workshop series, designed to guide you through improved succession planning.

Enhanced Services

Paediatric Phlebotomy

This training is for Nurses, HCAs & Phlebotomists. HCAs & Phlebotomists need to have a Care Certificate.

10th July 9.00am – 2.00pm

11th September 9.00am – 2.00pm

Fitting of coils for non-contraceptive purposes

There is a new Enhanced Service to provide the fitting of coils for non-contraceptive purposes. It is hoped that eventually every PCN will have a clinician that is able to fit coils for their PCN population. However, the training can be onerous so this may take some time!

To find out full details please visit our website [here](#).

ARRS Training Offers

Diabetes Half Day update

Open to any ARRS clinical staff who have already completed a Foundation Programme. [Click here to find out more](#). Dates available, spaces correct as of May 29th;

Wed 3rd July from 9am to 1pm – 13 spaces

Mon 8th July from 1pm to 5pm – 12 spaces

Wed 4th September from 1pm to 5pm – 27 spaces

Thu 12th September from 9am to 1pm – 25 spaces

Staff who wish to attend must be sent to Jon Ord jonathan.ord1@nhs.net – please let Jon know: Name, Email, Role, GP Practice, PCN, Borough, Employer.

ARRS Social Prescribing Link Workers, Care Coordinators and Health & Wellbeing Coaches

NWL Training Hub is supporting further new recruitment of the Personalised Care roles by funding a DES required PCI coaching course – either the 2 day or 4 day course dependant on the role. Staff who are recruited and require this course must be sent to Jon Ord at jonathan.ord1@nhs.net – who will collate and provide details to the training provider who will then support in booking a place on the course.

Pitstop Foundation Level Diabetes Course – Open to ARRS Clinical Pharmacists, Paramedics and Physician Associates

This course is now open to any ARRS clinical staff including *Pharmacists, Paramedics, Physician Associate, Pharmacy Technician, Nurse Associate & Advanced Clinical Practitioners*. Please submit your Full names, NHS email addresses, Role & Practice/Employer to jonathan.ord1@nhs.net to obtain a code.

Mental Health in Primary Care Course for ARRS Staff

NWL Training Hub has been working with the University of Hertfordshire to provide a new course around different areas of Mental Health within Primary Care and the patients they may interact with.

Please email jonathan.ord1@nhs.net for more details and to express interest in the course

Suicide First Aid Lite – Half Day Training sessions for the ARRS Personalised Care roles

Social Prescribing Link Workers, Health & Wellbeing Coaches & Care Coordinators.

Staff who wish to attend this course please express your interest to Jon

Ord jonathan.ord1@nhs.net – to include: Which course(s) you wish to attend, Name, Email, Role, PCN, Borough, Employer and any learning needs you have.

GP Assistant Programme

Only open to GP Assistants. Cohort 3 dates to be confirmed staff who wish to attend must be sent to Jon Ord jonathan.ord1@nhs.net – please let Jon know: Name, Email, Role, GP Practice, PCN, Borough, Employer.

SSSA Training

Monthly Lunch and Learns and Support on Tuesdays from 1-2 pm. Link to register;

6. [Action Plans & writing feedback / reports - 9th Jul](#)

Reception and Admin Training

Note summarising – [Register here for either date](#);

20th June from 9.30 – 12.30

17th July from 9.30 – 12.30

Clinical Coding – Register here;

4th July from 9.30 – 12.30

If dates are fully booked you can add yourself to the waitlist, where you will be contacted if spaces are freed up or more dates are made available.

GPN Trainees – Recruiting Practices NOW

View the flyer below for details of this opportunity. If you are interested please complete this [EOI](#) form and return to [Sally Armstrong](mailto:Sally.Armstrong@nhs.uk) or [Karen Sood](mailto:Karen.Sood@nhs.uk) as soon as possible. Also of note is the [NHSE GPN Trainee guide for 23/24](#), which outlines course detail. On receipt of EOIs, we will assess the initial interest and make contact with appropriate Practices to discuss further.

Important: we are currently waiting for confirmation of funding from NHSE, so at the moment we are just reviewing EOIs.

Click below to enlarge the flyer.

NW LONDON TRAINING HUB
Education ♦ Training ♦ Workforce

GPN Trainee opportunity for YOUR Practice - recruiting now!

Changing the culture of GPN Recruitment and Training

Evidence from the Sonnet Report and the Fuller Report demonstrate the challenges facing General Practice Nursing, this is supported by local workforce data.

Our aim is to provide a pipeline of future GPNs and develop them to General Practice Nurses, through offering you the opportunity of employing a GPN Trainee at your Practice, whilst they undertake the funded one-year GPN Academic Training Programme.

- ✓ Directly address the critical shortage of GPNs across NWL London
- ✓ Directly address the barrier to Practices being able to recruit to GPN vacancies
- ✓ Provide a supportive training Practice
- ✓ Establish value in the Supervisor and Assessor role
- ✓ Deliver a fair and equitable scheme across NWL
- ✓ Ensure standardised education, supervision and competency levels for NWL GPN training and recruitment

- The GPN Academic Training programme recruits nurses who want to become highly skilled Practice Nurses
- The programme is looking for Practices or PCNs who would like to support a nurse on this programme starting in September 2024
- 20K is provided to the supporting Practice as an Educational grant
- The course is funded by NHSE, (NTE),
- Direct support from the Training Hub.

- ★ **April 2024** - We start to recruit Training Practices PCNs
- ★ **April/May 2024** - GPN Trainee applications open via NWL jobs
- ★ **June 2024** - Via interview GPN Trainee applicants
- ★ **September 2024** - GPN Trainee employment and University cohort begins

★ If your Practice is interested, don't miss out! Please fill out the EOI and return to: Sally Armstrong or Karen Sood at the NWL Training Hub – sally.armstrong@nhs.uk or karen.sood@nhs.uk

Thank you from the NWL Training Hub Team



Expressions of Interest forms

For some training we don't currently have training dates arranged, if this is training you would like please complete the relevant expression of interest form and we will be able to run training based on demand. Those who have expressed interest will also be notified when dates are arranged.

[Advanced Diabetes PITstop](#)

[Anticoagulation Training - New to anticoagulation](#)

[Mental Health First Aid](#)

[Interpreting ECG Training - New to Interpreting](#)

[Interpreting ECG Training - Refresher](#)

[Paediatric Phlebotomy](#)

[Ring Pessary](#)

Supervisor courses

These courses are run externally but NWL Training Hub holds a waitlist for both of these courses if you would like to attend please complete the application form below to be added to our waitlist.

[Multi-professional Supervisor Course](#) application form

[GP Supervisor Course](#) application form

[Pharmacy Educational Supervisor Training programme](#)

Useful links and Resources

[Knowledge and Library Resources for GP and Practice Teams](#)

[Survival Toolkit](#)

[Supported Return to Training](#)

[Podcast Learning Library](#)

[Primary Care Resources](#)

[GP Resources](#)

[Webinar Recordings](#)

Other Training / Webinars / Events

[CYP Asthma training workshop](#) [Register here](#).

Calling All Health Care Professionals who Provide Asthma Care for Children and Young People!

GPs, Pharmacists, Practice Nurses, Paediatric Trainees

Join us at Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust, St Marys Hospital, Praed Street, London, W2 1NY

For a Tier 3 CYP Asthma Training and Workshop

On Wednesday 19th June 2024

In the Clinical Lecture Theatre, Cambridge Wing, 2nd Floor

From 09:00 - 16:30

Lunch and Refreshments Provided

Content aligned to the "Children and Young People Asthma Training for Tier 3 Providers" on eHfA & certificate provided on completion.

Delivering excellence in Children and Young People's Services: North West London Children and Young People Asthma Network

Polypharmacy Action Learning Set workshops

[Cohort eighteen](#) – 19 Jun, 3 Jul, 17 Jul

[Cohort nineteen](#) – 11 Sep, 25 Sep, 9 Oct

[Cohort twenty](#) – 16 Oct, 6 Nov, 20 Nov

[Cohort twenty-one](#) – 13 Nov, 27 Nov, 11 Dec

[Cohort twenty-two](#) – 22 Jan, 5 Feb, 26 Feb 2025

This Action Learning Set (ALS) will help build GP and prescribing health care professionals' confidence in, and understanding of, the complex issue surrounding and stopping inappropriate medicines safely.

COPD exacerbations and rescue packs

20th June from 1pm – [Register here](#).

5th International Social Prescribing Conference

19th – 20th June

Across two days, delegates will have access to panel talks, workshops, breakout sessions and networking opportunities.

Webinar: Library Services BMJ Best Practice

27th June 1-2pm. [Register here](#)

Join colleagues from library services in our region and special guest **Ali Boukabouche** from [BMJ Best Practice](#). This point of care tool is freely accessible to all NHS staff via their [NHS OpenAthens account](#), and Ali is going to demonstrate its many great features; including its comorbidity tool, drug calculators, CME/CPD tracking functionality, how to download the app, and more.

Polypharmacy launch of patient facing resources: Supporting patients to get the most out of their SMRs

16th July from 12pm. [Register here](#).

Research has shown that patients may not understand the purpose of a Structured Medication Review (SMR) and so may not attend or may not be prepared for the consultation.

Join this webinar to find out how the HIN Polypharmacy Patient Resources can be used to support patients to get the most out of their SMRs

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The National Capability Framework for the care of children and young people with asthma

ALL staff need to do this training. All Modules are free and are accessed via the link here; <https://www.e-lfh.org.uk/programmes/children-and-young-peoples-asthma/>. View the [list of Tiers](#) to see what level of training you require.

Yoga4NHS staff wellbeing programme

The sessions are being offered free to NHS staff by the [Yoga in Healthcare Alliance](#). You will learn yoga breathing and mindfulness practices, as well as simple yoga postures. To find out more about the online sessions, please visit this [Eventbrite page](#).

GPN Celebration Event – Register now for 12th July 2024

