

# NWL Training Hub

## Newsletter

w/c 2nd June 2025

## News and Updates

**Review and book all NWL Training Events:**  
[nwltraininghub.co.uk/events/](http://nwltraininghub.co.uk/events/)

### Coaching and Mentorship opportunity

If you are either a newly qualified GP, a Fellow, or an ARRS GP in North West London and are interested in being mentored, you can find out more about the programme [on this page](#) including who to contact if you have any questions and how to apply. [You can also view the flyer here](#)

### NWL Learning Disabilities Training for Primary Care

- 5th June 13:00—14:30 [join here](#)  
NW London ICS will be delivering a webinar session on 05 June from 13:00 – 14:30 for clinical and non-clinical staff within primary care involved in planning and/or delivering annual health checks for patients with a learning disability (LD).

The training will be Chaired by Dr Yasmin Razak and led by Dr Ketana Halai, GP Clinical Lead for LD and Autism for NW London ICB. It will be co-delivered by people with LD, a Consultant Psychologist working in a LD Community Team and LD and Autism Clinical Nurse Specialists from ICHT. The training will focus on improving the quality and impact of annual health checks and include the requirements for completing the check and expectations of CQC. This is a great opportunity to hear from people with a learning disability who will provide valuable insight into what good looks like based on their experiences of receiving a health check.

Please note that this training is not linked to the Oliver McGowan mandatory training. It is recommended that primary care staff involved in offering and delivering the annual health check attend training every 2-3 years.

### Arrhythmia & Heart Failure: What GPs Want to Know – A Consultant-Led Session

- 31st July, 09:00–16:30 @Broadway House, SW1H 9NQ [book here](#)  
Join North London Cardiac Operational Delivery Network for an engaging and practical learning session designed for GPs. Led by leading consultants, this face-to-face event will provide the latest guidance, clinical tips, and confidence to manage heart failure and arrhythmias in day-to-day practice. Whether you're refining your diagnostic approach, navigating complex patients, or looking for clear referral pathways – this session is not to be missed.

### RM Partners Primary Care Cancer Conference: Improving Early Diagnosis

- 18th September, 9:00—16:00 [book here](#) @ Stamford Bridge (Chelsea Football Club)  
RM Partners are pleased to invite primary care clinical colleagues to their annual Primary Care Conference which will focus on:

- Improving early cancer diagnosis
- The role of prevention in reducing cancer risk



### EOI for GP Practices to Support Foundation Trainee Pharmacists NWL

The North West London Training Hub and NHSE WT&E are doing a small piece of work to support Foundation Trainee Pharmacists (FTP) based in Community Pharmacies to find supervision from a Designated Prescribing Practitioner (DPP) during their Foundation training programme.

Any GP Practice that is able to help will be put in touch with a Community Pharmacy seeking support in the local area, to discuss how they may be able to help. There are currently pharmacies looking for support in the following Boroughs: Brent, Ealing, C London (Westminster), W London (Kensington & Chelsea), Hammersmith & Fulham, Hounslow & Hillingdon.

The support from the GP Practice will be to supervise and support FTPs in their prescribing activities to total a minimum of 90 hours supervised practice. Please note some of the supervised activities can be delegated to other multifunctional independent (non-medical) prescribers, with overall oversight from the named DPP.

**Funding:** There may be funding contributions available for the GP practice involved, this will be discussed between the interested practice and the community pharmacy and managed between those two entities.

#### DPP Requirements:

- Registered healthcare professional - e.g. GP, Pharmacist, Nurse, Paramedic.
- Independent Prescribing Qualification with active prescribing experience - Ideally the prescriber should have been prescribing for 2 years, although no minimum years as a prescribing practitioner are required to meet the required level of prescribing competence for FTPs.
- Ideally the potential DPP would have completed an accredited DPP course and/or is an approved educator such as a GP Supervisor.

#### DPP Key Responsibilities:

- Provide clinical oversight and mentorship, ensuring safe and effective prescribing practice.
- Conduct regular reviews and assessments of an FTP's prescribing competence.
- Support the FTP to complete the sign off required as part of their foundation training.

Further information about prescribing supervision and assessment within foundation pharmacist training can be [found here](#).

If your practice may be interested in supporting an FTP, can you please email - Jon Ord, ARRS Programme Officer – [jonathan.ord1@nhs.net](mailto:jonathan.ord1@nhs.net) – by COP **Wednesday 11th June 2025**.

### THIS WEEK

- **Help your patients achieve type 2 diabetes remission** - 3<sup>rd</sup> June 13:00—13:30 or 5th June 16:00—6:30 [book here](#)
- **Safeguarding Webinar - Drug awareness** - 3<sup>rd</sup> June 13:00—14:00 [book here](#)
- **Autism and Apprenticeships: This is my story** - 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2025 [Click here to book](#)
- **Gynaecological Update Webinar** - 3<sup>rd</sup> June, 12:00—13:00 [book here](#)
- **AI Ambassador Network meeting** - 4<sup>th</sup> June [Join the network here](#)
- **Polypharmacy Action Learning Set Cohort 24** - 4<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> June, 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2025, 9:30 - 12:15 [book here](#)
- **Wellbeing webinar: Caring for yourself** - 5<sup>th</sup> June, 12:00—13:30 [book here](#)
- **Realising the potential of primary care provider collaboratives: Greater Manchester Primary Care Provider Board** - 5th June, 12:00—13:00 [book here](#)
- **London PCN Leaders Conference** - 5<sup>th</sup> June 9:00—16:30 @ Glazier Hall, SE1 9DD [book here](#)
- **GPN Celebration Event** - 6<sup>th</sup> June 2025, 9:00—17:00 @ Regents University London [Register here](#)

## NWL TH Training

### NWL Training Hub Webinars

#### Safeguarding Webinars

Please join our 1 hour Online Safeguarding webinars. A certificate of attendance will be provided when attending the FULL session this certificate can be counted towards your level 3 Safeguarding annual update. Book 1 or more session using the links provided below or [here by selecting the date from the drop down](#).

#### NPS (New Psychoactive Substances)

- 1 July 13:00—14:00 [book here spaces available](#)

#### Young people, Families & Drug Use

- 23 July 13:00—14:00 [book here spaces available](#)

#### Cancer Red Flag Talks

- 11 June 13:00—14:00 [book here spaces available](#)

This session will explore the key red flag symptoms that may indicate the presence of cancer, Using the “C the Signs” framework to guide our discussion .

Talk delivered by: Dr Lyndsey Williams, RMP Cancer Clinical for Ealing and Hounslow

#### Womens Health Update Webinar

- 20th June 13:00—15:00 [book here spaces available](#)

Join us for the latest NWL webinar focused on key women's health topics relevant to primary care. We'll cover:

- Contraception, including IUC and IUS
- Menopause update

#### Gynaecological Update Webinars

- 22nd July 12:00—13:00 [book here spaces available](#)

Gynaecological Update Webinars:

Gynaecological Pain: practical primary care management of pelvic pain, endometriosis and more  
Delivered by : Dr **Jeffrey Ahmed**, Consultant Gynaecologist

For queries about our NWL Training Hub webinars please contact [nwl.traininghub@nhs.net](mailto:nwl.traininghub@nhs.net)

## SSSA Training

### SSSA Foundation

- 4th July 9:00—15:30 & 25th July 9:00—14:30 [book here limited spaces remaining](#)

This is a **2 day** online SSSA Foundation training for registered nurses. You must attend both days to successfully finalise the training. By booking on this training you agree that you WILL attend both dates. This is a course for GPNs who have not completed any mentorship qualifications (e.g. ENB 998) in the past, and who are interested in supporting learners in practice.

### SSSA Update

- 13th June 9:00—12:00 [book here fully booked](#)

- 18th July 9:00—12:00 [book here fully booked](#)

This course is suitable if you have already attended mentorship preparation training (e.g. ENB 998). This update provides a refresher of the knowledge, skills and behaviours needed to support learners to become outstanding nurses and midwives.

## Enhanced Services and CPD

If all dates are fully booked for a training please join the waitlist, this allows us to know when there is sufficient demand for us to book new dates.

### Interpreting ECG - Foundation

- 17<sup>th</sup> October, 9:00 to 16:00 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [spaces available](#)

This training is for GPs and ACPs only. Please be aware this is **not a refresher**.

### Refresher Interpreting ECG

- 19<sup>th</sup> September 2025, 12:30 - 14:00 [book here spaces available](#)

This training is for GPs and ACPs who have already attended the interpreting ECG course only.

### Performing ECG Training

- 25<sup>th</sup> June 9:15—16:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)

- 30<sup>th</sup> September 9:15—16:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)

This training is for HCAs. GPAs, pharmacists, nurses can attend if they require this training

### Travel Health Updates

- 23<sup>rd</sup> October, 13:00—16:00 [book here fully booked](#)

- 4<sup>th</sup> November, 13:00—16:00 [book here fully booked](#)

This training is open to all trained Nursing and Pharmacist Immunisers. This training will be conducted over 3 hours online.

Please note: Travel Health Updates for **experienced practitioners only** offering travel immunisations already . This session does not cover seasonal diseases. Find out more details about what is covered [here](#).

### Seasonal Immunisation Updates

- 15th July 13:30—16:15 [book here fully booked](#)

- 21st August 13:00—16:15 [book here fully booked](#)

- 9th September 13:00—16:15 [book here fully booked](#)

- 18th September 13:00—16:15 [book here fully booked](#)

- 23rd September 13:00—16:15 [book here limited spaces remaining](#)

- 25th September 13:00—16:15 [book here limited spaces remaining](#)

- 30th September 13:00—16:15 [book here limited spaces remaining](#)

- 7th October 13:00—16:15 [book here limited spaces remaining](#)

This 3 hour online seasonal immunisation update is for all **experienced Health Care Professionals**; Nurses, Paramedics, Pharmacists, Nursing Associates, Pharmacy Techs and the non-registered workforce (which includes HCAs, HCSWs, Phlebotomists, receptionists etc) to deliver flu, pneumococcal, shingles, RSV and COVID vaccines. [Objectives for this update can be found here](#).

### Child Immunisation Updates

- 1st July 13:30—16:45 [book here fully booked](#)

- 10th July 13:30—16:45 [book here fully booked](#)

- 19th August 13:30—16:45 [book here fully booked](#)

- 11th September 13:30—16:45 [book here limited spaces remaining](#)

This updates for **experienced practitioners** (usually nurses, nursing associates and pharmacists) already delivering child immunisations.

### Adult Phlebotomy

- 28<sup>th</sup> August, 9:15—16:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)

- 30<sup>th</sup> September 9:15—16:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)

This face to face session has been developed to allow learners the opportunity to practice their skills on high quality simulated arms.

### Paediatric Phlebotomy

- 2nd July, 9:00—14:00. [book here](#) @ Cuckoo Lane Health Care Practice, W7 1DR [fully booked](#)

Assessment on 12th August 2025, you must attend both days to finalise course.

This training is for Nurses, HCAs & Phlebotomists. HCAs & Phlebotomists need to have a Care Certificate. Full eligibility criteria can be found at the above booking link.

The aim of this course is to provide the underpinning knowledge and basic skills to safely perform phlebotomy on babies and children from 2 years, and identify the underlying issues in paediatric Phlebotomy. e.g. consent, restraint, distraction and environment.

### Advanced Diabetes Course

For GPNs and Pharmacists – you must have attended the foundation course before attending this advanced course.

GPs – please be sure to provide a summary of your diabetes related work undertaken. [Express your interest here](#)

### Diabetes Foot Care Training

- 12<sup>th</sup> June 9:15—16:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)

- 2<sup>nd</sup> October 9:15—16:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)

The course is for experienced HCSWs who will be assisting with diabetes reviews.

### Wound Care Training

- 12<sup>th</sup> August 9:15—16:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)

- 13<sup>th</sup> November 9:15—16:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)

This training is for HCSWs/HCAs who will be expected to undertake simple wound care procedures. This training is for HCAs with Care Certificates. GPN Trainees can attend and new to practice nurses can attend

### Advanced Wound Care Training

- 4<sup>th</sup> September 9:15—16:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)

This session is aimed at HCAs who have some basic knowledge and experience of wound care and wish to extend their skills to be able to perform suture and staple removal and take a swab correctly

### Cervical Sample Taker Update

- 10<sup>th</sup> September 9:00—13:00 [book here fully booked](#)

This update is for Registered Nurses, GPs, registered Physician Associates, Nursing Associates who are registered with the NMC or registered paramedics working in GP practices, who have completed their cervical sample taking training in the past and who require the three yearly update.

### Ring Pessary Foundation course

- 24<sup>th</sup> June, 9:30—12:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)

- 24<sup>th</sup> June, 13:30—16:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)

- 28th November, 9:00—12:00 [book here](#) @ The Irish Cultural Centre, W6 9DT [fully booked](#)

- 28th November, 13:00—16:00 [book here](#) @ The Irish Cultural Centre, W6 9DT [fully booked](#)

This course is for GPs & Nurses only. PAs who have been doing cervical screening smear for longer than a year can attend.

### SRH Essentials

- 14<sup>th</sup> June 8:45—16:30 [book here](#) @ St Stephens Centre, SW10 9NH [limited spaces remaining](#)

This course is for GPs & Nurses, ANPs, PAs. SRH Essentials a course suitable for:

- Primary care practitioners recently moved into the role and who have little or no experience in sexual and reproductive health
- Those who have been working in primary care but have only undertaken a small amount of training in this area

### Contraception Update Training

- 15th July, 9:00—13:00 [book here fully booked](#)

This course is for nurses and GPs who have previously attended the contraception foundation training and who give care to women in relation to contraception.

### NEW To Anticoagulation Training

- 27th June 9:30—12:30 [book here fully booked](#)

This training is for Nurses, Nursing Associates, Health Care Support Workers, Pharmacists and GPs. Anyone with a role in the monitoring of anticoagulation therapy

This Training is for staff who are **new** to monitoring.

### Anticoagulation Update Training

- 27th June 13:30—16:30 [book here spaces available](#)

This training is for Nurses, Nursing Associates, Health Care Support Workers, Pharmacists and GPs. Anyone with a role in the monitoring of anticoagulation therapy.

This training is an update for staff who are **not** new to monitoring.

## ARRS Training Offers

### 2 or 4 Day Coaching Course

Open to 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 wish to attend must either [complete the EoI](#) or [email Jon Ord](#) with your: Name, Email, Role, GP Practice, PCN, Borough, Employer.

### Pitstop Foundation Level Diabetes Course

This course is now open to any ARRS clinical staff including Pharmacists, Paramedics, Physician Associate, Pharmacy Technician, Nurse Associate & Advanced Clinical Practitioners.

Staff who wish to attend must either [complete the EoI](#) or [email Jon Ord](#) with your: Name, Email, Role, GP Practice, PCN, Borough, Employer.

*Thank you from the NWL Training Hub Team*



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## 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.

[Forms can all be found here](#)

## Supervisor courses

NWL Training Hub holds a waitlist for both the multi-professional and GP Supervisor courses, if you would like to attend please complete the relevant application form.

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

Complete the application form to be added to the waitlist for any future cohorts.

### GP Supervisor Course [Application form](#)

Complete the application form to be added to the waitlist for the next cohorts.

[Pharmacy Educational Supervisor Training programme](#) – available via eLFH

## Useful links and Resources

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

[Greener NHS – Resources for a more sustainable NHS](#)

[Survival Toolkit](#)

[Supported Return to Training](#)

[Podcast Learning Library](#)

[Primary Care Resources](#)

[GP Resources](#)

[Webinar Recordings](#)

## Other Training & Events - not run by NWL Training Hub

### NHSE National Cardiac Webinar Series

- Various dates and sessions from the 2nd June, 16:00—17:00 [book here](#)

Each session aims to:

- Share valuable insights and practical case studies
- Highlight updates from leading experts in the field
- Promote the exchange of good practice and discussion on high-profile topics
- An opportunity for Q&A's

### Primary Care Systems Training Schedule

The Primary Care Systems Training team offer SystmOne and EMIS Web courses that are delivered using Microsoft Teams. Please see [this flyer](#) for the training schedule for May and August 2025. These courses can be booked via the [NWL Learning Hub](#).

[Primary Care Systems Training Schedule May—August 2025](#)

### NHS cervical screening programme webinar

- 12 June 2025 12:00—13:00 [register here](#)

The NHS cervical screening programme webinar will cover changes in respect of screening intervals for the 25-49 year cohort, digitalisation of invitation and result letters, HPV self-sampling, the transgender and non-binary opt-in workforce, as well as general updates from the Cervical Screening Administration Service (CSAS).

### The London City Health Conference

- 12 June 2025, full day, in person @ 30 Euston Square [register here](#)

Tickets are FREE for RCGP members.

You can expect keynotes from prominent healthcare leaders including Professor Azeem Majeed, Dr Victoria Tzortziou-Brown and Professor Kamila Hawthorne, a panel discussion and workshops on pertinent topics including:

- digital transformation and the role of technology in daily general practice,
- preventative health and population health management,
- workforce challenges and innovation, and
- sustainability in primary care.

### Polypharmacy and pharmacogenomics masterclass

- 12th June, 12:00—13:30 [book here](#)

Are you worried that you don't have a handle on pharmacogenomics and what it could mean for your prescribing?

Imperial College Health Partners would like to invite you to learn about how pharmacogenomics could help to address problematic polypharmacy and how this could work in primary care practice in the future.

### London Living Wage in Primary Care - Webinar

- 12th June 13:00—14:00 [book here](#)

The workshop will cover:

- What the real Living Wage is
- Reflections from Living Wage Employers in primary care on implementing the real Living Wage
- The context in London to support local communities to thrive and survive
- Worker, business, patient and public health benefits to paying the real Living Wage
- Common challenges and solutions