

NWL Training Hub

Newsletter

w/c 16th June 2025

News and Updates

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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](#)

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The workshop will begin by considering broad issues around inequalities in men's health and key barriers that prevent men from accessing primary care services, before taking a deeper dive into specific clinical topics in relation to men's health, including cardiovascular disease, bowel cancer and aortic aneurysm screening programmes, and prostate and testicular health checks. The session will end with a focus on practical strategies for effective communication and engagement to encourage men to engage with primary care services.

Led by an experienced clinical specialist and facilitator, this interactive workshop will enable you to update your clinical practice and develop strategies to support men's health in primary care.

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This training is aimed at nurses/pharmacists/GPs but any AHP who does asthma and COPD chronic disease management.
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- **Brent:** 1st date has taken place further spaces will be released later in the year.
- **Ealing:** 26 June 2025 – fully booked. Further spaces will be released later in the year. please join waitlist to be informed of further date.
- **Hammersmith & Fulham:** 1 July 2025 – The Sobus Hub, 20 Dawes Rd, SW6 7EN
- **Hillingdon:** 23 July 2025 – Wiewsley & West Drayton Community Association, 228 Harmondsworth Road, West Drayton, Middlesex, UB7 9JL
- **Hounslow:** 24 September 2025 – Indian Gymkhana Club, Thornbury Avenue, Osterley, Isleworth, TW7 4NQ
- **West:** 1 October 2025 – Kensington Conference & Events Centre, Town Hall, Hornton Street, W8 7NX
- **Central:** 8 October 2025 – City Hall Westminster, 64 Victoria Street, London, SW1E 6QP

GP Assistant Structured Education programme operated by SE London Training Hub and the University of Greenwich

- Cohort starts 8th September, application deadline 8th August
[Download application form](#) and send completed form to - gpa@seltraininghub.co.uk

Scoping survey - cross sector Pharmacist opportunities

As part of the NW London One Pharmacy Workforce Group work programme, we are exploring the feasibility of cross sector / pan organisation rotation opportunities for qualified pharmacists. To ascertain the need for pharmacist sub-group looking at this has developed a short survey.
Would you mind taking 5-10 minutes to complete this survey to further inform our discussions and approach. It would be great if you can submit your response by 16 Jun 2025. Thank you
https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=sITDN7CF9UevjgeOIx0dO4ZW20sFnRPVesGvqK_rAYCZUNUwSRuhPRkRMz1t1BDWkdXQz8ROVpZmC4u

Community of Practice for Homeless Health

- 10th July 12:30—13:30 [join here](#)
Guest speaker is Dr Heather Lewis, Consultant Hepatologist at St Mary's and the topic will be 'Alcohol and decompensated liver disease'. Agenda as follows:

- Homeless health news / updates by chair Dr Natalie Miller
- Alcohol and decompensated liver disease presentation and Q&A by Dr Heather Lewis
- Case study sharing / best practice / advice from colleagues – floor open to all

GP Assistant Mapping in NWL

The North West London Training Hub are doing a mapping exercise of all the GP Assistants in the NWL Boroughs. So if you are currently a GPA or if you started as a GPA and your role has changed we would like to hear from you.

We would also like to know if you have been signed off on your training competency document in practice. We know this can be challenging so would like to know how far everyone has got with this and if they need any help to get it finished. Attending the course is the easy part! Once we know what your learning needs are, we will be looking to run a series of forums to help support these.

[Please complete this form](#), if you have any questions please contact Jon Ord – jonathan.ord1@nhs.net

General Practice Nursing monthly webinars

- 26 June 13:00—14:00 [view agenda and link to join here](#)
- 28 August 13:00—14:00 [view agenda and link to join here](#)
- 25 September 13:00—14:00 [view agenda and link to join here](#)

These webinars are run jointly by NHS England and the Royal College of Nursing (RCN). We encourage all nurses working in General Practice to join as an opportunity to share best practice and for your voice to be heard by the national team.

NWL Nursing Forum

- 9th July 13:00—14:00 [join here](#)
Agenda to include:

- Good employment practices for nurses
- Legacy nurse role opportunities
- Child protection information system—Phase 2

London Respiratory Clinical Network Asthma webinar program

- 1st July, 13:00—13:45 [Book here](#) Ideal for : Primary care practitioners and pharmacists
- 16th September, 13:00—13:45 [Book here](#) Ideal for : Secondary care colleagues, Respiratory trainees
On behalf of the London Respiratory Clinical Network, Dr Ernie Wong, Respiratory Consultant, has set up a new series of asthma webinars for 2025. Dr Wong will lead the online sessions with guest speakers who will present on specific topics in the management of patients with asthma.

Wound Alive – Online webinars

Join the 30-minute webinars promoting awareness on wound healing in support of the National Strategy on Wound Programme.
Speakers will talk about:

- Best practices on wound healing.
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- Supporting staff to enhance clinical skills and knowledge in wound assessment and treatment.

The webinars are currently running now and will run until 25th June 2025. And are open to all healthcare professionals, no booking is required to attend. [Use the links in the flyer to join a session](#).

THIS WEEK

- **Womens Health Update Webinar** - 20th June 2025 13:00—15:00 [book here spaces available](#)
- **Shine The Light on Sickle Cell** - 18th June, 10:00—14:00, in person @Anerley Town Hall, SE20 8BD [book here](#)
- **Supporting primary care to deliver earlier diagnosis for suspected bowel cancer patients** - 19th June 18:30—19:30 [book here](#)

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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 which 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](#)

Gynaecological Update Webinars

- 22nd July 12:00—13:00 [book here spaces available](#)
Gynaecological Pain: practical primary care management of pelvic pain, endometriosis and more
Delivered by : Dr **Jeffrey Ahmed**, Consultant Gynaecologist

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NB Medical 'Hot Topics' Dermatology for Primary Care

- 8th October, 13:30—17:00 [book here spaces available](#)
This session will be open to Nurses and AHPs – nurses, paramedics, physios and qualified Nursing Associates
With dermatology appearing in up to 25% of our general practice consultations, now is a great time to update and refresh our knowledge. Many skin conditions are now being managed exclusively in primary care and our patients who do require a referral are facing significantly longer waiting times. The aim of this webinar is to increase your diagnostic skills and confidence in managing the common dermatology conditions we see in primary care. All the presented topics are based on recent national guidance and research, and use clinical cases to illustrate the learning points.

For queries about our NWL Training Hub webinars please contact 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

- 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 refreshing 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

- 17th 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

- 19th 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

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

- 23rd October, 13:00 – 16:00 [book here fully booked](#)
- 4th 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 vaccines. Find out more details about what is covered [here](#).

Seasonal Immunisation Updates *new dates added*

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

- 28th August, 9:15 – 16:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)
- 30th October 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.
- 3rd September, 9:00—14:00 @ Cuckoo Lane Surgery, W7 1DR [book here limited spaces](#)
Assessment on 7th October 2024, 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

- 2nd 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

- 12th August 9:15—16:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)
- 13th 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

- 4th September 9:00—13:00 [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

- 10th 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

- 24th June, 9:30—12:30 [book here](#) @ Harrow Baptist Church, HA1 1BA [fully booked](#)
- 14th 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](#)
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This course is for GPs & Nurses only. PAs who have been doing cervical screening smear for longer than a year can attend.

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

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ARRS Training Offers

2 or 4 Days Coaching Course

Open to ARRS Social Prescribing Link Workers, Care Coordinators and Agree & 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.

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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.

[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](#)

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Safeguarding Children Training Level 3

- 24 June 9:30 - 16:30 [booking information here](#)
Topics include child abuse and complex presentations. [Find out about the full course content and book now](#). Please note there are a limited amount of places, with booking closing 72 hours before the start time.

DaRe2THINK Webinar - When the Watch Beeps: Managing Device-Detected AF

- 17th June 12:00—12:30 [book here](#)
This talk is part of a series hosted by the DaRe2THINK trial to provide information to allied healthcare professionals and general practice staff across the UK.

This talk provides a practical update on how wearable devices detect atrial fibrillation (AF), and how to interpret alerts in a clinical context. It offers information on what steps to take when a patient presents with a watch/device-detected AF episode, in the context of the 2024 ESC Guidelines on AF.

Speaker: Dr Emma Svennberg

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