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Protected Learning Time (PLT)

PCN PLTs offer an excellent opportunity to come together in your PCN to learn.

Previous Non-Clinical PLT Event: Mental Health Matters - 8th of May

The last virtual PLT focusing on Mental Health was a great success. With a turnout of 200 participants, who gave excellent and positive feedback with some amazing suggestions for future sessions and topics.

Upcoming PLT Dates

- 11-September-2024** All PCN Practices (online): **Child & Adult Safeguarding Update**
 - 03-October-2024** North Lambeth PCN, Stockwellbeing PCN, Fiveways PCN
 - 10-October-2024** HDB Group PCN, Croxted PCN, Brixton & Clapham PCN
 - 17-October-2024** Streatham PCN, AT Medics Streatham PCN, Clapham PCN
 - 27-November-2024** All PCN Practices - Registration details will be shared nearer to time.
- Clinical** (online): **GP CPD Update**
Non-Clinical (face to face): **Embracing Wellness**
There will be an opportunity to participate in activities, learn and network.

A full list of PLT dates can be found on  selwdh.co.uk/localities/lambeth 

If you would like to be involved in putting on a borough PLT complete an [expression of interest form](#)

Interested in becoming a GP educator and/or a multi-professional educator? For more information email lftdh@selondonics.nhs.uk with the subject line: 'Interested in becoming an Educator'

Lambeth Multi-Professional Educator

There are still spaces for our upcoming **Multi-Professional Educator course** in September and the new trainers course. If you or you have a colleague who are interested in either course, contact quality@seltraininghub.co.uk

The **annual Multi-Professional Faculty workshop** is on Wednesday the 6th of November at 1:30pm to 4:30pm (lunch will be provided). We are keen for as many Lambeth educators to attend as possible. Please cascade to the relevant people in your PCN practices. Booking details will be shared in due course.

Clinical update

GP Retention & Peer Group



LTTDH would like to understand the needs of GPs in the borough focusing on retention. The Training Hub are aware of those GP trainers who have their trainer workshops.



Question for Lambeth salaried GPs or GP partner, or long term locum:

Would a peer group be helpful, and would you like to co-design this with us?

Could you spend a moment to complete this [form](#)?



This group is likely to take place in the evenings as our training hub budget cannot support backfill. Unless you might be able to use your study leave from a practice to attend bi-monthly?

Physicians Associate Clinical Supervision

The Additional Roles Reimbursement Scheme (ARRS) has brought several new roles to primary care, some of whom do not have an opportunity to meet and discuss professional issues in a confidential space. We have decided to offer clinical supervision to the Physician Associates (PAs) in the first instance using our long established model for nursing staff. These sessions will be facilitated by an experienced nurse and held bimonthly. The first meeting will be held on the 14th of August at Clapham Family Practice. All PAs on our database have been contacted and if you would like more information then please contact paulamarsden@nhs.net

NHS Health Checks

South East London Workforce Development Hub (SELWDH) are offering virtual NHS Health Check training in October 2024. For more information please visit [SELWDH website \(selwdh.co.uk\)](https://selwdh.co.uk) > [Education and training](#) > [Upcoming courses](#)

Advanced Practice Clinical Supervision

Advanced Practitioners (APs) now come from a range of backgrounds in primary care, and we have received requests for some group work to discuss issues particular to this extended and often complex role. We are therefore starting a bimonthly supervision group for APs from all professions and have contacted all those on our database. If you would like more information, then please contact paulamarsden@nhs.net

Vital 5 Mental Health Courses

Maudsley Learning are offering three distinct courses for health and care staff in South East London, to enhance their understanding and confidence in supporting mental health and wellbeing as part of the Vital 5 programme. The Vital 5 seeks to address five risk factors (including mental health) that have a major impact on population health and are leading causes of health inequity. If you are interested, click on the following link for further information: maudsleylearning.com



Coils and implants

Would you like to upskill and offer more women in Lambeth the opportunity for LARC (Long-Acting Reversible Contraception) or Mirena for progesterone delivery in Hormone Replacement Therapy (HRT)?

We are delighted to announce a partnership between Lambeth Public Health team and Lambeth Together Training and Development Hub (LTTDH).

Please contact us at Lambeth Training Hub to join the waiting list for training.

Funding is available for e-learning if you are in a substantive post in the borough and your Practice Manager will support you in delivering this service for your patients; this needs to be allocated by September (although practical sessions can start after this time).

You can then receive training and have your competency assessed in your surgery. Please email LTTDH@selondonics.nhs.uk to find out more.

GP Peer Support

Did you know we have a thriving first 5 group in Lambeth? If you would like more details please contact the Training Hub by emailing ltdh@selondonics.nhs.uk

- What if you are not a first 5 GP - how can we support you in 'Thriving' rather than 'Surviving'?
- Would you like to attend a Balint group in Lambeth?
- Would you like support in developing a 'mid careers network of GPs'?
- Are you interested in learning more about partnership?
- Are you nearing the end of your career and would like our help in supporting you to continue to work but in a different way?

We would love to hear from our Lambeth GPs - please fill in the [form](#) or scan the QR code to let us know more.



Programme update

Social Prescriber Link Workers Update

The Social Prescriber Link Worker (SPLW) project aims to deliver a framework for a career pathway model that can be used at scale across SEL to reinforce the recruitment and high quality care within the Personalised Care Sector.

A training needs analysis to understand the skill set of the existing group has been completed, which also helped to identify leadership from within the group and how they could be developed. Peer support groups have been set up with the help of HealthSkills to empower SPLW to deliver self-led peer support, with an aim to extend to all SPLW in the borough.

Support Level Framework (SLF)

LTTDH have completed 18 face to face [SLF](#) practice visits discussing priority areas those general practices agreed to work on.

A regular 3-month check-in meeting (3, 6, 9, 12 months) are being scheduled with each of the 18 practices to ensure the agreed priority areas chosen by the practice are worked on and supported by the Lambeth Training Hub.

We are currently in the process of completing the first 3-month reviews with practices, to discuss and steer them to work towards implementing agreed priorities. The Training Hub and Practices have found these meetings useful to update, share knowledge, build relationships, connect to useful contacts and modernise general practice.



Lambeth Together HealthStart Careers Programme

We have recently completed two visits at local Lambeth schools for students interested in applying for medicine which were positively received. We plan to expand this in the next academic year and depending on uptake from our schools, may reach out to local GPs and other persons working in healthcare if they wish to be involved in this scheme.

We had our online careers event on Wednesday 10th July between 2-4pm for local school students. A range of professions including doctors, a nurse, medical physicist, pharmacy technician, social prescriber, mental health support worker, social worker and care coordinator was invited and spoke about their role, the benefits, challenges and how young people can apply. Teachers and students were given an opportunity to ask the professionals questions, and were able to obtain insightful answers.

We are planning to organise more career events in the new academic year focussing on medicine, including mock interview practice. We also hope to expand these sessions to deliver for other healthcare roles. If you are a healthcare worker and would like to share your experience and help young people into the NHS, please contact ltdh@selondonics.nhs.uk with the subject line: 'Lambeth HealthStart Careers Event'.

We are also developing a virtual work experience programme to educate the community about the diverse range of opportunities to work in primary care. This will be aimed to encourage school-leavers, job-seekers and those working in different careers to consider a career in primary care.

Practice Manager's Development Programme

Lambeth Practice Manager's (PM) Development Programme launch consisting of four offers for personal development and support of PMs within Lambeth or those seeking a career within Practice Management. Expressions of interests are being reviewed, confirming management sign off and then applicants will be notified.

There are still spaces on the Peer group mentoring group session. If you would like to participate in the group session please complete this [form](#) or scan the QR code to complete by the 31st of July 2024.



GP trainee leaving

We would like to thank Cath Graham, one of our GP trainees who has worked with the Training Hub for the past year. Cath will be leaving at the end of July 2024 and moving onto new pastures. She has been a valuable member of the team, and we will miss her dearly. We wish Cath all the best in her future endeavours!

Did you know?



The South East London Workforce Development Hub provides career support and training for all primary care staff. Clinicians can register to join weekly webinars on a range of clinical subjects. You can sign up for webinars and training online by visiting the [SELWDH Education and Training page](#).

