

## **NHS NORTH WEST LONDON ICS - MESSAGE TO ALL NWL GP PRACTICES**

**29th January 2024**

This cancer GP bulletin contains updates for GPs and their practice staff on the following:

1. **JOB OPPORTUNITY: Primary Care Cancer Clinical Lead role – Harrow and Hounslow – **FAO GPs****
2. **Macmillan’s new Practical Implementation Guide for Cancer Care Reviews – **FAO – all practice staff****
3. **BOOK NOW: Cancer Nurse and Allied Health Professional Conference: Friday 8th March 2024 – **FAO – Practice nurses****
4. **West London Primary Care education opportunities – **all practice staff****

### **JOB OPPORTUNITY: PRIMARY CARE CANCER CLINICAL LEAD ROLE – HARROW AND HOUNSLOW**

#### **FOR INFORMATION** **FAO GPs**

**\*Deadline for applications – 8<sup>th</sup> February 2024\***

RM Partners Cancer Alliance are recruiting primary care cancer clinical leads for **Harrow** and **Hounslow**. The posts are for 12 months from April 2024 [ 1 PA per week] as maternity leave cover.

Full details of the role responsibilities and support offered are in the attached document.

The deadline for applications (CV and supporting statement) is **8<sup>th</sup> February 2024** and should be sent to [mpartners.primarycare@nhs.net](mailto:mpartners.primarycare@nhs.net)

Interested GPs can have an informal discussion about the position by contacting Dr Lucy Hollingworth, RMP NWL Cancer Clinical Lead at [l.hollingworth@nhs.net](mailto:l.hollingworth@nhs.net).

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## **MACMILLAN'S NEW PRACTICE IMPLEMENTATION GUIDE FOR CANCER CARE REVIEWS**

**FOR INFORMATION**  
**FAO ALL PRACTICE STAFF**

MacMillan has released a new practice implementation guide for Cancer Care reviews.

This guide will give GP practices the knowledge, tips, and tools to set up meaningful Cancer Care Reviews at your Practice, regardless of your profession or role.

[Practical Implementation Guide for Cancer Care Reviews | Macmillan Cancer Support](#)

## **BOOK NOW: CANCER NURSE AND ALLIED HEALTH PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCE: FRIDAY 8TH MARCH 2024**

**FOR INFORMATION**  
**FAO PRACTICE NURSES**

**Cancer Nurse and Allied Health Professional Conference:**  
Understanding and Addressing Inequalities for Our Cancer Patients and  
Supporting Our Workforce

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024**  
09:00 – 16:30

**America Square Conference Centre,**  
17 Crosswall, One America Square, London EC3N 2LB

This all-day, **fully catered** conference delivered by local and national experts has been designed to support you.

The interactive conference features **Keynote speakers**, a **world café** (interactive workshops) and **panel discussion**, where you will have the opportunity to have meaningful **discussions** and gain **insights** and **tools** from **leading experts**, detailed below;

- **Professor Rosie Campbell**, Director of the Global Institute for Women's Leadership and Professor of Politics, who will deliver the topic **Creating Gender Inclusive Leadership in Cancer Care**.
- **June Davis BSc (Hons) RD MBA**, Lead Allied Health Professional and Nursing Advisor, Centre of Clinical Expertise Macmillan Cancer Support & **Claire Taylor MBE**, Chief Nursing Officer, Macmillan, discussing the opportunities that the **National ACCEND programme** offers you.
- **Patient Experience from OUTpatients, the UK's only LGBTIQ+ cancer charity** to provide you with insights and tools to address inequalities and support patients who identify as LGBTIQ+
- **Naman Julka-Anderson MSc**, Allied Health Professional Clinical Advisor, Macmillan Cancer Support; providing a unique insight that **addresses health inequalities for patients within radiotherapy** and what it means to **care for the carer**.
- **Sarah Dewhurst, Physiotherapist and Service Lead**, Living with and Beyond Cancer, to introduce you to the exciting **Physical Activity Strategy**.

**Additional speakers to be confirmed.**

There are limited **Free** places, so **book now** by clicking on the link here:

<https://ti.to/the-royal-marsden/cnsconference/with/rmp-ahps-and-nurses-in-cancer-conference>

## WEST LONDON PRIMARY CARE EDUCATION FREE OPPORTUNITIES

Educational Event	Targeted Audience	Training Dates	How to register / access
<p><b>Primary Care Cancer Education Programme (across 2 years)</b></p> <p>Programme to support:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GP Practices and PCN teams in identifying early signs of cancer.</li> <li>• Working as a team to support people living with cancer, meet PCN DES and QOF / IIF requirements.</li> </ul> <p>Delivered by <a href="#">Red Whale</a></p>	<p>This course is open to the following PCN staff members:</p> <p>GPs, PAs, Advanced Nurse Practitioners, Advanced Clinical Practitioners, Practice Nurses, PCN Pharmacists, PCN Paramedics, PCN First Contact, Physiotherapists, PCN Social Prescribers</p> <p>Any other role supporting patients with long term conditions</p>	<p>On Demand training available to access until <b>January 2025</b></p>	<p><a href="http://www.gp-update.co.uk/RMP2">www.gp-update.co.uk/RMP2</a></p> <p>enter discount code <b>PCCEP21RMP</b></p>
<p><b>Cancer Screening courses</b></p> <p><a href="#">Gateway C</a> have released Screening modules cover the <a href="#">breast</a>, <a href="#">cervical</a>, and <a href="#">bowel</a> cancer screening programmes.</p> <p>These courses are FREE and worth 1 CPD point.</p> <p>These courses are designed to support primary care in implementing national screening programmes.</p>	<p>All relevant primary care staff involved with screening programmes.</p>	<p>On Demand training.</p>	<p><a href="#">Our Courses - GatewayC</a> - Register for free to login and enrol</p>
<p><b>Early Cancer diagnosis training modules – South East London Cancer Alliance (SELCA)</b></p>	<p>Primary care clinical staff - GPs, PAs, Advanced Nurse Practitioners, Advanced</p>	<p>On Demand training.</p>	<p><a href="#">Head and Neck cancer</a> <a href="#">Pancreatic training module.</a> <a href="#">Lung Cancer training module.</a></p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• SEL Cancer Alliance has launched an early cancer diagnosis resource for primary care.</li><li>• The online resource will comprise of seven bitesize modules, each focussing on a specific cancer or group of cancers, and can be completed within 10 minutes.</li><li>• The following modules are now available:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Head and Neck cancer</li><li>• Pancreatic training module.</li><li>• Lung Cancer training module.</li><li>• Myeloma training module.</li></ul></li></ul>	Clinical Practitioners, Practice Nurses, PCN Pharmacists, PCN Paramedics		<a href="#">Myeloma training module.</a>
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**CANCER WEBINAR PROGRAMME - [West London Primary Care Webinars - YouTube](#)**

Date	Time	Topic	Host (s)	Video recording / joining link
<b>12<sup>th</sup> August 2021</b>	<b>12:30 – 1:30</b>	<b>Urology</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overview of Urological Cancer &amp; the Pandemic</li> <li>• Prostate Cancer</li> <li>• Bladder Cancer</li> </ul>	<p>Dr Abhijit Gill, NWL Primary Care Cancer Clinical Director for RM Partners.</p> <p>Mr Manit Arya, Consultant Urology, Charing Cross Hospital &amp; Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust, London</p> <p>Mr Giles Hellowell, Consultant Urological Surgeon, Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust, London</p>	Watch the session <a href="#">here</a>
<b>17<sup>th</sup> November 2021</b>	<b>12:00 - 1:15</b>	<b>Lung</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Impact of Covid-19 on referrals for Lung Cancer</li> <li>• Covid-19 vs Lung Cancer</li> <li>• Local RMP Pilots</li> <li>• Improving referral management for Lung Cancers</li> <li>• Case studies</li> <li>• Q&amp;A</li> </ul>	<p>Dr Abhijit Gill, NWL Primary Care Cancer Clinical Director for RM Partners.</p> <p>Dr Susannah Bloch, Acute Respiratory Consultant at Imperial and Lung Clinical Pathway Lead at RM Partners</p>	Watch the session <a href="#">here</a>
<b>14<sup>th</sup> January 2021</b>	<b>12:00 - 1:15</b>	<b>Haematological Cancers</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improving Referral Management for Haematological Cancers</li> <li>• Case Studies</li> </ul>	<p>Dr Abhijit Gill, NWL Primary Care Cancer Clinical Director for RM Partners.</p> <p>Dr Anastasia Chew, Haematology Consultant, Chelsea and Westminster Hospital NHSFT</p> <p>Dr Akila Danga, Consultant Haematologist, Hillingdon Hospitals NHSFT</p>	Watch the session <a href="#">here</a>
<b>9<sup>th</sup> February 2022</b>	<b>1:00 – 2:00</b>	<b>Lower GI</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improving Referral Management</li> <li>• FIT</li> </ul>	<p>Dr Bushra Khawaja, GP Cancer Lead – Hillingdon</p> <p>Dr Alistair Myers, Consultant Colorectal Surgeon Specialty Lead for General Surgery and Urology,</p>	Watch the session <a href="#">here</a>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Case Studies</li> <li>• Support available and resources for Primary Care</li> </ul>	Hillingdon and Mount Vernon Hospitals, Chair of Colorectal Cancer Working Group, RM Partners	
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> March 2022</b>	<b>1:00 – 2:15</b>	<p><b>PCN DES and National Screening programmes</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PCN DES for Early Cancer Diagnosis</li> <li>• PCN Requirements</li> <li>• Hints and Tips to support delivery</li> <li>• Screening programmes</li> <li>• Current screening uptake improvement interventions</li> </ul>	<p>Dr Abhijit Gill, NWL Primary Care Cancer Clinical Director for RM Partners</p> <p>Dr Baldeep Syan, GP Cancer Lead – Hammersmith and Fulham</p>	Watch the session <a href="#">here</a>
<b>5<sup>th</sup> April 2022</b>	<b>1.00 – 2.00</b>	<p><b>Personalised Cancer Care</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Holistic Needs Assessments</li> <li>• Treatment Summaries</li> <li>• ‘What Matters to you?’</li> </ul>	<p>Dr Abhijit Gill, NWL Primary Care Cancer Clinical Director for RM Partners</p> <p>Katherine Malhotra, Personalised Care Clinical Lead for RM Partners</p> <p>Janice Minter, Lead Cancer Nurse Chair for RM Partners.</p>	Watch the session <a href="#">here</a>
<b>17<sup>th</sup> May 2022</b>	<b>1:00 – 2:00</b>	<p><b>Rapid Diagnostic Centres (RDCs)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Update on RDCs available in NWL and improving access to RDCs</li> <li>• Case studies to support best practice</li> </ul>	<p>Dr Abhijit Gill, NWL Primary Care Cancer Clinical Director for RM Partners</p> <p>Dr Baldeep Syan, GP Cancer Lead – Hammersmith and Fulham</p>	Watch the session <a href="#">here</a>
<b>28<sup>th</sup> June 2022</b>	<b>1:00 – 2:00</b>	<p><b>Gynaecology</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improving Referral Management</li> <li>• Case Studies</li> </ul>	John Butler, Consultant Gynaecological Oncology Surgeon, Chair of Gynaecology Cancer Working Group, RM Partners	Watch the session <a href="#">here</a>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Support available and resources for Primary Care</li> </ul>	Dr Lyndsey Williams, GP Cancer Lead for Brent and Ealing	
<b>14<sup>th</sup> July 2022</b>	1:00 - 2:00	<p><b>Cancer Hot Topics</b> <b>Prostate Cancer:</b> .Approach to take in delivering this aspect of the DES and what support is available to assist you.</p> <p><b><u>Use of FIT for suspected colorectal cancer:</u></b> Clarification of when FIT should be dispensed, the referral pathway and how practices and PCNs can track how patients FIT results are received and entered into patient notes.</p>	<p>Dr Abhijit Gill, NWL Primary Care Cancer Clinical Director for RM Partners</p> <p>Dr Maria Wallace, GP Cancer Lead for Wandsworth.</p> <p>Hasan Qazi, Consultant Urologist at St George's University Hospital, Chair of Urology Cancer Working Group, RM Partners</p>	Watch the session <a href="#">here</a> .
<b>14<sup>th</sup> September 2022</b>	1 – 2pm	<p><b>Breast Cancer</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Improving Referral Management</li> <li>Case Studies</li> <li>Support available and resources for Primary Care</li> </ul>	<p>Nicky Roche, Consultant Breast Surgeon, Royal Marsden Hospital, Chair of the Breast Cancer Working Group</p> <p>Jason Lee, Consultant Breast and Reconstructive (Oncoplastic) Surgeon, Clinical Lead for the Breast Service at London North West University Healthcare NHS Trust</p>	Watch the session <a href="#">here</a> .
<b>26<sup>th</sup> October 2022</b>	12 -2pm	<p><b>The Good Smear Taker – supporting nervous and anxious patients</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understanding the anxieties that patients</li> </ul>	<p>Gill Burgess, Lead Nurse for the Croydon cervical screening clinics for nervous and anxious women</p> <p>Marianne Wood, Colposcopist and Hysteroscopist at St Georges</p>	Watch the session <a href="#">here</a> .



		<p>have around HPV, the screening process and how to respond to these.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Top tips and communication skills in handling and managing nervous patients in the treatment room.</li> <li>• Develop a greater understanding on the Colposcopy process to support conversations with patients.</li> </ul>		
<b>Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2023</b>	1 - 2pm	<p><b>West London Cancer Update</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• An update to changes to 2ww/FDS and PCN DES</li> <li>• Background to cancer detection via primary care and key data sources</li> <li>• An overview of primary care cancer detection programme and including next steps</li> <li>• Information on Rapid diagnostic centres (RDCs) and NG12 criteria</li> </ul>	Dr Thomas Round (Research Clinical fellow for RM Partners) and Dr Lucy Sneddon (SWL Primary Care Clinical Lead)	Watch the session <a href="#">here</a>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Information on resources and education opportunities</li></ul>		
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