

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

5th February 2024

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

- 1. Focus on Prostate Cancer webinar – slides and recording now available! - all practice staff**
- 2. Primary care education opportunities – SELCA training modules on head and neck cancer NOW LIVE! – all GPs**
- 3. West London Primary Care education opportunities – all practice staff**

FOCUS ON PROSTATE CANCER – SLIDES AND RECORDING NOW AVAILABLE!

FOR INFORMATION – ALL PRACTICE STAFF

RM Partners, the West London Cancer alliance hosted a webinar on 31st January 2024 where we heard from:

- **Jeff Thompson** ([Prostate Cancer Don't It Let It Win – Dont Let It Win CDLIW \(cancerdontletitwincic.com\)](http://cancerdontletitwincic.com)), who spoke eloquently about his **lived experience** of being diagnosed with prostate cancer
- **Prostate Cancer UK** on Prostate Cancer risk factors, and how practices and PCNs can engage with at risk patients in their population
- a **consultant urologist** from Imperial on changes to the diagnostic pathways, PSA testing and local patient pathways in place. He also talked through case scenarios to assist clinicians understanding.

The slides and the webinar recording are below:

Prostate Cancer Webinar recording	https://youtu.be/jEhCa4FmwE?feature=shared
Webinar presentation slides	 Focus on.....Prostate Cance

PRIMARY CARE EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES – SELCA TRAINING MODULES ON HEAD AND NECK CANCER NOW LIVE!

FOR INFORMATION – ALL GPs

- SEL Cancer Alliance has launched an early cancer diagnosis resource for primary care.
- 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.
- The following modules are now available:
 - [Head and Neck cancer](#)
 - [Pancreatic training module.](#)
 - [Lung Cancer training module.](#)
 - [Myeloma training module.](#)
 - [Head and neck cancer](#)
 - [Oral cancer](#)

WEST LONDON PRIMARY CARE EDUCATION FREE OPPORTUNITIES

Educational Event	Targeted Audience	Training Dates	How to register / access
<p>Primary Care Cancer Education Programme (across 2 years)</p> <p>Programme to support:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GP Practices and PCN teams in identifying early signs of cancer. • Working as a team to support people living with cancer, meet PCN DES and QOF / IIF requirements. <p>Delivered by Red Whale</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 January 2025</p>	<p>www.gp-update.co.uk/RMP2</p> <p>enter discount code PCCEP21RMP</p>
<p>Cancer Screening courses</p> <p>Gateway C have released Screening modules cover the breast, cervical, and bowel 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>Our Courses - GatewayC - Register for free to login and enrol</p>
<p>Early Cancer diagnosis training modules – South East London Cancer Alliance (SELCA)</p>	<p>Primary care clinical staff - GPs, PAs, Advanced Nurse Practitioners, Advanced</p>	<p>On Demand training.</p>	<p>Head and Neck cancer Pancreatic training module. Lung Cancer training module.</p>

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CANCER WEBINAR PROGRAMME - [West London Primary Care Webinars - YouTube](#)

Date	Time	Topic	Host (s)	Video recording / joining link
12th August 2021	12:30 – 1:30	Urology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overview of Urological Cancer & the Pandemic • Prostate Cancer • Bladder Cancer 	<p>Dr Abhijit Gill, NWL Primary Care Cancer Clinical Director for RM Partners.</p> <p>Mr Manit Arya, Consultant Urology, Charing Cross Hospital & Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust, London</p> <p>Mr Giles Hellowell, Consultant Urological Surgeon, Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust, London</p>	Watch the session here
17th November 2021	12:00 - 1:15	Lung <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Impact of Covid-19 on referrals for Lung Cancer • Covid-19 vs Lung Cancer • Local RMP Pilots • Improving referral management for Lung Cancers • Case studies • Q&A 	<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 here
14th January 2021	12:00 - 1:15	Haematological Cancers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improving Referral Management for Haematological Cancers • Case Studies 	<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 here
9th February 2022	1:00 – 2:00	Lower GI <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improving Referral Management • FIT 	<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 here

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

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support available and resources for Primary Care 	Dr Lyndsey Williams, GP Cancer Lead for Brent and Ealing	
14th July 2022	1:00 - 2:00	<p>Cancer Hot Topics Prostate Cancer: .Approach to take in delivering this aspect of the DES and what support is available to assist you.</p> <p><u>Use of FIT for suspected colorectal cancer:</u> 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 here .
14th September 2022	1 – 2pm	<p>Breast Cancer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improving Referral Management Case Studies Support available and resources for Primary Care 	<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 here .
26th October 2022	12 -2pm	<p>The Good Smear Taker – supporting nervous and anxious patients</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understanding the anxieties that patients 	<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 here .

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

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Wednesday 31st January 2024	1 – 2pm	<p><u>Prostate Cancer Webinar</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Patient with lived experience of being diagnosed with prostate cancer Prostate Cancer risk factors, and how practices and PCNs can engage with at risk patients in their population Changes to the diagnostic pathways, PSA testing and local patient pathways in place. He also talked through case scenarios to assist clinicians understanding. 	<p>Jeff Thompson (Prostate Cancer Don't It Let It Win – Dont Let It Win CDLIW (cancerdontletitwincic.com))</p> <p>Lubna Latif Curtis, Health Influencing Senior Officer, Prostate Cancer UK</p> <p>Taimur Shah, Consultant Urologist and Clinical Senior Lecturer, Imperial College London</p>	Watch the session here