



Digital Nurse Network

Weekly Bulletin with Helen Crowther RN & Ann Gregory RN – Clinical Nurse Advisors at NHSX | **23rd October**

Digital Nurse Network Weekly update aimed at General Practice Nurses and the wider Primary Care Team. Please Feedback what you would like to know about, future topics, webinar ideas and your digital projects.

Email: digitalnursenetwork@nhsx.nhs.uk or follow us on Twitter: **@DigitalNurseNHS**



Projects for this week

Sign up to the Future NHS platform – all our webinars, slides, guidance and other information are hosted there. You can [click here](#) and ask for access to our new **Digital Nurse Network workspace** or email us on digitalnursenetwork@nhsx.nhs.uk and we will invite you. Catch up with all the updates, blogs and COVID information and more – why not start a discussion with other members?

There is so much going on across primary care and nursing – to help you keep on top of it all we recommend signing up to these bulletins:

- CNO – Nursing & Midwifery Matter | [Click here to sign up](#)
- Primary Care Bulletin | [Click here to sign up](#)
- Vaccine update | [Click here to sign up](#)

Online events, webinars and training



The **21st Digital Nurse Network Webinar** will take place on **Wednesday 04 November 2020 from 1-2pm**.

We will be welcoming Alison Taylor to speak about Proxy medication ordering in care homes. Sarah O'Donnell will be giving the nurse perspective on a drive through Influenza clinic. Rachel Merrett will take us through the simplified IG project – check out their case study invite later in the update. As always, Helen and Ann will provide updates from the network including video consult, remote monitoring, events, the clinical entrepreneur programme and more. [Click here](#) to book your place.

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The **Digital Primary Care team** at NHSX are delivering their 4th Influenza webinar. This session will finalise updates on digital services for Influenza 2020 and look forward to digital support for winter pressures and COVID19. TPP and iPlato are confirmed for the supplier update. Breid O'Brien will be offering an update on remote monitoring with a frontline example from Dr Phil Koczan.

Book your place here: <https://www.events.england.nhs.uk/events/digital-primary-care-influenza-and-more>

SAVE THE DATE – Weds 2nd December – Digital Nurse Network 22 – booking link coming soon

All information correct at the time of publication – see next week's update for new info

More events, webinars and training

Clinical Vaccinology and Immunisation is an educational resource for UK health care workers that provides a range of information about vaccines and their roles in reducing the impact of vaccine preventable infections at an individual level. Click the link to visit the website and book.



31st National Immunisation Conference For Healthcare Workers
A VIRTUAL EVENT
Friday, 4th December 2020; 8.00am – 5.30pm

Take part in this **FREE** annual conference

Are you a nursing, medical or other healthcare worker / student, working or interested in immunisation? – Then this is the conference for you!

Why Join Our Virtual Experience?

- This will be your chance to learn from and interact with leading professionals in the Immunisation field from across the world
- Breakout sessions catered to meet different needs

Confirmed Speakers for this year's conference:

• Stanley Plotkin	• Adam Finn	• Tim Brooks
• Noni MacDonald	• Paul Heath	• Rino Rappuoli
• Julie Leask	• Helen Bedford	• Stephen Hughes

How to book your place on this virtual event:
nicole.beveridge@stockport.nhs.uk (see also www.clinicalvaccinology.org)

Poster Presentations Invited



Redmoor Health – Video Group Clinic

One-hour webinar as we discuss the value of video group clinics and how this new way to review and support your patients with long term health conditions is helping to create time and build practice resilience through person centred digital transformation.

Click here to book <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/video-group-clinic-briefing-session-tickets-124985702601>

News and Information – Influenza

12th October GOV Influenza Update - [click here](#) to view

Easy Read flu update - [click here](#) to view.

Weekly national Influenza and COVID- 19 surveillance report – [click here](#) to view

Nursing in Practice

10 Top Tips on how community nursing services can support people with musculoskeletal disorders during the on-going Covid-19 pandemic.

[Click here](#) for more information on this subject.

Digital Inclusion

Get Online Week is a campaign run by The Good Things Foundation – [click here](#) for more information.

The Good Things Foundation do lots of fantastic work around digital inclusion [visit their website](#) for information, resources and support.

Get Online Week - Discover valuable learning resources and develop your health and care skills.

[Click here](#) to visit E-Learning for Health.

Get the nurse voice heard:

Click here to complete the survey: [Inclusive Digital Transformation - Locality Survey](#)

We are inviting **local stakeholders** to complete a short survey to find out what digital inclusion activities are being delivered at a local level across the country. We expect the survey to take **5 -10 minutes** to complete. The deadline for completing this survey is **11 November 2020**.

Get involved – surveys and more

National General Practice Nurse and HCA Survey - Terms and Conditions

The authors of this questionnaire are both general practice nurses working in Sheffield. Between us we have 28 years' experience in general practice and are from either end of that time frame! We are researching terms and conditions for nurses and HCA's working in general practice, and how we can enact change should it be needed. Getting our voices heard.

This questionnaire is to establish the current thinking around the need to reform our pay and conditions and thoughts around meeting together to discuss how we can move this forward. This is an ANONYMOUS questionnaire unless you wish to leave your email below. Your personal details will not be shared.

We aim to gather data on pay and conditions of general practice nurses and HCA's. Then to formulate a strategy to lobby organisations such as CCG's, NHSE, RCN, QNI and unions. With the aim of a fair pay deal for all nurses and HCA's working in general practice.

[Click here](#) to complete the survey.

NHS Volunteer Programme

NHS trusts – applications open for #NHSVolunteer programme. Funding for volunteer activity which will support NHS staff, patient experience and reduce covid/winter pressures.

Deadline 4th November – email england.volunteering@nhs.net

Case study opportunity

On 1st October NHSx launched an Information Governance (IG) Portal www.nhsx.nhs.uk/information-governance on behalf of the Health and Care IG Panel. This is a core part of our ambition to simplify IG ensuring it is accessible and relevant. The online portal showcases IG advice not only for IG professionals but for health and care staff too.

We'd like to feature a case study on how clear and simple IG advice helps you care for patients/service users e.g. by being able to use your own device; using mobile messaging or sharing information with confidence. The case study will really help us reach out to other health and care professionals so they can also benefit. We'd love to hear from you if you are willing to be featured.

Email Rachel.merrett@nhsx.nhs.uk for info.