

UKFPO Bulletin  
Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> August 2018

**\*\*New Website for UKFPO\*\***

The UKFPO are pleased to announce the launch of our new website. The website can be accessed via this link: <http://www.foundationprogramme.nhs.uk/>

Any issues please email the team at [helpdesk@foundationprogramme.nhs.uk](mailto:helpdesk@foundationprogramme.nhs.uk)

**\*\*Eligibility Application period\*\***

The Eligibility application period for 2018 closed 8<sup>th</sup> August 2018 (12:00 BST). Please note that no late applications will be considered.

**\*\*Severn foundation school Induction Programme Questionnaire\*\***

The Severn Foundation School is coordinating a project for participation by all F1s. You are invited to complete an F1 trainee induction programme questionnaire. This survey is part of a long-term project to identify any concerns/anxieties you may have about starting your F1 post. The information you provide will help to develop a realistic evaluation of the induction programme and help us to improve working life for future trainees.

Please note that no personally identifiable data is collected so GDPR is not an issue.

Please either send the attached letter to your F1s or if preferred your own version containing the following hyperlink <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/F1induction2018> or via the QR code



Supporting Documents:

[Letter to Foundation trainees](#)

**\*\*National Foundation Doctors Presentation Day\*\***

The National Foundation Doctor's Presentation Day is a free, annual event hosted by the Severn Foundation School and supported by the UKFPO. It displays work completed by Foundation Doctors from across the UK and Malta as oral and poster presentations under the categories; Quality Improvement, Education, Sustainability, Research/Original Work, and Case Reports. The presentation day will take place at Mercure Bristol Holland House Hotel & Spa, Redcliffe Hill, BS1 6SQ on 11th January 2019. Applications to present, open on Wednesday 15th August 2018 and will close on Friday 16th November 2018.

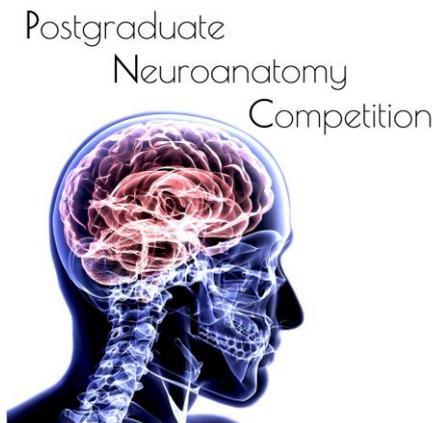
Supporting Documents:

[Event Flyer](#)

[Letter to Foundation Trainees](#) to disseminate to colleagues.

If you have any further queries with regards to the event, please email the Severn Foundation School on [SEVFoundation.SW@hee.nhs.uk](mailto:SEVFoundation.SW@hee.nhs.uk) or call on 01454 252 669.

## **\*\*The National Postgraduate Neuroanatomy Competition 2018\*\***



The National Postgraduate Neuroanatomy are delighted to announce that registration for the 2018 National Postgraduate Neuroanatomy Competition (PNC) has officially opened. If you are interested in a career in neurology, neurosurgery, or neuroradiology, participation provides you with a unique opportunity to come and demonstrate your commitment to your chosen profession through neuroanatomy. The competition, running on Saturday 8th December at University Hospital Southampton, comprises a clinical based multiple-choice question paper, a neuroimaging paper and a practical spotter exam using cadaveric specimens.

Additionally, you can network with doctors from across the UK and enjoy a well organised event with a great atmosphere and included masterclass. It's an event not to be missed.

For information on how to register for the event please go to our website at [www.natneurocomp.co.uk](http://www.natneurocomp.co.uk). You can also find us on Facebook (The National Neuroanatomy Competition) and twitter ([@NatNeuroComp](https://twitter.com/NatNeuroComp)) to keep up to date.

Thank you for taking the time to read this and we look forward to seeing you on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> December.

## **\*\*HEE e-LfH Foundation programme – August update\*\***

e-Learning for Healthcare sessions in Foundation e-learning programme: Professional Capability: 13 Prescribes safely

The Foundation e-learning programme has been developed specifically for Foundation doctors by the Academy of Medical Royal Colleges in partnership with Health Education England e-Learning for Healthcare (HEE e-LfH) and is approved by UKFPO.

Failure to prescribe safely is one of the commonest causes of untoward patient incidents in medical practice. Two case studies underpin and cover in detail how to safely and effectively prescribe a wide range of medicines. Adverse drug effects (ADE), risk management and safe transfusion practice are among the topics covered.

### **Sessions:**

Prescription Writing

BNF Usage and Other Prescribing Information Sources

Safe Use of Injectable Medicines (Part 1)

Safe Use of Injectable Medicines (Part 2)

Safe Anticoagulation  
Safe Prescribing in Renal Impairment  
Prudent Use of Antibiotics (Part 1)  
Prudent Use of Antibiotics (Part 2)  
Prudent Use of Antibiotics (Part 3)  
Safe Prescribing of Insulin  
Adverse Drug Effects  
Safer Medicine Use Through Concordance  
Safe Prescription and Risk Management  
Safe Practice the Doctors Perspective  
Communicating Treatment Risks to Patients  
Pain Management  
Haemovigilance in the UK and ROI  
Blood Group Serology  
Requesting Procedure  
Sampling Procedures  
Collection Procedure  
Administration Procedure  
Management of Transfused Patient  
Safe and Appropriate Transfusion Practice  
Red Blood Cells  
Adverse Effects of Transfusion  
VTE Prevention in Secondary Care

Do you need to complete parts of the curriculum on your e-portfolio which you do not cover in day-to-day practice? Try some of our free e-learning mapped directly to the Foundation Professional Capabilities (Training Outcomes) in the 2016 Foundation Curriculum.

You can sign in to the e-learning with your login supplied by e-LfH at the beginning of your foundation training: <https://www.e-lfh.org.uk/programmes/foundation-programme/>.