

UKFPO Bulletin
Wednesday 14th November 2018

****UKFPO Update****

- 13th – 22nd November – Special Circumstances appeals window is now open, guidance and forms can be found on the [Applicant Guidance](#) page.
- 7th December 2018 – 1st SJT sitting date, applicants can prepare using resources on the [Applicant Guidance](#) page.
- Follow us on [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#) for regular updates and news.

****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 is now open and will close on Friday 16th November 2018.

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

Supporting documents can be located on the UKFPO website here: [Events](#)

****Severn Foundation School F1 Follow Up Survey****

Many thanks to those of you who participated in part one of the induction survey. This second survey is designed to provide further information which will be used to develop our induction programme for trainees in the future. We plan to share this information as widely as possible, so your contribution could potentially make a significant difference to future trainees. Please complete Part 2 whether you completed part 1 or not. There is an opportunity to provide more in-depth feedback as outlined in the final question.

To access the survey please log onto <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/f1followup2018> or QR code.



The poster features the UK Foundation Programme and NHS Health Education England logos. The main title is 'National Foundation Doctors Presentation Day' in purple, with the date 'Friday 11th January 2019' and venue 'Mercure Bristol Holland House Hotel & Spa' below it. A large orange bracket is under the title. The text invites all Foundation Doctors and Trainers to a day of presentations by F1 and F2 doctors, with judges from UKFPO, GMC, and HQIP. A 'Call for Abstracts' section lists categories: Research, Case Reports, Education, Sustainability, and Quality Improvement. It notes that successful abstracts will be presented as oral or poster presentations and that work in progress is eligible. A graphic shows a presentation board with charts and the hashtag #NFDPD. At the bottom, there are four colored boxes: 'Developing people for health and healthcare' (www.hee.nhs.uk), '10 minute oral presentation or A2 poster', 'Mercure Bristol Holland House Hotel & Spa Redcliffe Hill BS1 6SQ', and 'Deadline: 12:00 midday Friday 16th November 2018'. The NHS Constitution logo is also present.



If possible, please complete the survey in one sitting since you will not be able to access it later. It should only take you approximately 5 minutes to complete. The questionnaire is anonymous, and your thoughts and comments are greatly appreciated.

****Foundation Faculty Sharing Good Practice Event****



NACT UK and UKFPO will be hosting the annual Foundation Faculty Sharing Good Practice Event.

The conference will take place on Friday 8th March 2019 at the London Marriott Hotel Marble Arch, 134 George St, London, W1H 5DN.

The deadline for abstracts is 5 p.m. Friday 30th November 2018.

Supporting documents can be located on the UKFPO website here: [Events](#)

****Save the Date – Foundation Doctors’ Academic Conference****

The UKFPO will be hosting the annual Foundation Doctors’ Academic conference on Friday 17th May 2019 at the Edinburgh International Conference Centre.

The conference will be trainee-centered and will be of interest to academically minded Medical Students, Foundation Trainees and any faculty or more Senior Colleagues who are involved in Academic Foundation Trainees. We hope that this complementary event will be of immediate practical assistance to anyone following an academic career path, and those who are advising them.

Themes of academic research, education and leadership training will be included. There will be a focus on Foundation Trainees themselves and their experiences.

More details will be available in the upcoming months.

****E-Learning for Healthcare – November Update****

Foundation specific e-learning is developed 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.

The drive for quality in the NHS has patient safety at its heart. The e-learning sessions in ‘Professional Capability: 19 Makes patient safety a priority in clinical practice’ concentrate on safe practice and what to do when things go wrong.

It begins with an interactive case study where learners diagnose and treat a patient, then evaluate the management plan. Moving on, learners examine safe personal working practices when treating patients. The session also looks at the management of febrile illnesses, infection control

and disease notification. The focus then shifts to the importance of maintaining the learners' own health, both physical and mental.

Finally, the sessions look at the building blocks that support quality and safety in the NHS, including how to raise concerns about patient safety, team working, clinical governance, patient outcome and experience.

Sessions:

- Senior Advice: When to Stop for Help
- Safe Practice the Doctors Perspective
- Human factors and analysis of adverse events
- Medical Error: When Things Go Wrong
- Hospital Acquired Fever: What to do
- Hospital Acquired Fever: What to do Next
- Infection Control: Diarrhoea in an Inpatient
- Infection Control: Air and Blood Borne Pathogens
- Infection Control: Modes of Transmission
- Disease Notification
- Stress - Mental Health
- Health (Blood Borne Infection) and Handling Stress
- An Underperforming Colleague - What To Do
- Stress – Bullying
- Introduction to Patient Safety
- Quality and Safety in the NHS
- Raising Concerns About Patient Safety
- Team Working and Patient Safety
- Clinical Governance
- Outcomes and Patient Experience
- Handling Complaints
- Errors and Experiences in Healthcare
- Minimising Risk in Healthcare Organisations

Do you need to complete parts of the curriculum on your e-portfolio which you do not cover in day-to-day practice? If so, why not 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/>.

Please click [here](#) for a newsletter about Script, that has recently been renamed as Medicine & Surgery SCRIPT.

****Horus ePortfolio – Admin timeline****

The Horus team have published a [timeline of Horus-related activities](#) for trust and HEE staff. This information is intended to guide trust and HEE administrators in when activities specifically related to Horus/Horus functionality should be undertaken.

****HEE National Education and Training Survey (England only) ****

The HEE National Education and Training Survey (NETS) has now launched and is accessible via the following link [NETS](#) .

The survey link has been sent out to our Postgraduate Medical Trainees and we have asked our Trust colleagues to distribute the survey link to learners who are on placement within the Trust between the 12th November and 14th December. This is the first multi-professional survey of its kind, so we would really appreciate any opportunity you have to promote it at events, workshops etc.

Attached is a copy of the flyer for your information, but this can be accessed in higher resolution for printing A4 and A5 flyers via the link above.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact either myself or my team at NETS@hee.nhs.uk

****Physician Specialty Recruitment Office****

As of 1 November 2018, the Specialty Recruitment Office at the Royal College of Physicians, who have been coordinating recruitment into medical specialties since 2008, have joined the London and KSS local office of Health Education England (HEE), based in Stewart House. This is in line with the current national direction of centralising recruitment quality assurance for all specialties within HEE.

We will now be called the ‘Physician Specialty Recruitment Office’ (PSRO for short) to differentiate from other specialties’ recruitment processes.

The service provided will remain the same, with key staff moving organisations to maintain continuity of process and assurance. We will continue to work with the recruitment teams across all UK regions as the national coordinators for recruitment to:

- Internal medicine training and ACCS acute medicine at CT1 level
- 24 specialties at ST3 level
- Stroke medicine sub-specialty training

We would like to thank the Royal College of Physicians (London) for supporting our work over the past 11 years and look forward to continuing to work with the RCP to maintain the high standard of physician training through recruitment, to keep medicine brilliant.

Contacting us:

Email

The current mailboxes will be transferring to a HEE address and if you need to contact us please use the new addresses:

- IMTrecruitment@hee.nhs.uk – for queries about recruitment to internal medicine training and ACCS acute medicine

National Education and Training Survey (NETS) – share your views now!

The National Education and Training Survey (NETS) will be launched in November for the first time. It will gather feedback from multi-professional learners on clinical placements.

This is your chance to let us know about the quality of your experience whilst on placement so that improvements can be made and best practice shared.

Want to have your voice heard?

The survey will be available until **14 December 2018** for learners on placement. If you are on more than one placement during this time please complete the survey for your main placement between the **12-30 November 2018**.

You will be able to access the survey through laptops, tablets and smartphones.

Find out more about the survey
– and access it via our website
hee.nhs.uk/NETS

For further information or assistance,
email our team at NETS@hee.nhs.uk



Scan me with your phone
camera or QR reader



- ST3medrecruitment@hee.nhs.uk – for queries about ST3 and stroke medicine recruitment

Both mailboxes are monitored by the whole team, so if your email does not relate to a specific level please pick either one.

Telephone

The team will continue to operate an email only helpdesk for applicants, although recruitment teams and other stakeholders are welcome to call. New phone numbers will be circulated to recruitment teams when confirmed; in the meantime, if you'd like to speak to one of the team please email us.

Websites

Our websites will retain the same addresses as before:

- www.IMTrecruitment.org.uk
- www.st3recruitment.org.uk
- <http://www.st3recruitment.org.uk/specialties/stroke-medicine-recruitment/overview>

****Important Information about Internal Medicine Training from 2019****

In response to recommendations in the 2013 Shape of Training Report, and to better equip doctors with the skills needed for a 21st Century NHS, the Joint Royal Colleges of Physicians Training Board (JRCPTB), on behalf of the Federation of the three Royal Colleges of Physicians, has developed a new model for future physician training, known as Internal Medicine Training (IMT). Internal Medicine Training will consist of two stages.

Internal Medicine Stage 1 training will form the first three years of post-Foundation training for most doctors intending to enter Higher Specialty Training in the physician specialties (known as group 1 specialties). However, for some specialties, 2 years of IMT will be accepted (known as group 2 specialties). For those specialties dual training with Internal Medicine (group 1), there will be a further indicative year of Internal Medicine training integrated into Higher Specialty Training. This will be known as IM Stage 2.

The curriculum for IM Stage 1 has been approved by the GMC. The curriculum for IM Stage 2 is being submitted for consideration by the GMC.

Full details can be found here: [Important Information about IMT from 2019](#)

****University College London – Evening Seminar****

UCL Medical School would like to invite all interested in medical education to this **FREE** evening seminar:

Date: 27th November 2018

Who: Dr John Launer, author of “Narrative-Based Practice in Health and Social Care”, Lead Programme Director for Educational Innovation, HEE.

Topic: Conversations inviting change: applying narrative medicine to everyday encounters in health care.

Organisers: Research Department of Medical Education (RDME) and Department of Postgraduate Medical Education (PGME).

Register here: [Eventbrite](#)

****National Undergraduate Neuroanatomy Competition****

We 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. You can also find us on Facebook (The [National Neuroanatomy Competition](#)) and twitter ([@NatNeuroComp](#)) to keep up to date.

Event poster can be viewed here: [Neuroanatomy Competition](#)

****The Faculty of Intensive Care Medicine – Careers Pack****

The Faculty of Intensive Care Medicine has recently launched a [Careers pack](#) for those thinking of getting in ICM or hosting a careers event about ICM.

Careers evenings are an excellent way to engage and network with the local the medical workforce. FICM have produced a virtual careers evening pack featuring a series of lectures and handouts along with an organiser guide to help you create and run your own careers event.

The lectures are intended for you to modify with local information to make your event more relevant and engaging for you audience.

****British Pharmacological Society & Royal College of Physicians Ireland – The Future of Safe Prescribing****

This is a joint conference between the British Pharmacological Society and the Royal College of Physicians of Ireland.

The challenge to achieve safe prescribing is of huge importance to healthcare. We are now in an era of exponential advances in technology and molecular medicine which will directly impact on improving prescribing. This programme on the future of safe prescribing is designed to address topics directly relevant to safe prescribing now and in the future. This meeting will have wide appeal to independent prescribers from all backgrounds (including medical, pharmacy and nursing).

The event will take place on Friday 29th March 2019 in Dublin, Ireland

Register here: [British Pharmacological Society Website](#)