



Current Awareness Bulletin December 2022

Welcome to the December Current Awareness Bulletin for ICS and Primary Care staff in North Central London. Most of the resources in this bulletin are free to access but some require an OpenAthens login.

Goodbye Caroline ... Hello Catherine!

We bid adieu to our dear friend and colleague, Caroline Green who begins her new post in the South West and we welcome Catherine Wardle, Assistant Librarian from Whittington Health Library to NCL. Catherine will be covering the NCL Knowledge Specialist post for the next two months alongside Magda Vasileiou, until our new recruit begins at the end of January 2023.

Whittington Health Library Training

WHL offer three one-hour long training courses which are free to NCL ICS and affiliated staff.

Finding the Evidence: Wed 21/12 11:00-12:00; Wed 18/1 10:00-11:00

Critical Appraisal of QUANTITATIVE Research: Mon 5/12 10:30-11:30; Thurs 5/1 10:30-11:30

Critical Appraisal of QUALITATIVE Research: Wed 14/12 10:00-11:00; Tues 10/1 10:30-11:30

To reserve a place just email the Whittington team at whl@nhs.net

British Journal of General Practice

[Cancer history as a predictor in cardiovascular risk scores: a primary care cohort study](#)

[Changes in General Practice use and costs with COVID-19 and telehealth initiatives](#)

["No trouble at all" - medication work amongst nonagenarians: a qualitative study of the Newcastle 85+ cohort participants at 97](#)

[Which non-pharmaceutical primary care interventions improve mental health amongst socioeconomically disadvantaged populations? Systematic review](#)

[Post-consultation acute respiratory tract infection recovery: a latent class informed analysis of individual patient data from randomised controlled trials and observational studies](#)

[Home monitoring by pulse oximetry of primary care patients with COVID-19 - a pilot randomised controlled trial](#)

[General practitioners' awareness of pregnancy: trends and association with hazardous medication use](#)

[Advance care planning engagement in chronic, life-limiting illness: cluster-RCT baseline findings](#)

[Effectiveness, feasibility, and acceptability of behavior change tools used by family doctors caring for priority patients: A systematic review of the literature](#)

NICE Guidance

[Advocacy services for adults with health and social care needs \(NG 227\)](#)



King's Fund

[The King's Fund responds to the Autumn Statement](#)

[NHS staffing shortages: Why do politicians struggle to give the NHS the staff it needs?](#)

NHS Employers

[Disability History Month 2022](#)

[Confirmed industrial action strike days](#)

[What apprenticeships are and how to use them](#)

Healthwatch

[Healthwatch Hackney wins award for making it easier for refugees to see a GP](#)

NHS Confederation

[Corporate publication Commit, understand, act: our anti-racism strategy](#)

BMJ

[Primary care in Spain: underfunded, understaffed, and neglected](#)

[GPs caught in media menopause spotlight](#)

[Complaints against GPs up by more than a third on pre-covid level](#)

NIHR

[GPs' overall workload and job satisfaction did not improve when practices employed other clinicians](#)

[Women's Health: Why do women feel unheard?](#)

[Antidepressants for children and teenagers: what works for anxiety and depression?](#)

[Do women know how to take a urine sample?](#)

[E-cigarettes may be better than nicotine patches in helping pregnant women stop smoking](#)

DHSC

[GP practice data available for first time](#)

[Child death overview panels: contacts](#)

[Eligible people urged to get vaccinated as flu season officially under way](#)

Miscellaneous

[Coding unpaid carers – SNOMED CT - NHS England](#)

[Core20PLUS5 – An approach to reducing health inequalities for children and young people - NHS England](#)

[Supporting our NHS people through menopause: guidance for line managers and colleagues - NHS England](#)

[New Standard GMS, PMS and APMS contracts published– NHS England](#)

