

Current Awareness Bulletin October 2023

Welcome to the May Current Awareness Bulletin for ICS and Primary Care staff in North Central London.
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NCL Knowledge and Library Service Training

NCL's Knowledge and Library Service offers several training sessions to all staff. Email ncl.lib@nhs.net to book a session.

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| Introduction to Knowledge and Library Services | 14th Nov 2:30pm-3:00pm 28th Nov 1pm-1:30pm 5th Dec 2:00pm-2:30pm |
| BMJ Best Practice: An Expert's Guide | 20th Nov 1:30pm-2:00pm 12th Dec 2:00pm-2:30pm 19th Dec 1pm-1:30pm |
| Learning with e-Books | 22nd Nov 1pm-1:30pm 6th Dec 2:30pm-3:00pm 20th Dec 1pm-1:30pm |
| Finding Journal Articles | 15th Nov 2:30pm-3:00pm 29th Nov 1pm-1:30pm |
| Getting Your Message Across: Bite Size Health Literacy Awareness | 15th Nov 1pm-1:45pm 22nd Nov 2pm-2:45pm 29th Nov 2pm-2:45pm 6th Dec 1pm-1:45pm 20th Dec 2pm-2:45pm |

Whittington Health Library Training

WHL offer quickfire, hour long training courses which are free to NCL ICS and affiliated staff. Email whl@nhs.net to book a session.

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| Introduction to library services | 15th Nov 13:00 - 13:30 13 Dec 13:00 - 13:30 |
| Finding the Evidence | 3rd Nov 09:30 - 10:30 8th Dec 10:30 - 11:30 |
| Critical Appraisal of QUANTITATIVE research | 5th Dec 10:00 - 11:00 |
| Critical Appraisal of QUALITATIVE research | 21st Nov 11:00 - 12:00 13th Dec 10:00 - 11:00 |
| Health Literacy – Getting your Message Across | 14th Nov 11:00 - 12:00 12th Dec 10:30 - 11:30 |
| Get the best from UpToDate/BMJ Best Practice | 22nd Nov 10:00 - 10:30 6th Dec 2023 10:00 - 10:30 |

NICE

[Ovarian cancer: recognition and initial management](#)

[Suspected cancer: recognition and referral](#)

[Hearing loss in adults: assessment and management](#)

[Suspected neurological conditions: recognition and referral](#)

[Urinary incontinence in neurological disease: assessment and management](#)

[Thyroid disease: assessment and management](#)

[Jaundice in newborn babies under 28 days](#)

[Pneumonia in adults: diagnosis and management](#)

British Journal of General Practice

[Inequities in hypertension management: observational cross-sectional study in North East London using electronic health records](#)

[Progression of stroke risk in patients aged <65 years diagnosed with atrial fibrillation: a cohort study in general practice](#)

British Journal of General Practice (con't)

[Impact of ACEIs and ARBs-related adverse drug reaction on patients' clinical outcomes: a cohort study in UK primary care](#)

[Trends in consultations and prescribing for rheumatic and musculoskeletal diseases: an electronic primary care records study](#)

[Patient enablement and health-related quality of life for patients with chronic back and knee pain: a cross-sectional study in primary care](#)

[How can autistic adults be supported in primary care?](#)

[Research Paper of the Year: relevance to the broader primary care team](#)

[Remote services in general practice: who needs to be trained in what, when and how?](#)

BMJ

[Clinical effectiveness of septoplasty versus medical management for nasal airways obstruction](#)

[Early versus delayed antihypertensive treatment in patients with acute ischaemic stroke](#)

[Rosuvastatin versus atorvastatin in adults with coronary artery disease](#)

Healthwatch

[Pharmacy Workforce Race Equality Standard report](#)

[Working together to prevent suicide in the NHS workforce](#)

National Institute for Health and Care REsearch

[High dose vitamin C 'ineffective' in treating Covid-19, but statin beneficial | NIHR](#)

[Innovative new technology should be offered to pregnant women with diabetes | NIHR](#)

[Specialist GP healthcare models shown to help care for homeless more effectively than regular services | NIHR](#)

Miscellaneous

[Seven technologies recommended to help people with non-specific low back pain | News | News | NICE](#)

[Understanding the role of mental health practitioners in primary care | NHS Confederation](#)

[From the AiT Network: Cultivating a fulfilling career in general practice: A few insights and updates](#)

[New clinical governance maturity matrix | News | GGI | Good Governance \(good-governance.org.uk\)](#)