

HEE NEY COVID-19 - Bulletin No 24 – 11 September

This update covers education and training actions

HEE NEY's COVID19 response is being co-ordinated by **Professor Namita Kumar**.

COVID 19 HEE NEY Websites:

<https://madeinheene.hee.nhs.uk/PG-Dean/COVID-19-HEE-NE-Information>

<https://yorksandhumberdeanery.nhs.uk/covid-19-hee-yh-information>

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EDUCATION RESOURCES

[Covid 19 NEY Guide to Available Training](#) regional and national (**Collated Resources**)

[Multi-professional Health and Wellbeing Resources](#). (**Collated Resources**)

The programme entitled 'Resources for Nurses, Midwives and AHPs Returning to work, being Redeployed or Up-Skilled' has a [dedicated link](#). The Covid-19 programme is free to access for the UK health and care workforce, without the need to register. However, if staff wish to record their learning activity then log in or register [here](#). If you have questions, contact Agnes.Hibbert@hee.nhs.uk.

For wider updates on how HEE is supporting nursing and midwifery around the Covid-19 pandemic, visit www.hee.nhs.uk/coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-covid-19-information-nurses-midwives.

LATEST GUIDANCE AND STANDARDS

Potential future changes to shielding advice in local areas letter from DDMO [available here](#) (New)

Infection Prevention and Control Guidance for the remobilisation of services within Health and Social care settings FAQs [available here](#) (New)

Workforce Cell Briefing note No 26 [available here](#) (New)

Medical

Extending COVID **ARCP arrangements** guidance [available here](#) (New)

Agreed principles and guidance around training in the Independent Sector for organisations working under the Covid 19 national contract [available here](#) (New)

Position Statement on Ensuring Training in the Independent Sector [available here](#) (New)

Independent Sector Supervision arrangements for doctors in training [available here](#) (New)

North East and Cumbria (specific updates)

Trainee Executive Forum homepage available [here](#).

Newcastle University have published their latest Physician Associate Studies Newsletter (May20) and this can [be found here](#).

Supervision Resources

If you are new to supervision or returning to a supervision or educational role as a response to COVID-19 we hope you find the materials on our Learner Support and Faculty Development pages useful.

[Resources Available here.](#)

The North East and Cumbria have developed a briefing ([check in available here](#))/debriefing ([check out available here](#)) resource for leaders during the pandemic.

HEENE COVID 19 Support Service for Returning and training Doctors and Dentists

In response to the unprecedented challenges in the NHS due to the COVID 19 epidemic, Health Education England North East and North Cumbria are adapting the Trainee Support Service arrangements on a temporary basis for the next 6 months from April 2020. Detail, [links and support offer can be found here.](#)

Article requests from the Walton Library at Newcastle University

The resources for staff who would normally use Newcastle University library – the Library are providing electronic journals only to any member of NHS staff - request access via email at: nhsill@ncl.ac.uk

For more information and to access the journal search, go to: <https://libguides.ncl.ac.uk/nhs/services>

Yorkshire and Humber (specific updates)

Wellbeing support for trainees

The following 60-minute zoom sessions provide tools to help during these unprecedented times.

- **Peer Support** - We recognise the enormous value of speaking to others who can relate to what you are experiencing. To access this please contact peersupport.yh@hee.nhs.uk stating clearly that you wish to access peer support.
- **If you wish to train as a peer supporter** please contact peersupport.yh@hee.nhs.uk stating you wish to join a training session (60 mins, delivered via zoom).
- **Tools for Tough Times** – attendees will leave this session equipped with essential skills and knowledge which will benefit you in your personal and professional lives.
- **My Menu of Self Care** – this session will allow exploration of what contributes to wellbeing and provides the opportunity to think practically about how to keep well during challenging times.
- **Mindfulness** – an evidence-based session on an intervention proven to help in the management of stress.

Full details on how to register and future dates go to the ‘**wellbeing support for trainees**’ section on our website: <https://www.yorksandhumberdeanery.nhs.uk/covid-19-hee-yh-information>

Getting in touch

For overarching concerns use Quality.NE@hee.nhs For specific issues please contact:

Yorkshire and Humber PostgraduateDeansOffice.yh@hee.nhs.uk

North East and Cumbria Quality.NE@hee.nhs.uk

This document has been shared with the following groups - feel free to tweet or share further

DME's, Medical Directors, Education Managers, Multi-professional trust contacts, HEE NEY Dean's Management Teams and Exec Meetings for Quality, All HEE NEY staff, NE LET staff, Heads of School, TPDs, GP TPDs, HEI's including Medical Schools, QSG network and COVID command group, lay and patient representatives, North Clinical Teams, Skills for Health, ICS and all trainees. **Request to Education Centre Managers** – please cascade this to all consultants and SAS doctors. Bulletin also added to the HEE NE COVID site

Useful on-line resources

HOW TO ACCESS VOLUNTEERS

Organisations can request to be matched to volunteers (GoodSAM initiative)

The link is here <https://www.goodsamapp.org/NHSreferral>

SOCIAL CARE EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

HEE e-LfH) has recently added **health and care staff in Care Home settings** to its e-learning programme Resources for health and care staff in Care Home settings

BAME RISK ASSESSMENT

BAME staff Risk Assessment published by NHS Employers

<https://www.nhsemployers.org/covid19/health-safety-and-wellbeing/risk-assessments-for-staff>

NHS England: <https://www.england.nhs.uk/blog/note-for-all-bame-colleagues-working-in-the-nhs/>

Resources for Acute Care Cross Training

<https://icmanaesthesiacovid-19.org/cross-skill-training-for-pandemic-covid-19>

Top Tips for Telephone Triage & Video Consulting

Webinar: Returning GPs and other Primary Care staff can register via www.nbmedical.com.

How to establish a remote total triage model in GP using online consultations [available here](#)

Supporting resources via elfh [available here](#)

Guidance document developed by the Institute of Psychiatry, Psychology and Neuroscience at the King's College London for leaders and managers to address psychological concerns is [available here](#)

Coventry University has developed an open access simulation education repository site (developed by Dr Natasha Taylor), which may be useful to practice staff: <http://covunism.coventry.domains/simshare/>

COVID 19 update

HEE e-learning for Health have various resources:

[Programme Home page.](#)

[Clinical resources](#)

[Courses relating to the prevention and treatment relating to the Coronavirus pandemic.](#)

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Awareness course (free of charge)

The course covers, symptoms, infection prevention, investigation guidance and support.

<https://www.skillsforhealth.org.uk/covid-19-course>

Delirium Resources

We have pulled together several resources to assist with managing delirium and patients with COVID-19. [This can be found here.](#) The link to the [Delirium homepage is here.](#)

A recent Lancet article (Psychiatric presentations associated with COVID) is [available here.](#)

NHS Statutory and Mandatory Training – for all staff, returners and users

<https://portal.e-lfh.org.uk/Register> - registration required to create a record to prove compliance and can be accessed with any type of email account.

Website Links and Guidance

HEE's national update page:

<https://www.hee.nhs.uk/coronavirus-information-trainees> (information has been reorganised within the to ease navigation)

National School of Healthcare Science

<https://nshcs.hee.nhs.uk/>

The Lancet – COVID 19 Resource Centre - Clinical Information open access

<https://www.thelancet.com/coronavirus>

BMJ Resources

[BMJ Guidance on how to manage a remote consultation](#) and [BMJ COVID 19 best practice guidance](#)

UK Government

<https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/coronavirus-covid-19-list-of-guidance>

Current Gov/PH England

Advice on clinical staff self-isolation can be [found here](#).

Indemnity

[Joint letter from the Department for Health and Social Care, NHS Resolution, and NHS England and NHS Improvement: clinical negligence indemnity in response to Coronavirus.](#)

General Medical Council

<https://www.gmc-uk.org/news/news-archive/guidance-regarding-medical-education-and-training-supporting-the-covid-19-response>

<https://www.gmc-uk.org/news/news-archive/coronavirus-information-and-advice>

General Dental Council

<https://www.gdc-uk.org/information-standards-guidance/covid-19-latest-guidance>

Health and Care Professions Council

<https://www.hcpc-uk.org/registrants/updates/2020/how-we-will-continue-to-regulate-in-light-of-novel-coronavirus/>

Less Than Full Time Guidance available

<https://madeinheene.hee.nhs.uk/Portals/0/24032020%20HEE%20Statement%20Less%20Than%20Full%20Time%20Training%20circulation%20%281%29.pdf>

NICE guidance (updated regularly)

<https://www.nice.org.uk/covid-19>, <https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng159>

NHS Employers

<https://www.nhsemployers.org/>

Associated link – ESR New Values added relating to COVID19

<http://www.discover.esr.nhs.uk/publications/71-un2886-new-values-added-to-the-recruitment-source-list-of-values/file>

Nursing and Midwifery Council

<https://www.nmc.org.uk/news/news-and-updates/how-we-will-continue-to-regulate-in-light-of-novel-coronavirus/>

RCGP links

<https://www.rcgp.org.uk/policy/rcgp-policy-areas/covid-19-coronavirus.aspx>

<https://elearning.rcgp.org.uk/course/view.php?id=373>

Resources from Royal Colleges and other professional bodies [is updated here:](#)

Simulation

<https://stel.bmj.com/content/early/2020/03/11/bmjstel-2020-000609/>

World Health Organisation

COVID-19 Online training and simulation

<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/training/>

<https://openwho.org/courses/>