

Issue 116 - 9 October 2019

Primary Care Newsletter

Welcome to your weekly e-bulletin – Primary Care News.

Please share this newsletter with colleagues within your practice who might benefit from the information.

Please forward any items for inclusion (aimed at Practice Managers) on the attached article [template](#) no later than **Monday evening** each week to the Primary Care email address at barnsleyccg.primarycare@nhs.net

Reminders - Important dates

Dates for your diary

- **2019 BEST events** and **Primary Care Network** meeting dates and deadlines for booking cover are available [here](#)

Practice Invoice Numbering

Recently the CCG has had a number of issues regarding invoices that have been submitted to SBS with an invoice number on which has been used previously for a different invoice. When submitting invoices please can practices ensure that the invoice number being used has not been used before.

When a duplicate invoice number is used on an invoice, Shared Business Services (SBS) will reject and remove the invoice off Oracle. Unfortunately SBS do not inform the practice that this action has been taken and usually only comes to light when practices are chasing payment and significantly delays payment being made to practices.

Macmillan Hot Topics Event

The next Macmillan Hot Topics session is planned for Thursday 7th November, 6.30-8.00pm at Barnsley Hospice. The session will be delivered by Miss Julia Dicks, Consultant Breast Surgeon at Barnsley Hospital and will include management of common breast

conditions within primary care, when to refer, familial breast cancer and current treatment options including risk stratified follow up and holistic needs assessment.

This session is free to all primary care, and community, staff. There will be a light buffet from 6.00pm with the session starting at 6.30pm. Places are limited so please book by emailing Dr Steph Edgar, Macmillan GP on stephanie.edgar@nhs.net

New patient leaflet for Colorectal Service Telephone Triage Assessment

A new patient leaflet for the Colorectal Service Telephone Triage Assessment Service at Barnsley Hospital has been developed. Please find the leaflet [attached](#).

The Colorectal Service deals with patients who experience problems with the lower part of their Gastrointestinal tract, these can include conditions such as piles, irritable bowel syndrome, diverticular disease, and sometimes cancer. After referral the triage nurse will contact the patient by telephone within 3 days of referral.

For queries please contact Siobhan Lenzionowski on 01226 433 775 or siobhan.lenzionowski@nhs.net

NHSE Launching New Online Procurement Tool

NHS England and NHS Improvement is launching a new online procurement tool which will include a list of pre-approved GP providers that local commissioners can invite to deliver their local GP service needs, including caretaker services. This approach, known as Pseudo Dynamic Purchasing System (PDPS), is planned to be live from January 2020.

A series of national engagement events are being held for local commissioners and GP provider to attend and find out more. Follow this link to find out more and book your place.

<https://www.events.england.nhs.uk/national-dynamic-purchasing-system-events>

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Free EMIS web and SystemOne Training Workshops

For details of the upcoming EMIS web and SystemOne Training Workshops click on the links below:

- [EMIS web](#)

- SystemOne - awaiting new dates

Places on all courses are limited and will be offered on a first come first served basis.

<https://itselfservice.embedhealth.co.uk/> using the option "Clinical Software Training Request" or alternatively if you do not have log in details for the portal, or for any other queries, please contact the IT Service desk by telephone 0345 140 8000 or email IT_Servicedesk@embedhealth.co.uk

Direct Booking into GP Practices

Please find below booking links to two direct booking events being held in Leeds and Manchester along with a template agenda.

Leeds, 22 October 2019, Cloth Hall Court, Well Met

<https://www.pccevents.co.uk/2254>

Manchester, 20 November 2019, The Midland Hotel

<https://www.pccevents.co.uk/2257>

EMIS Practice Forum and webinar

Please find [attached](#) further information to the Practice Managers EMIS Webinar Event.

Celebrating General Practice 2019

The Royal College of General Practitioners are holding a celebration event on **9 November 2019**. Further information and booking details can be found [here](#).

Medical Student Teaching

The University of Sheffield Medical School is recruiting new practices to become involved in undergraduate teaching. Further information can be found [here](#) and also see the attached [e-flyer](#)

FREE training courses available on Skills Platform for Barnsley employees

Please click on the [link](#) to find out further information and to book onto **FREE** training courses on the skills platform. All courses are held at Barnsley Hospital and a summary of the courses available are below:

- Appraisal Objective Writing
- Coaching and Mentoring
- Coaching and assessing in Practice
- Confidence to study skills
- Leading a team
- Patient Care
- Resilience and Resources

Nursing Associate: Deployment and Sharing Best Practice Conference

Two conferences are being held across the North in October in order to:

- Celebrate the introduction of a new regulated member of the Nursing and Midwifery workforce
- Share how organisations across the region have pioneered and embraced the role to positively impact on patient outcomes and experience
- Hear practical examples of how our first qualified Nursing Associates have been deployed

Speakers are yet to be confirmed but are likely to include:

- Qualified Nursing Associates and their managers from a variety of settings
- NHS England / Improvement
- Nursing and Midwifery Council
- Care Quality Commission
- Trade Unions
- Education provider
- Employer representatives

The event is aimed at those in senior nursing and management roles from all health and social care settings looking to explore the introduction of the role.

The conferences will be taking place at:

- The Queens Hotel, City Square, Leeds, LS1 1PJ, from 10am to 4pm on **16 October**
- DoubleTree Hilton, 6 Sir Thomas Street, Liverpool, L1 6BR from 10am to 4pm on **30 October**

To book your place please click on the following [link](#)

An agenda will be circulated to those who book their place once it has been finalised.

Practice Manager Conference - 21 November 2019

South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw Primary Care Workforce and Training Hub would like to invite Practice Managers to save the date for the next Practice Managers Conference scheduled as follows:

Date: Thursday 21 November 2019

Venue: AESSAL New York Stadium, New York Way, Rotherham, S60 1FJ

Booking details and a full event programme will be circulated at a later date.

SCREENING AND IMMUNISATION

Yorkshire and the Humber Screening and Immunisation Update

Please find attached further information relating to Yorkshire and the Humber Screening and Immunisation Team update.
