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| **Welcome to this week’s edition of Practice News** |

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| ***This week’s introduction is from Queenie Goredema, the Deputy Chair of the CCG’s Equality and Diversity Network.***  Welcome to this week’s newsletter. Lots of useful information for you to read. As the Equality and Diversity Network Deputy Chair, it would be unnatural for me to not highlight the upcoming training sessions we have.  Further down, you will find the two events we have organised, open to our Primary Care colleagues. They are all free to attend and will provide insightful information about age inclusion and race. I strongly encourage you to register as soon as possible, as places are limited.  It may sound bias, but I am really proud of the work the network has achieved so far. Acting as a forum, it has given a voice to staff, offering them a space to come together, share experiences and facilitate learning and development. There has been a lot of positive feedback about our training sessions, so I’m sure you too, will find it beneficial!  If you’d like to find out more about the network or any upcoming events, please email: [cwccg.ally@nhs.net](mailto:cwccg.ally@nhs.net)  Have a great weekend. |

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| If you'd like to have Practice News and other relevant CCG updates sent to you directly, please email [cwccg.communications@nhs.net](mailto:cwccg.communications@nhs.net) |

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An agenda/papers will follow in due course.   * Please remember that the Member Practice Representative who should attend the above must be a Healthcare Professional as per the definition in Appendix 1 of the CCG’s Constitution. Member Practice Representatives are able to nominate their Practice Manager as their deputy, given that they understand that they are delegating the role as detailed in section 2.2 of the CCG’s Governance Handbook.   Meeting invitations have been sent out to representatives that we have listed however some of these may have changed.  Many thanks  Microsoft Teams meeting  **Join on your computer or mobile app**  [Click here to join the meeting](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKAN5-1/c.aspx)  If you are planning to use Teams for clinical purposes, it is important to review usage with your local Information Governance and Clinical Safety teams to determine and adhere to best practice around patient data management.    [Learn More](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKAN6-1/c.aspx) | [Help](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKAN7-1/c.aspx) | [Meeting options](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKAN8-1/c.aspx) | [Legal](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKAN9-1/c.aspx)  **Diabetes Prevention Programme**  Please see [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKB54-1/c.aspx) information on the programme.  **St Nicolas Medical Centre: New centre will help meet the growing demand for healthcare in Nuneaton**  A new medical centre in Nuneaton is set to open on Tuesday 3 May. Located in the Weddington area of Nuneaton, the St Nicolas Medical Centre will provide GP and primary care services for the growing community.  The new service for St Nicolas Medical Centre will use a combination of consultation methods, to ensure accessibility and choice for all patients. This will include face to face, telephone, online video and other digital methods of communication.  Patients will be offered continuing healthcare by a multi-disciplined team from 8am–6.30pm from Monday to Friday. As well as providing general medical services, the Centre will also offer a Wellbeing Service to registered patients. The wellbeing support will be offered via face to face, telephone or video appointments, with a Wellbeing Advisor supporting patients with various wellbeing needs, including healthy lifestyle advice e.g. smoking cessation, alcohol reduction, health promotion, health coaching and low-level mental health support.  [www.onemedicalgroup.co.uk/surgeries/st-nicolas-medical-centre](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKB55-1/c.aspx)  [Please see attached for surgery details.](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKB56-1/c.aspx)  **Primary Care BAME Women Sponsorship Programme letter**  Please find attached the [Primary Care BAME Women Sponsorship Programme letter](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKB57-1/c.aspx) endorsed by the Regional Director.  Purpose of the letter  The purpose of the letter is to inform ICSs about the *Primary Care BAME Women Sponsorship Programme* and ask you for your active support.  Programme Outcomes:   * Tackle issues raised in the Race and Staff Survey and WRES. ICSs have committed to address equitable representation in leadership positions. * Develop the career and leadership potential, retention and progression of Primary Care BAME women, who are under-represented in leadership roles. * Address population health inequalities by ensuring diversity in decision-making roles. * Build a more diverse and inclusive workforce in which contributions from all staff members are valued, which is directly linked to good patient care. * For more information I also [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKB58-1/c.aspx) the slides from the Welcome Event in April 2022.   If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact [Wendy.Walker@leadershipacademy.nhs.uk](mailto:Wendy.Walker@leadershipacademy.nhs.uk)  and [kuvy.seenan@england.nhs.uk](mailto:kuvy.seenan@england.nhs.uk)  **The future of telemedical abortion care**  Please see [attached communication from BPAS.](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKB59-1/c.aspx)  **Primary Care Education team Summer programme**  Please find [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKB5A-1/c.aspx) the Summer 2022 term Primary Care Education Programme, it can also be found on our webpage: [MedEd](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKB5B-1/c.aspx" \o "https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKB5B-1/c.aspx)  The education programme is open free to all clinicians, but you may also find nurse specific and other useful training on [www.cwtraininghub.co.uk](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKB5C-1/c.aspx).  Anyone is welcome to register and attend the Place PLT afternoons but you will only receive practice cover for the area in which you work.   The lunch meetings are suitable for all of C+W. No registration is required, just grab a drink and log into Zoom 1pm on a Wednesday, links are published  [On MedEd](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKB5D-1/c.aspx)48 hours before the meeting.  Just as a reminder the local tutors are:   * Coventry - Nish [nishan.wiratunga@nhs.net](mailto:nishan.wiratunga@nhs.net) and Claire [claire.donohue@nhs.net](mailto:claire.donohue@nhs.net) * S. Warks - David [David.Williams@shipstonmc.nhs.uk](mailto:David.Williams@shipstonmc.nhs.uk) * N.Warks - Emma  [Emma.Marks@nhs.net](mailto:Emma.Marks@nhs.net) * Rugby - Claire  [claire.donohue@nhs.net](mailto:claire.donohue@nhs.net) * GP education programme administrator Sarah on [gpteachingadmin@uhcw.nhs.uk](mailto:gpteachingadmin@uhcw.nhs.uk)   Any questions please email me on [maria.ceurstemont@nhs.net](mailto:maria.ceurstemont@nhs.net)    We are always happy to receive feedback and topic / speaker ideas so please to get in touch!  **National Sleep Helpline** We are sharing information about the National Sleep Helpline, a free resource, in the hopes that it can be distributed to health programmes in your region.  The helpline is run by trained sleep practitioners who can provide advice on a wide range of sleep needs. CAMHS often have long waiting lists for sleep support, GP's are overwhelmed with requests. School nurses, health visitors, SENCO's, and other professionals often lack specialist training in sleep. We are here to help!  The helpline is open 5 nights a week, Sunday to Thursday, 7-9pm and the number is 003303 530 541.  You can read more here: [https://thesleepcharity.org.uk/national-sleep-helpline/](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKBA0-1/c.aspx)  Please see attached a [flyer](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKBA1-1/c.aspx) and a [poster](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKBA2-1/c.aspx) for sharing.  **New Shingles Toolkit** Please find [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKBA3-1/c.aspx) the new Shingles Toolkit for your information. |  |  | | --- | | Training, events & surveys  **International Nurses Day - 12th May**  Please find [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKBHL-1/c.aspx) information about a local event taking place.      **Equality, Diversity & Inclusion Training Opportunities**  There are 2 events that have been organised by the CCG EDI Staff network who are extending their invitation to Primary Care, please see below:  **Age Inclusion in the workplace Webinar -provided by the AGE Scotland charity**  Tuesday 24th May 2022, 10.30-11.30  [**Book your place here!**](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKBHM-1/c.aspx)  This webinar will demonstrate the importance of tackling ageism in the workplace.  Age Scotland works with organisations that want to become more age-inclusive. Out of all the 9 protected characteristics, age is generally considered the' forgotten characteristic' and usually receives less attention than characteristics such as gender and race.  This webinar will demonstrate the importance of tackling ageism in the workplace. We cover:  • Why ageism matters  • What is an 'age inclusive' workplace  • What are the biases and myths about age in the workplace  • What you can do to make your organisation more age-inclusive    **It's about Race Training-  provided by the Diversity Trust**  Wednesday, 22nd June 13.00-14.30pm  [**Book your place here!**](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKBHN-1/c.aspx)  This course is aimed at those working in the private, public, social purpose, voluntary and community sectors and is relevant to all staff including volunteers, practitioners and managers.  The overall aim of the course is to educate individuals in organisations giving them a better, in-depth understanding of various forms of racism, as well as racial bias and the issues affecting the black community in the context of the current climate and black history.  The course has a focus on the topics of anti-racism and white privilege and looks to assist organisations in making practical and structural changes that contributes to a positive impact in the fight against racism and racial inequality.  The course includes:   * Scene Setting – Global, national and locally relevant. * Anti-Racism – What does this mean? * Privileges and Responsibilities. This includes: exploring White Privilege. * Racial Bias - A focus on Race and racism ‘challenging the isms’ * Having difficult conversations about Race - This includes Definitions, terms and language. * Micro-Racism: Micro-inequities and aggressions/behaviours. * Self-agency and becoming a ‘Change Agent’ This includes advice, guidance and tools in relation to identifying racial discrimination, harassment and bias.     **Pain Service Survey**  We request your help in completing the following one-minute questionnaire to improve the advice & guidance pathway for George Eliot Hospital NHS Trust. The deadline is Friday 13th May  [https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/NHSPainserviceSurvey](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKBHO-1/c.aspx)  **Welcome to General Practice Event - 19 May 2022**  We are supporting and celebrating doctors making the transition from training to working in general practice with a Welcome To General Practice event. The event is aimed at trainees and newly qualified GPs to help them understand the opportunities and support available to them as they embark on their career in general practice. It is being held on Thursday 19 May from 6-9pm and has been developed in partnership with NHS England, Health Education England, the GMC and RCGP.  Presented by doctors working in general practice, the agenda will provide information about the GP Fellowship scheme, the RCGP First Five scheme, working as a partner and how to develop a portfolio career, as well as what happens at CCT and appraisal.  Key speakers include Dr Nikki Kanani (Medical Director, NHS England & Improvement), Prof Simon Gregory (Deputy Medical Director, Health Education England) and Prof Dame Clare Gerada (President, Royal College of General Practitioners).  More information and registration for the event can be found here [Welcome to General Practice Event 2022 - Registration](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKBHP-1/c.aspx)    Newsletters  **April Immunisation Newsletter**  Please find attached the [April Immunisation Newsletter](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKC0X-1/c.aspx) for your information.  **May Healthier You NDPP Newsletter**  Please find [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKC0Y-1/c.aspx) for your information the Midlands NHS DPP Newsletter- May 2022 Edition.  **Quality Matters- May Newsletter**  Please find [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKC0Z-1/c.aspx).  **Weekly Round-Up from C&W Training Hub - 6.5.22**  Please find [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-ELACX-1/c.aspx).  Vacancies  **Salaried GPs and ANPs at Red Roofs Surgery**  Please see attached job adverts for**:**   * [Salaried GPs](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKC10-1/c.aspx) * [ANPs](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKC11-1/c.aspx)   **Salaried GP at Broomfield Park**  Please see attached job advert for [Salaried GP.](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-JDS7-3W4C1S-EKC12-1/c.aspx) | | |