

HEE NEY COVID-19 - Bulletin No 17 – 18TH JUNE

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.

Support for Care Homes (New)

Re-thinking the Reset – Support for Care Homes Online Seminar – 23 June 2.00-3.30pm
(Local Government Association, Directors of Adult Social Services and the NHS)

The aims for the on-line seminar are to:

- Reflect on the latest national guidance, planning and support arrangements across primary care, community services and social care
- Update on the Enhanced Care Homes Universal Support Offer
- Share learning from the recently completed Care Home Support Plans
- Hear how integrated support from Health & Care teams has impacted on citizens and their carers
- Showcase some of the wider developments and innovation across the region and how they have benefitted people who use the services

The seminar is aimed at people across the health and care sector, in leadership, commissioning and operational roles. **For further information and to book a place go to**

<https://www.events.england.nhs.uk/events/re-thinking-the-reset---support-for-care-homes-online-seminar-96735>

LATEST GUIDANCE AND STANDARDS

NHS Update on Shielding [available here](#) (New)

Aftercare needs of inpatients recovering from Covid-19 [available here](#) (New)

Minimising Nosocomial infections in the NHS letter [available here](#) (New)

National Guardian Freedom to Speak up and Workforce Race Equality Standard letter [available here](#) (New)

Patient Safety Covid 19 Update - NHS National Patient Safety team – Issue 4 [available here](#) (New)

NHE Employers - When is **Covid-19 RIDDOR** (the Reporting of Injuries, Diseases and Dangerous Occurrences) reportable? Updated links direct to NHS Employers [here](#) and diagram [available here](#) (Updated link)

Masks and Face Coverings

Toolkit masks and face coverings guidance – communications toolkit – [available here](#) (New)

FAQs on the use of face masks and coverings in hospital settings to prevent COVID-19 transmission [available here](#) (New)

Medical

RCS update to surgical prioritisation guide. <https://www.rcseng.ac.uk/coronavirus/surgical-prioritisation-guidance/> (New)

HEE guidance on **accrediting trainee experience** during the current crisis [available here](#) (New)

Dental

Standard operating procedure Transition to recovery (NHSE) [available here.](#) (New)

Urgent dental care SOP for the provision of urgent dental care in primary care dental settings (from 8 June 20) and designated urgent dental care provider sites [available here.](#) (New)

North East and Cumbria (specific updates)

Lead Employer Trust communication including FAQ's [can be found here.](#) (5 June)

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](#).

Apprenticeship hub bulletins

The latest bulletin, provides advice about managing apprenticeships during COVID-19 and the impact it will have on the delivery of apprenticeships. This can [be found here](#). (New 11 June)

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. The sessions will take place on Wednesday **24th June at 10 am** and Tuesday **14th July at 9 am**.

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>

Volunteers and Returning to Practice

N East and N Cumbria - for health workers returning to practice or anyone willing to volunteer, please **use our Online Form available here**.

Yorkshire and Humber Volunteers, please email us: PostgraduateDeansOffice.yh@hee.nhs.uk
(please include name, clinical role, previous grade, preferred area of work, preferred trust/area)

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

Health Education England e-Learning for Healthcare (HEE e-LfH) has recently added a new learning pathway for **health and care staff in Care Home settings** to its e-learning programme designed to help the health and care workforce respond to the Covid-19 pandemic and is available here [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 Statement: <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

A free on demand webinar has been released. Returning GPs and other Primary Care staff can register via our homepage 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 during the pandemic 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://covunisim.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.

Returning GPs

If you are a returning GP and need refresher clinical training, email EducationSupport.NE@hee.nhs.uk www.nbmedical.com has training available for those who register via us.

Educational guidance for doctors returning to (or joining) the primary care workforce during the Covid-19 pandemic [can be found here.](#)

Website Links and Guidance

HEE's national update page:

<https://www.hee.nhs.uk/coronavirus-information-trainees>

HEE NE's update page

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

HEE YH's update page

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

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 \(free access\)](#)

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>

General Medical Council

<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>

Heath 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>

NECS has recently published '10 THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT COVID-19 RESEARCH & EVIDENCE'

<https://www.necsu.nhs.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/2020-04-RandETeam-Bulletin-COVID-19.pdf>

NICE guidance (updated regularly)

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

NICE Critical Care Guidance

<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/>

PPE demonstrations (with and without aerosol) (Calderdale and Huddersfield NHS FT)

With aerosol: <https://youtu.be/KMMDi56KMaI>

Without aerosol: <https://youtu.be/vP7EeEIK3hk>

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/>