

NEW TO PARTNERSHIP

A TRAINING OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL NEW PARTNERS

Surrey & Sussex and Wessex LMCs are collaborating in an exciting new development to offer an 18-month development programme to support the New to Partnership training offer made this year by NHSE to new partners in general practice.

This offer is open to all new partners, including GPs, Nurses and other clinicians and becoming partners for the first time.

The programme will cover all the essential knowledge you need to become an effective Partner - and will also provide a forum for discussion, support and fun.

Due to the current restrictions on meeting face to face, the programme will initially be delivered wholly virtually. When the restrictions are lifted we intend to include some traditional face to face settings including a residential event to finish the programme.

The programme will consist of 18 half-day sessions, which we currently plan to run on a Thursday afternoon once a month.

The course will be led by Dr Gareth Bryant, Deputy CEO of Wessex LMCs and designer of its successful "Preparing for Partnership" programme run in 2019, and Dr Darren Tymens, an experienced GP educator, VTS Programme Director and Surrey and Sussex LMC Medical Director. Both are very experienced in managing the challenges facing general practice partnerships

We have also organised a number of prominent speakers to deliver interactive Educational sessions in the specialist areas of Law, Finance, HR & Premises. The speakers are all nationally recognised experts in their field.

We intend the course to be interactive and learner-centred; and to provide you with a network of colleagues that will continue beyond the course.

We are now looking for expressions of interest so that we can develop the programme further, and plan for an appropriate scale. Funding for new partners to undertake the course is available through an NHS bursary.

If you think this is for you, please contact your local LMC Office to an express an interest (which is not a commitment at this point), and we will be in touch soon with further details.

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