

Good Afternoon Practice Nurses

Welcome to the latest Manchester Practice Nurse e-news email.

If you have information, resources, articles, news, events or questions you would like to share with Practice Nurses across the city, please email me at val.bayliss-brideaux@nhs.net

Manchester City-wide Practice Nurse E-bulletin (05.07.13)

- **Diary Date:** You are all invited to the first North, Central and South Manchester Clinical Commissioning Groups city-wide Practice Nurse meeting which will be hold on **Wednesday 31st July 12pm-2pm** in the **Large Meeting Room at Ancoats Primary Care Centre**. The Primary Care Centre address is Old Mill Street, Ancoats, M4 6EE. There is car parking at the centre including meters and a large car par. Please note that the car parking is not free.

Agenda items for the meeting include:

- An update on the Francis Report and Manchester Clinical Commissioning Groups response to it
- An update on the 6 C's of nursing
- An update on nursing homes work

If you are interested in attending please email val.bayliss-brideaux@nhs.net

- **Cervical Cytology Update Training:** Please click [here](#) to read the training available from the Manchester Cytology Training Centre. The NHS Greater Manchester Screening and Immunisation team is currently scoping out how, when and where to deliver updates to CCGs and further information will be circulated when it is available.

For North Manchester CCG Practice Nurses

- **Diary Date:** The next North Manchester Practice Nurse Forums take place on Monday 15th July and Friday 19th July from 12:30 to 2:00pm. The meetings will take place at Unit 73, Cariocca Centre, 2 Sawley Road, Miles Platting, M40 8BB. Lunch is provided and the meeting will be facilitated by Jackie McKinlay and Janette Hogan.

For South Manchester CCG Practice Nurses

- Please note with effect from the 1st July 2013 **Kingsway Medical Practice**, Burnage practice phone number will be changing from 0844 477 3625 to **0344 477 3625**
- Thank to everyone who has shown an interest in the educational session which will be taking place on Thursday 18th July from 12pm-2pm in Meeting Room 1 at Forum Health, Simonsway, Wythenshawe on the first floor. The topics of the educational session will be:
 - A 30 minute demonstration on the new Watch Blood Pressure Monitors that have been supplied to south GP practices with a question and answer session
 - A presentation on Diabetes Foot complications and how to undertake a 2 minute foot examination

- Training and an update on the evidence- base around weight management from a dietician from the Community Nutrition Team. Practices that access the training can also access free written resources for patients.

Many thanks Val

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