

**ADEPT Training**

**Advancing Diabetes care Excellence through Pharmacy Team Training**

Dear Pharmacist

**Advancing Diabetes care Excellence through Pharmacy Team Training (ADEPT): Pharmacists leading diabetes excellence in their community**

The West Midlands Diabetes Expert Advisory Group and Sustainability Transformation Partnerships (STPs) are looking to develop new approaches to Diabetes Care in the community and to enhance workforce skills to provide new services. The ADEPT programme has been developed by clinical experts and aims to support improving diabetes care outcomes based on NDA, NICE and Diabetes UK standards.  You can hear more about the programme [here.](https://www.vimeo.com/310518210)

NHS England have commissioned Coventry University to support delivery of ADEPT across the West Midlands, which is provided **free of charge** for community pharmacists working in the West Midlands STPs.

The programme will enable you to:

* Confidently formulate and implement an evidence-based, multi-factorial, patient-centred Diabetes Care Plan
* Promote knowledge, skills and attitudes in Patients that supports patient empowerment towards high standards of diabetes care.
* Continue as trained HCPs in diabetes care and undertake relevant continuing professional development activities to embed knowledge and skills into routine clinical practice
* Be at the forefront of future service developments for delivering diabetes care within the community as required by the Diabetes Transformation Project.

The course is 6 weeks in duration and can be accessed entirely online (self-directed study), or with the option to attend face to face sessions on Week 1 and Week 6 at venues across the West Midlands. Support is provided by academic healthcare professionals at Coventry University, either via the portal, email or face to face tutorials. Self-directed study is guided by teaching aids and study material on the portal, and quizzes enable progress to be self-monitored.

To confirm and recognise learning delegates will be asked to submit a written case study up to 3 months after completing the programme, for review. It is intended to seek formal accreditation of the programme in due course.

***“Prof Patel’s dedication and enthusiasm is infectious”***

***“The only cost to the pharmacist is time and study.”***

**Feedback from previous delegates:**

***“Excellent course, very well delivered”***

***“More of the same please”***

***“An opportunity not to be missed’’***

***“Very informative and comprehensive course”***

The course content and venues for attending face to face sessions on Week 1 and Week 6 are attached. For maximum flexibility, you are welcome to attend any week 1 session and then any week 6 session, and you may also study the online content in any order. All study must be complete by 9th April 2019.

**Registration** is via Eventsforce:

[https://www.eventsforce.net/cu/5404/home](https://emea01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.eventsforce.net%2Fcu%2F5404%2Fhome&data=02%7C01%7Cac5646%40coventry.ac.uk%7C1839a0e63fd34ee5fbfa08d67c7993f2%7C4b18ab9a37654abeac7c0e0d398afd4f%7C0%7C0%7C636833258946051319&sdata=Zi3fCPNyWP0HNSVsaFvnjvVwclvVaksMBlTSWn4ZNgA%3D&reserved=0)

**Course Details**

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| **Course Structure** | **Delivery Mode** |
| **Week 1:** ADEPT – Introduction | **Face to Face** |
| **Week 2:** Diabetes Care Essentials | **Self-directed study** |
| * Understand the essential clinical processes and targets in diabetes care
* Understand the evidence base for the Alphabet Strategy approach
* Learn to implement care plans and enhance consultation skills
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| **Week 3:** Setting up your Community Pharmacy based diabetes care initiative | **Self-directed study** |
| * Understand the rationale for use of pharmacological interventions
* Learn and discuss NICE guidelines for lifestyle, BP control, cholesterol and diabetes control
* Understand how a reflection framework can enhance delivery of high quality impactful interventions
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| **Week 4:** Diabetes complications | **Self-directed study** |
| * Learn about complications and emergencies
* Learn about foot examination, recording findings and local pathways for referral for further foot care
* Learn about diabetic retinopathy screening programmes and patterns of referral
* Translate learning into clinical practice through case discussion
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| **Week 5:** Diabetes care moving forward | **Self-directed study** |
| * Learn about diabetes care in special circumstances: pregnancy; Ramadan; driving
* Review of local practice
* Discuss your cases for personal and shared learning
* Prepare for clinical audit, case reflection and final accreditation
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| **Week 6**: Summary | **Face to face** |

**Face to face sessions:**

**All Sessions run 7-9pm**

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| **Week 1: Introduction** | **Week 6: Summary** |
| 05/02/2019 | The Hallmark Hotel B16 9RY | 19/03/2019 | Edgbaston Stadium B5 7QU |
| 12/02/2019 | Greene King – Himley House DY3 4LD | 26/03/2019 | Ramada Wolverhampton Park Hall Hotel WV4 5AJ |
| 19/02/2019 | Worcestershire County Cricket Club WR2 4QQ | 02/04/2019 | Worcestershire County Cricket Club WR2 4QQ |
| 26/02/2019 | Citrus Hotel Coventry CV8 3DY | 09/04/2019 | Radcliffe Warwick Conferences CV4 7AL |

Face to face sessions are optional but highly recommended based on previous feedback.

Delegates may opt to attend at any venue but should indicate their intention when registering.