

Islington CEPN

Integrated student nurse placements

Overview

The Integrated student nurse placements aims to develop a range of placement experiences for **pre registered nursing students** across **secondary and primary care as well as community settings including voluntary sector**. Students are to be equipped with knowledge, skills and desire to undertake the more flexible roles needed to deliver integrated care across a variety of settings, in line with the local integrated care vision.

A Hub and spoke model has been developed to incorporate wider system student placements and **increase experience and learning opportunities**. Students are based with **Whittington Health - the hub**, for their placement and spend **shorter placements in primary and community settings**. These ranges from care homes, GP practices, voluntary sector organisations or acute in-patient settings. A new cohort of 5 week student placements began in December 2015. A **directory of placement opportunities** is being developed. A new student placement is also developed with Pentonville Prison.

Urgent and Acute Care Fellowship

Overview

Health Education North Central and East London is offering salary support of £30,000 (per fellow) to the **first cohort of their Fellowship in Urgent and Acute Care**. The posts allow **Primary Care Health Professionals (post-training)** to **develop a special interest in urgent and acute care** and the interface between primary and secondary care services. **80% of the time** will be spent in **clinical settings** and **20%** will be spent on **academic study** leading to a **postgraduate certificate** qualification.

During the **12 month Fellowship programme**, the Fellow will spend **two days a week** as a team member of a **emergency medicine departments (ED)**, **urgent care centres (UCC)**, and **rapid response teams** to gain experience in ambulatory care and the provision of care for step-down patients in the community.

The academic element of the programme commenced early January 2016 and all fellows will have all started their clinical placements by February 2016.

Find out more contact

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Alignment to workforce key findings

Population determined health needs – Coproduction Training Programme

Overview

Camden and Islington NHS Foundation Trust, the Camden and Islington Recovery College and other partners are offering an innovative programme that demonstrates principles of coproduction whilst delivering quality training to health and social care staff on key areas related to the health of the Islington population. The proposed programme utilises and encourages the voice and perspectives of patients of primary care and brings the Islington offer into the places where integrated teams work. This programme offered **two hour sessions**, co-created and conducted by facilitators offering both a professional and personal perspective on the themes.

Integrated Care Certificate Training

Overview

Whittington Health **piloted Integrated Care Certificate Training** in June 2014 for **multi professionals across sectors** including **GP practices** and **care homes staff**. Building on the findings of the pilot **4 day training is now offered on the care standards**, of which one day is spent on portfolio development. **On going support** and **one day training** is provided for **assessors** as part of **quality assurance**. This **training is free** to participants. The training is offered across Islington and Haringey to ensure economies of scale and to maximise learning opportunities. **Middlesex University** undertook an **evaluation of the pilot** Integrated Care Certificate Training. The **evaluation report** was launched in November 2015