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# Non Medical Prescribing for Wound Care

For Current and Aspiring Non Medical Prescribers

Monday 25th March 2019, De Vere W1 Conference Centre, London

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## Chair and Speakers include:

**Prof Jackie Stephen-Haynes**

*Professor & Consultant Nurse in Tissue Viability  
Worcestershire Health and Care NHS Trust  
& Chair Wound Care Alliance UK*

**Lynn Welsh**

*Lecturer and Programme Leader  
for Non Medical Prescribing  
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This important national conference provides an essential update for current and aspiring non medical prescribers on prescribing for wound care. Wound care is a growing area of non medical prescribing and one of the most common areas, it essential that nurse prescribers maintain the competence and skills to prescribe for wound management in an effective way, working with patients to improve wound management outcomes.

Through national updates and practical case studies including acute care, district nursing and community, pressure ulcer management, wound care, oncology pressure ulcers & malignant wounds, moisture lesions and venous eczema the conference will look at how to develop and maintain prescribing competence, and how to develop effectiveness in post qualification practice. Delegates will also explore how to apply the Competency Framework for all Prescribers to wound care. The Royal Pharmaceutical Society's Competency Framework for all Prescribers was recently adopted as the NMC's standards of competency for prescribing practice which will come into effect from 28 January 2019.

This conference will enable you to:

- Network with colleagues who are working to improve non-medical prescribing practice for wound care
- Learn from outstanding practice in prescribing dressings, topical agents, bandages and medication
- Reflect on national developments and best practice evidence
- Improve the way you use the National Prescribing Competency Framework to assess and maintain competence in prescribing practice
- Develop your skills in improving wound care outcomes
- Promote rational prescribing by encouraging the safe, effective, appropriate and economic use of dressing therapy
- Understand the range of wound care management prescribed and new products on the horizon
- Identify key strategies for pressure ulcer management and reduction
- Learn from experienced non medical prescribers and case studies in various clinical areas
- Understand how to audit and self assess and reflect on your own practice
- Gain cpd accreditation points contributing to professional development and revalidation evidence

100% of delegates at our previous conference on this subject would recommend it to a colleague

**10.00 Chair's welcome:**  
**EXTENDED SESSION: Non Medical Prescribing for Wound Care**

**Prof Jackie Stephen-Haynes**

*Professor & Consultant Nurse in Tissue Viability  
Worcestershire Health and Care NHS Trust  
& Chair Wound Care Alliance UK*

- non medical prescribing for wound care: where are we now?
- what are nurses prescribing for wound care?
- the range of wound care management prescribed and new products on the horizon
- improving wound care outcomes
- prescribing for pain relief
- issues and challenges around prescribing for wound care
- audit and self assessment of practice

11.10 Questions & answers, followed by coffee & exhibitions 11.20

**11.50 EXTENDED SESSION: Improving Prescribing Competence and Effectiveness  
Using the National Competency Framework**

**Liz Williams**

*Senior Lecturer, Non-Medical Prescribing Programme Director  
Canterbury Christchurch University*

- assessing and evaluating prescribing competence
- using the prescribing competency dimensions for prescribing governance in practice
- using the framework as part of the NMC revalidation process
- governance of non medical prescribing roles
- demonstrating prescribing governance
- interactive discussion

**12.40 Improving Wound Care Outcomes  
Developing, demonstrating and maintaining continued competence in Prescribing for Wound Care**

**Caryn Carr**

*Lead Tissue Viability Nurse Specialist  
Southern Health Foundation Trust*

- wound management competencies
- developing, demonstrating and maintaining continued competence in Nurse Medical Prescribing for wound management
- the prescribing and use of dressings: governance and accountability
- developing your skills in providing a more effective wound management plan
- ensuring your practice is evidence based: guidelines and evidence
- developing and using a wound care prescribing framework
- keeping your prescribing knowledge up-to-date: accessing education, training and resources

13.10 Questions & answers, followed by lunch & exhibitions 13.20

**Case studies in practice**

**14.00 Improving community and district non medical prescribing for wound care**

**Lynn Welsh**

*Lecturer and Programme Leader for Non Medical Prescribing  
Programme University of the West of Scotland and formerly  
Community Clinical Nurse Specialist in Tissue Viability/Vascular  
NHS Greater Glasgow and Clyde*

- how can we improve community prescribing for wound management
- improving practice: common conditions and case studies
- what is the patient view of non medical prescribing for wound management?

**14.30 The non medical prescribers role in managing venous eczema and treating infected venous eczema**

**Linda Nazarko OBE**

*Consultant Nurse Physical Healthcare  
West London Mental Health NHS Trust*

- diagnosis and treatment of infected venous eczema
- diagnosis of venous eczema
- the role of topical steroids in managing flare ups
- the role of emollient therapy in maintaining skin health
- the role of compression therapy in maintaining health and comfort

15.00 Questions & answers, followed by coffee & exhibitions

**15.30 Non Medical Prescribing for Oncology Pressure Ulcers & Malignant Wounds**

**Teresa Rocha**

*Aesthetic Nurse Practitioner and Prescriber  
Former Clinical Nurse Specialist in Tissue Viability  
Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust*

- non medical prescribing for oncology pressure ulcers and malignant wounds
- training and educating independent prescribers to improve prescribing practice
- prescribing at the end of life
- my experience

**16.00 Incontinence associated dermatitis and moisture lesions**

**Linda Nazarko OBE**

*Consultant Nurse Physical Healthcare  
West London Mental Health NHS Trust*

- Understanding how common Incontinence associated dermatitis (IAD)
- Identifying moisture lesions
- How to reduce the risks of IAD and moisture lesions
- Treating IAD and moisture lesions

16.30 Questions & answers, followed by close

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Date Monday 25th March 2019

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