

National GP Federation Showcase 2015

- When :** Thursday 15th October 2015, 9.30am - 4.00pm
- Where :** Manchester Town Hall, Albert Square, M60 2LA
- Cost :** £75 + VAT for practice and federation delegates
£150 + VAT for other attendees
- CPD:** 4.5 hours of non-clinical training for CPD purposes

Chaired by the acclaimed Dr James Kingsland OBE, this full day showcase is a perfect opportunity for federations and GP practices considering federating to gain the latest insight into topical issues and opportunities for federations.

Delivered by expert speakers on legal and financial issues for federations and by members of federations from around the country, the day will cover a range of topics including:

- » Developments in the health service, including the NHS 5 year plan and new models of care
- » Vanguard projects
- » Legal and financial issues for federations
- » Case studies and key learning points from federations
- » Competition and procurement rules
- » An acute trust perspective

This event will provide delegates with an opportunity to share experiences, gain helpful tips and network with peers making this a must attend event.

Confirmed speakers include:

Dr James Kingland OBE (Chair)

James is the Senior Partner in a nationally renowned, award winning General Practice in the North West and non-executive director of Clatterbridge Cancer Centre NHS Foundation Trust. He has regularly worked as a GP advisor to Ministers, Government and the Department of Health, as well as being President of the National Association of Primary Care and Clinical Lead for the National Primary Care Network.

Scott McKenzie, Director, Scott McKenzie UK Ltd

Scott has worked in the healthcare sector for over 17 years. He is now widely recognised as a leading provider of specialist support to developing GP federations.

Alison Oliver, Associate, Ward Hadaway

Alison specialises in advising GPs and other healthcare providers on commercial and regulatory law relevant to the sector. She has helped set up numerous GP provider federations around the country and advises on healthcare contracting matters.

Sarah Podesta, Associate, Ward Hadaway

Sarah advises NHS and other healthcare organisations on issues relating to competition, procurement and contracting. She has worked within the Co-operation and Competition Panel and Monitor, and has a master's degree in Healthcare Policy and Management.

Keith Taylor, Head of Medical Services / Managing Director, BW Medical Accountants

Keith has worked in the accountancy profession for over 32 years, latterly specialising in the delivery of specialist accountancy and taxation services to over 145 GP practices and healthcare professionals across England.

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Dr Antony Moore, Chair, Newcastle GP Services Ltd

Antony is a GP with a keen interest in occupational health.

Sarah Cousins, 1st Care Cumbria Ltd

Sarah is Practice Manager of Maryport GP Practice in Cumbria.

Dr David Humphreys, Wigan Borough Federated Healthcare Ltd

David is a GP Partner at Dr Munro & Partners in Wigan.

Dr Jonathan Gregson, GP, The Helsby & Elton Practice

Jonathan is a GP in The Helsby & Elton Practice and Lead GP for Primary Care Cheshire, one of the first 29 NHS England Vanguard Sites.

Programme

09.30 – Registration, refreshments, exhibition and networking

10.00 – Overview of developments in the health service – opportunities and threats for general practice and federations (Chair, Dr James Kingsland)

10.15 – All that glitters is not gold – identifying opportunities, generating income for practices, knowing when to say no (Scott McKenzie)

10.45 – Newcastle GP Services Ltd – Case Study (Dr Antony Moore)

11.00 – Refreshments, exhibition and networking

11.25 – Legal considerations for federations (Alison Oliver)

11.55 – Wigan Borough Federated Healthcare – Case Study (Dr David Humphreys)

12.10 – A view from a Trust (TBC)

12.30 – Collective purchasing – Case Study (Peter Masters, Caradoc)

12.45 – 13.30 Lunch, exhibition and networking

13.30 – Financial management and record keeping (Keith Taylor)

14.00 – 1st Care Cumbria – Case Study (Sarah Cousins)

14.15 – NHS competition and procurement rules, optimising chances of success, avoiding pitfalls (Sarah Podesta)

14.45 – Refreshments, exhibition and networking

15.10 – Report from a Vanguard site, lessons for federations (Dr Jonathan Gregson, Primary Care Cheshire)

15.30 – Panel discussion/questions and answers

15.55 – Chair's closing remarks

16.00 – Close

(programme is subject to change)

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