South West Professional Conference

Diabetes: Moving forward in knowledge

Wednesday 9 October 2019

Taunton Racecourse, Orchard Portman
Taunton, Somerset TA3 7BL
Plenary sessions

09.15  Registration, refreshments, exhibition stands

09.45  Welcome by Chair:
        Chris Askew – Chief Executive, Diabetes UK

10.00  Remission of Type 2 diabetes – making it a reality in primary care
        Professor Philip Evans - GP and Associate Professor in General Practice and Primary Care, College of Medicine & Health, University of Exeter

10.50  Immunotherapy: Stopping Type 1 diabetes in its tracks
        Professor Colin Dayan - Professor of Clinical Diabetes and Metabolism, Cardiff University School of Medicine

11.30  Tea and coffee

11.50  Breakout session 1

12.40  Lunch

13.35  Patient experience

13.55  Breakout session 2

14.45  Tea and coffee

15.05  Emotional and psychological health - the impact on diabetes
        Kate Hardenberg - Specialist Diabetes Psychotherapist, Royal United Hospital Bath

15.45  Delivering the best diabetes care across boundaries – what does good look like?
        Dr Marc Atkin - Consultant in Diabetes and Endocrinology, Royal United Hospital Bath, Diabetes Clinical Lead, SW Cardiovascular Network, NHS England

16.30  Roundup and close by Chair:
        Chris Askew – Chief Executive Diabetes UK
        Phaedra Perry – South West Regional Head, Diabetes UK
Breakout sessions

The conference includes two breakout sessions. Please choose two from the following five sessions and indicate your choice on the booking website. If for any reason your choice becomes unavailable we will contact you for a further choice.

1. Diabetic Foot Screening: Quick evidence based techniques to assess patient risk of developing diabetic foot ulcers
   Anita Cassidy - Diabetes Foot Protection Lead, Livewell Plymouth
   Dr Joanne Paton - Podiatry & Diabetic Foot Protection Podiatrist & Lecturer, University of Plymouth and Livewell Southwest

2. Staying emotionally resilient - the basics
   Alex Berry - National Diabetes Audit Engagement Lead, Diabetes UK

3. Deciphering current dietary trends in diabetes - a practical guide
   Isabel Hooley - Diabetes Specialist Dietitian

4. Step by step – the path to better results
   Victoria Ruszala - Diabetes Specialist Pharmacist, North Bristol NHS Trust and BaNES CCG

5. Getting the diagnosis right for people with diabetes
   Dr Angus Jones - NIHR Clinician Scientist/Honorary Consultant Physician, University of Exeter Medical School/Royal Devon & Exeter Hospital

Please book your two workshops at the same time as registering to attend.

Registering information

Registration is essential to reserve a place. Please book early to avoid disappointment.

Booking and payment for the conference is online via: https://eu.eventscloud.com/dukswpc2019

Cancellations will only be accepted up to 14 days prior to the event, after which the full fee will be charged. Cost to delegates £35pp, includes midday meal and refreshments.

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Thank you

We acknowledge and appreciate the support given by our exhibitors for this conference. Please see registration website for details of all exhibitors/pharmaceutical companies, and your delegate pack on the day for full listings and room plan.

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