

Lincolnshire LMC Weekly Update - 27/08/2021

Lincolnshire LMC's weekly update is an overview of our published information relevant to practices.

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All of our weekly updates can be found on our website: www.lincslmc.co.uk/weeklyupdates

Important Updates



LMC Job opportunity: Practice Support Officer

An exciting opportunity is available for an experienced manager with General Practice experience to join the LMC team.

The main purpose of the job is to provide support services to GP practices across Lincolnshire; in addition to supporting the existing LMC secretariat.

To view this job listing along with with the full job description and person specification please go to: [LMC Practice Support Officer – Lincolnshire LMC](#)

We have produced a collection of infographics for Lincolnshire general practices to use on their websites and social media. All of our infographics can be found on our website page: [Lincolnshire LMC: General Practice Infographics](#)

This week we have produced a new general practice infographic: 'Stay safe' which outlines the need to stay safe and follow government guidelines.

Stay safe – protect your yourself, family and friends

The Covid-19 vaccine is highly effective but a small percentage of people can still get ill from Covid-19 although vaccinated. You can also pass the virus on to others that are not vaccinated

Everyone should continue to:



New Guidance

Our Guidance section is updated weekly and can be found at: www.lincolnshirelmc.co.uk/guidance. Our News section is also updated regularly with headlines and hot topics and can be found at: www.lincolnshirelmc.co.uk/news.

This week's guidance articles are as follows, for the full guidance please click on the links below:

- **Palliative Care and Pre-emptive planning**
: www.lincolnshirelmc.co.uk/performance/palliativecareandpreemptiveplanning
- **Non-specific symptoms 2-week-wait pathway:** www.lincolnshirelmc.co.uk/nonspecificsymptoms2weekwaitpathway
- **Personalised Asthma Plans:** www.lincolnshirelmc.co.uk/personalisedasthmaactionplans

FAQ Updates

COVID-19 FAQs

We regularly update our COVID-19 FAQ document with relevant and helpful information. To view our past and current COVID-19 FAQ documents please go to: www.lincolnshirelmc.co.uk/covid19

Most recent COVID-19 FAQ Document: [Lincolnshire LMC FAQs Updated 26.08.2021](#)

FAQs updated in this most recent document:

- What is the Post Positive PCR Antibody Testing Initiative (PPPATI) and how will it affect practices?

Webinars & Podcasts

Lincolnshire LMC has produced a range of educational webinars and podcast directed at practice members. To find out more please go to: www.linclsmc.co.uk/educationalwebinars for webinars and www.linclsmc.co.uk/podcasts for our podcasts.

Our most recent webinars and podcasts:

- **Webinar - SystmOne Training Part 1: Reporting -** www.linclsmc.co.uk/nonclinicalwebinars
- **Podcast - Episode 14: How to become a GP Trainer -** www.linclsmc.co.uk/podcasts

Training and Upcoming Events

You can book onto any of our training or events through: www.linclsmc.co.uk/events

Below are our upcoming events, to book onto these events please click the links below:

- **Active Bystander Training** - Lincolnshire LMC Committee members discussed a recent report produced by Humberside LMC which looked into practice staff experiences regarding racism and discrimination. Our committee recognised that Lincolnshire practice staff are also experiencing this behaviour on a daily basis. As a result of these discussions, Lincolnshire LMC has arranged two training to empower staff to challenge this behaviour and achieve positive outcomes.

The first session is on **7th September** 19:00-20:30hrs and the second on **19th October** 12:30-14:00hrs, these sessions are available to all practice staff.

- **Virtual Practice Manager's Day** - Thursday 7th October: SAVE THE DATE! Further information coming soon.
- **Managing the Unmanageable!** Lincolnshire LMC GP Conference Thursday 25th November: Agenda now available to view the [LMC website](#)

Please let us know if you require training that is not available elsewhere, we keep track of training needs in Lincolnshire and may be able to help you find a course.

LMC Monthly Newsletter

To view our **July 2021 newsletter** please go to: www.linclsmc.co.uk/newsletters

Lincolnshire LMC Committee Meeting:

The next Lincolnshire LMC committee meeting is scheduled for: **Thursday 9th September 2021.**

We welcome and encourage constituents to attend as observers; if you would like to attend the next committee meeting, please contact: rosa.wyldeman@nhs.net

There is a limited number of attendees for each committee meeting so please contact us as soon as possible.

All past committee meeting reports can be found
at: www.linclmc.co.uk/lmccommitteemeetingreports

Other News / Reminders

NHS Access Improvement Programme -Demand and Capacity modular sessions for Midlands practices and PCNs:

An introduction to Demand, Capacity and Variation including the theory behind them, why this is important and the practical application in primary care settings. Dates for Session 1: **Thursday 23rd September 2021, 12.30 – 14.00 & Thursday 30th September 2021, 12.30 – 14.00.**

To book a place on any of the session, click the link: [Demand and Capacity modular session I booking form](#)

'Beneath the White Coat: Doctors, their minds and mental health' - Book Review and Discussion with Author Clare Gerada. Monday 13th September 2021, 18:30 to 20:00hrs via Zoom. For more information and to book a place [click here](#).

Support Your Surgery - new GPC England campaign launched - The Support Your Surgery campaign provides GP practices with the tools to both manage expectations and provide patients with the reality of issues facing general practice. Alongside this they have also launched a petition calling on the government to provide the urgent resourcing needed to increase the number of GPs in England.

CLICK HERE to sign the petition. Full article can be found at: [Lincolnshire LMC: Support your Surgery](#).