



Weekly operational update for local general practice

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Welcome to Insight, Devon Local Medical Committee's short weekly operational update for GPs and practice managers.

Get the latest information on primary care networks at our AGM

Dr Krishna Kasaraneni, from the General Practitioners' Committee's (GPC) Executive Team, is the keynote speaker at the LMC's Annual General Meeting and will provide an overview on developments in general practice – from primary care networks to workforce issues.

The AGM will take place at Exeter Racecourse on Wednesday, 15 May, from 4-6:30pm. Please confirm your attendance to richard.turner@devonlmc.org by Wednesday, 1 May, as part of the logistical planning for the event.

New blog on indemnity

Dr Mark Sanford-Wood, from the GPC Executive Team and a Medical Secretary at the LMC, has written a new blog to provide an overview on the state-backed indemnity scheme, which launched this week. Read more [here](#).

New South Devon and Torbay LMC Sub-Committee Chair

Dr Ian Morris, a Partner at Leatside Surgery, in Totnes, has successfully been elected as the new Chair of the South Devon and Torbay LMC Sub-Committee.

Practice Managers' Conference 2019 – save the date

The LMC's Practice Managers' Conference will be held on Wednesday, 30 October, 2019. Please save the date and email your expressions of interest to attend to debra.byam@devonlmc.org

We will work closely with the Pan Devon Practice Managers' Group on the agenda. More details – including the agenda, venue and how to book – will be communicated in due course.

GPC Elections

The GPC regional representative elections have concluded – Dr Bruce Hughes was re-elected for South and West Devon and Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly for 2019-2022. Dr Rachel Ali was re-elected to the GPC for the 2019-20 session.

Sessional GP Sub-committee Elections – nominations open

Elections for the GPC's Sessional GP Sub-Committee – including the South West – are taking place online for the 2019-22 period. Nominations are open now and will close at 12pm on Thursday, 18 April, 2019. For more information, and to participate in the election, click [here](#).

Enquiries to the LMC

We respectfully ask local practices to direct general enquiries to the LMC to its generic email address at admin@devonlmc.org rather than routing them to specific staff email addresses, for business continuity purposes.

Latest LMC monthly newsletter out now

The latest LMC monthly newsletter has just been issued and includes an overview of the value of national LMC conferences, developments about primary care networks and a safeguarding update. Read more [here](#).