Support your patients, improve your knowledge
Developed in association with Diabetes UK, this workshop is designed for primary healthcare professionals who want to enhance their skills and knowledge in caring for people with Type 2 diabetes.

Through innovative learning methods, including informal lectures, interactive practical sessions and case studies delivered by expert practising clinicians, you will gain a deeper understanding of how diabetes is treated and holistically managed in order to prevent long term complications.

In an atmosphere which fosters discussion and active learning, you will develop the necessary knowledge to deliver advanced diabetes care, and learn to use appropriate techniques to increase patient ownership of diabetes.

By developing multiple approaches to diabetes care and improving patient engagement you will be in a stronger position to support your patients and use resources more effectively. To support your continued progression and implement change in your practice, you will develop a plan of action to take back into practice.

You will learn to...
- Evaluate therapy options including injectable therapies and explore their appropriate use with individual patients.
- Consider intensification of medication after metformin, through to triple therapy and beyond, focusing on the licence issues and drug interrelationalship
- Recognise and support people with “diabetic burn-out.”
- Provide appropriate preconception care and advice
- Implement care in more complex cases such as renal impairment and co-morbidities
- Effectively use Diabetes UK resources and support which are available to healthcare professionals and the public
- Implement a plan of action to support enhancements in practice

Treat all aspects of diabetes effectively from the start...

‘As the prevalence of type 2 diabetes soars, primary care is taking greater responsible for treating people with this condition from diagnosis and beyond. GPs and primary care nurses are therefore increasingly likely to see more complex cases which previously may have been seen in secondary care clinics. These patients often have specific needs requiring a higher level of expertise from their primary healthcare team. This day has been designed with those needs in mind’

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