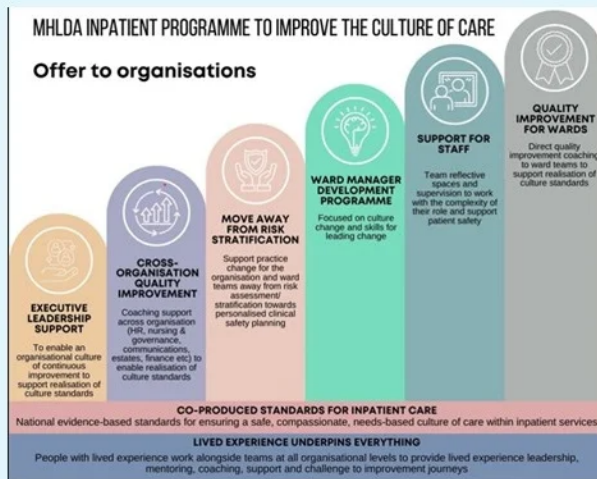




The FoNS Weekly News

Realising the Cultures of Care Standards



The FoNS Ward Manager Development Programme: Part of the NHS England's Mental Health, Learning Disability and Autism (MHLDA) Inpatient Quality Transformation Programme

Calling all Ward Leaders in Mental Health, Autism and Learning Disability

We are delighted to announce that we have been commissioned to deliver a Ward Manager Leadership Development Programme as part of NHS England's Mental

Health, Learning Disability and Autism (MHLDA) Inpatient Quality Transformation Programme.

The first groups of FoNS's fully funded Inpatient Ward Leader Programme will begin in November and so if you are an inpatient ward leader, now is the time to talk to your line manager and Head of Nursing about this opportunity.

There are [more details on our website](#). Please share with any Mental Health, Autism and Learning Disability ward leaders you know.

Any queries, please email culturesofcare@fons.org

RBCS Facilitator Network

We have our second RBCS Facilitator Network session on 18 September 2024, 10am – 11am. We will be joined by Professor Gemma Stacey who is going to talk to us about evaluation.

This event is open to anyone who has completed a RBCS programme. Visit the RBCS [Facilitator Network pages](#) to sign up to the RBCS monthly newsletter for a reminder nearer the time, to join the Facebook group and for the link to the event.

Call for abstracts

PerCIE: Personalised Care Interprofessional Education Network

Call for abstracts: Rebalancing Perspectives: Knowing Me, Knowing You

Event date: Thursday 21 November 2024 (online, free)

Deadline extended 20 September

[Find out more and submit your abstract](#)

RCN Foundation Education and Career development Grants

These grants aim to support those involved in nursing and midwifery to develop professionally, upskill themselves, and enhance the care they give to patients. Grants can be used to undertake undergraduate degrees, postgraduate qualifications, and professional training.

Closing date 18 October 2024. Details on [the RCN Foundation website](#). You do not need to be a member of the Royal College of Nursing to apply.

Events

Nurse Clinics 2024: Annual Conference

Nurse Clinics 2024 will provide specialist nurses with an opportunity to hear national updates and best practice for working at advanced practice, and setting up and running nurse led clinics and services in primary, secondary and community care across a number of specialties. With sessions designed for those who are looking to improve the effectiveness or expand existing nurse led clinics and services, or for beginners looking to set up their first clinic this event is essential for all nurses offering nurse led clinics and services.

For further information and to book your place visit the [Nurse Clinics website](#). Claim a **20% discount** with code **hcuk20fons**. Email kerry@hc-uk.org.uk for further information.

Sharing Best Practices in Pastoral Care

London Conference 2024, 17 September, 2024

BPP University, 1 Portsoken Street, London, E1 8PH

This conference is designed for NHS staff, social care providers and local authorities, community interest companies, and other healthcare organisations looking to strengthen their workforce and improve staff retention through exemplary pastoral care. Whether you are a senior executive, HR professional, or frontline manager, you will find valuable information and resources to help you succeed in your role.

Visit [the website to sign up](#) for the event (free)

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