Public Health Practitioner Development Scheme Thames Valley 2020

Applications open

Does your role involve working towards improving the health of the population?

Who is a public health practitioner?

People who spend a major part or all of their time in public health practice. They are likely to work in multi-professional teams and include people who work with groups and communities as well as with individuals. They work across the full breadth of public health from health improvement and health protection, to health information, community development, and nutrition, in a wide range of settings from the NHS and local government to the voluntary, and private sectors.

If you are a practitioner keen to develop or strengthen your career in public health, then this programme may be for you. It is open to **practitioners working in the Thames Valley area** (Buckinghamshire, Berkshire, Oxfordshire, Milton Keynes). This scheme supports individuals working at <u>Level 5</u>, or above, to work towards completing a **retrospective** portfolio of their work to apply for registration with the UK Public Health Practitioner Register, <u>https://www.ukphr.org/</u> *"It has helped build my confidence and brought into focus what I want to do next in my career"* NHS employee

> "The process trains you to be more reflective and identify improvements in your practice" LA employee

"It makes you think about your approach to pieces of work and reinforces the value of taking an evidence-based approach " NHS employee

To learn more about the scheme or register for the Webinar or conference call, contact joanne.mcewan@hee.nhs.uk

Webinar: Wednesday 9th October 12.30 - 1.30 pm Conference Call: 17th October, 10.00 -11.00 am Further details and application form at <u>https://www.oxsph.org/pds/</u> Applications close midnight Saturday 2nd November 2019

Developing people for health and healthcare

"It has been brilliant and a hard slog at the same time. I wouldn't change my mind about doing it"



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