



Innovation in coaching and mentoring:

Developing specialist nurses for the future

A one day workshop for healthcare practitioners and educators organised by the European Oncology Nursing Society (EONS).

9th November 2009. Venue: King's Fund, 11-13 Cavendish Square, London, UK

This workshop is aimed at healthcare practitioners and educators who facilitate clinical learning and provide specialist education for registered nurses undertaking vocational qualifications or continuing professional development (CPD). Clinical skill development is an important aspect of developing further expertise and is a fundamental requirement behind the core skills and competencies of EONS post basic curricula in Europe. This workshop provides broad educational skills but the afternoon is focused on skill development for cancer nursing.

The aim of the workshop is to introduce participants to new ways of coaching in health care education and share best practice.

Learning outcomes: Participants' following the event will be able to:

- Identify new approaches to developing clinical skills in healthcare education
- Review coaching and mentoring arrangements within their own educational programmes
- Explore implication of clinical facilitation and how this can enhance cancer practice

Registration 9-9.30 am

9.30-9.45	Welcome and introduction	Sultan Kav , President of EONS
9.45-11.00	The benefits of partnership learning	Göran Henriks is Chief Executive of Learning and Innovation at the Qulturum, Sweden. The Qulturum is a centre for quality, leadership and management for employees for healthcare on a regional and national level. In addition he is part of the strategic committee of International Quality Forum organised by the BMJ and Institute for Healthcare Improvement.
	Refreshments: tea and pastries	
11.30-13.00	Pursuing perfection: coaching and skills development	Anette Nilsson works as project leader at Qulturum. Jönköping especially with teams and leadership based on the Microsystems theories.
	Lunch	

14.00-14.30	Mentorship in cancer nursing: an example of barriers and facilitators	Nürgun Platin is a nurse educator and facilitator from Turkey where mentor roles and supervision in practice is not universally undertaken.
14.30-15.00	Skills training for advanced practice nursing	Gerrie Bours , is an Assistant Professor at the Faculty of Health, Medicine, and Life Sciences, Nursing and Nursing Science University Maastricht and runs the advanced practice MSc
	Refreshments: tea and muffins	
15.30-16.00	The potential of blended learning to deliver an international curriculum across national boundaries	Stephen O'Connor is an Assistant Professor at the Faculty of Health, Medicine, and Life Sciences, Nursing and Nursing Science University Maastricht and is also editor of European Journal of Cancer Care
16.00-16.30	Utilising curricula to develop skills in practice	Sara Faithfull is Professor of Cancer Nursing Practice at the Faculty of Health and Medical Sciences, UK. She is the Past President of EONS and Chair of the Education group.
16.30	Close and finish	

EONS members (RCN, UKONS or National Oncology Nursing Society members and individual EONS members) Fee € 30 (to cover registration and lunch)	EONS non members (includes 1 years individual membership without EJON subscription at the rate of 29€) Fee € 59
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Deadline for application: Monday 26th October

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