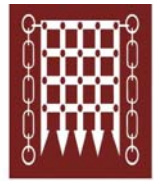


Westminster Health Forum Keynote Seminar: Next steps for improving cardiovascular disease services

Timing: Morning, Thursday, 16th July 2015

Venue: The Caledonian Club, 9 Halkin Street, London SW1X 7DR



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Agenda subject to change

- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**
Professor Anthony Wierzbicki, Professor in Cardiometabolic Disease, Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust
- 9.05 - 9.20 **Progress on improving cardiovascular disease services**
Professor Huon Gray, National Clinical Director for Heart Disease, NHS England
- 9.20 - 9.30 **'The central role for primary care in improving outcomes in CVD'**
Dr Matt Kearney, National Clinical Advisor, NHS England and Public Health England
- 9.30 - 9.40 Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.40 - 9.50 **Prevention and detection of CVD in primary care settings**
Professor Azhar Farooqi, Co-Chair, Leicester City Clinical Commissioning Group
- 9.50 - 10.00 **The developing role of community pharmacy**
Helen Williams, Consultant Pharmacist for CV Disease, South London, NHS Southwark Clinical Commissioning Group
- 10.00 - 10.10 **Integrating technology in CVD treatment and management**
Dr Neil McGuire, Clinical Director of Devices, Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency
- 10.10 - 10.20 **The role of the third sector in delivering the CVD outcomes strategy**
Professor Peter Weissberg, Medical Director, British Heart Foundation
- 10.20 - 10.40 Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.40 - 10.45 **Chair's closing remarks**
Professor Anthony Wierzbicki, Professor in Cardiometabolic Disease, Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust
- 10.45 - 11.10 Coffee
- 11.10 - 11.15 **Chair's opening remarks**
Baroness Wheeler, Member, All-Party Parliamentary Group on Stroke
- 11.15 - 11.25 **Developing guidelines and increasing access to treatments**
Professor Mark Baker, Director, Centre for Clinical Practice, NICE
- 11.25 - 11.35 **'How industry can support improved CV outcomes'**
Dr Jonathan Day, Director of Medical and Healthcare Affairs, AstraZeneca
- 11.35 - 11.45 Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.45 - 11.55 **'The National UK Pulmonary Hypertension Service'**
Professor Paul Corris, Chair, Clinical Reference Group for Pulmonary Hypertension and Professor of Thoracic Medicine, Newcastle University
- 11.55 - 12.50 **Enhancing care delivery: personalisation, co-morbidities and end of life care**
What are the early impacts following the introduction of personal health budgets in April 2015 for individuals with long term conditions on improving their care, and what should be the next steps for personalisation? What further steps can be taken to remove variation in care and treatment for CVD across the UK, and what more can be done to promote evidence based treatments and outcomes? What impact has the Better Care Fund had on integrating health and social care for those suffering from CVD? With emergency admissions to hospitals increasing, what more should be done to ensure urgent cardiac care is made a priority, and how can best practice be disseminated? How can the cardiovascular workforce be developed to better meet rising demand on services? What are the next steps for improving the treatment and management of CVD related co-morbidities? Following publication of the Five Priorities of Care by the Leadership Alliance for the Care of Dying People, what are the next steps for ensuring CVD patients at end of life receive the best possible treatment?
Dr James Beattie, Trustee, The National Council for Palliative Care and Consultant Cardiologist and Heart Failure Lead, Heart of England NHS Foundation Trust
Trudie Lobban, Founder and Chief Executive Officer, Arrhythmia Alliance
Robin Ireland, Chief Executive Officer, Health Equalities Group
Professor Jon Townend, Consultant Cardiologist, University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust
Questions and comments from the floor with **Paul Corris**, Chair, Clinical Reference Group for Pulmonary Hypertension and Professor of Thoracic Medicine, Newcastle University
- 12.50 - 12.55 **Concluding remarks**
Professor Huon Gray, National Clinical Director for Heart Disease, NHS England
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Health Forum closing remarks**
Baroness Wheeler, Member, All-Party Parliamentary Group on Stroke
Sam Dolton, Associate Producer, Westminster Health Forum



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