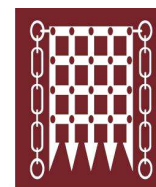


**Westminster Health Forum Keynote Seminar:  
Policy priorities and challenges for pharmacy services in England**

Timing: Morning, Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> November 2015

Venue: Congress Centre, 28 Great Russell Street, London WC1B 3LS



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Agenda subject to change

- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.05 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Rt Hon Sir Kevin Barron MP**, Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Group on Pharmacy and Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Health Group
- 9.05 - 9.20 **Next steps for regulation in developing pharmacy services**  
**Nigel Clarke**, Chair, General Pharmaceutical Council
- 9.20 - 9.35 **Implementing the medicine optimisation agenda and reducing hospital admissions**  
**Harriet Lewis**, Medicines Optimisation Programme Lead and Regional NHS Partnership Manager (North), Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry
- 9.35 - 9.45 Questions and comments from the floor
- 9.45 - 9.55 **Integrating pharmacy services and community care**  
**Sandra Gidley**, Chair, English Pharmacy Board, Royal Pharmaceutical Society
- 9.55 - 10.05 **Priorities in re-negotiating the pharmacy contract**  
**Alastair Buxton**, Director of NHS Services, Pharmaceutical Services Negotiating Committee
- 10.05 - 10.15 **Summary care records and patient data in pharmacies and other care settings**  
**Keith Strahan**, Programme Manager, Health and Social Care Information Sharing Project, Health and Social Care Information Centre  
**Harpreet Shergill**, Summary Care Records Implementation Manager, Health and Social Care Information Centre
- 10.15 - 10.30 Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.30 - 10.35 **Chair's closing remarks**  
**Rt Hon Sir Kevin Barron MP**, Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Group on Pharmacy and Chair, All-Party Parliamentary Health Group
- 10.35 - 11.00 Coffee
- 11.00 - 11.05 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Viscount Bridgeman**, Member, All-Party Parliamentary Group on Primary Care and Public Health
- 11.05 - 11.15 **Priorities for pharmacy commissioning and successful delivery of services**  
**Professor Rob Darracott**, Chief Executive, Pharmacy Voice
- 11.15 - 11.25 **Joint working initiatives and new provider services in pharmacies**  
**Dr James Kingsland**, President, National Association of Primary Care (UK) and Chairman, Jhoots Group
- 11.25 - 11.35 Questions and comments from the floor
- 11.35 - 12.30 **Relieving pressure on services, workforce development and out of hospital care**  
*In light of the Government's commitment to providing an extra £15m of funding for providing clinical pharmacists in general practice pilots, what more needs to be put into place to enable pharmacies to reduce pressure on GP surgeries and accident and emergency departments? How effectively have pharmacies been incorporated into new models of care at the vanguard sites? With out of hospital care outlined by the Government as a future priority, what more will need to be done to clearly outline areas of responsibility for service provision and financial planning? How can pharmacy services be best utilised in providing personalised care and management services for patients with long-term conditions in the community? What more can be done to reduce hospital inefficiencies and costs incurred through incorrect prescriptions and medicine instructions? What further steps need to be taken to ensure that the pharmacy workforce can continue to adapt to the changing role of out of hospital care?*  
**Ash Pandya**, Chief Executive, Essex Local Pharmaceutical Committee  
**Steven Wiberley**, Chief Operating Officer, British Lung Foundation  
**Dr James Stuart**, Consultant and Clinical Director of Urgent Care, Pennine Acute Hospitals Trust  
**Robbie Turner**, Chief Executive Officer, Community Pharmacy West Yorkshire  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.30 - 12.50 **'Public Health England's vision for pharmacy'**  
**Gul Root**, Lead Pharmacist, Health and Wellbeing Directorate, Public Health England and Principal Pharmaceutical Officer, Department of Health  
Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.50 - 12.55 **Concluding remarks**  
**Nigel Clarke**, Chair, General Pharmaceutical Council
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Health Forum closing remarks**  
**Viscount Bridgeman**, Member, All-Party Parliamentary Group on Primary Care and Public Health  
**Sam Dolton**, Associate Producer, Westminster Health Forum