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Julia worked for many years at a senior strategic level for the CCG/ICB developing protocols/ policies and chairing Forums.

Julia works closely with her business partner Julia Judd providing education for Universities and Local Medical Committees.

Their joint vision is to make education and learning fun, interactive, easy to understand and practical with realistic expectations

for Primary Care.

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Prostap (Leuprorelin) Hormone Injection Training

Date: Times: Venue: Places available: Fee/s: 8th May 2025 0900-1230 ('doors open' at 0845) Zoom Online Platform 15 NfP Members £60 Non-Members £105

This workshop is suitable for: Nurses, Nurse Associates and advanced HCAs who are currently working with clients that require Prostap injections.

The course requirements are that the clinician has existing skills in sharps management such as phlebotomy and is receiving annual updates for immunisations and CPR and anaphylaxis.

All necessary documentation for the administration of the injection will be provided, to include a competency framework to use with the assessor in practice and legal frameworks for administration of medicines.

Any HCAs that attend this course will be undertaking advanced practice that recommends a minimum of two years' experience in primary care and evidence of training to meet <u>national minimum standards</u>

Aims and Objectives

- To provide clinicians with the knowledge and skills required for the procedure of administering Prostap injections.
- To provide resources, education and awareness of the legal issues, accountability and prescribing through delegation.
- To provide the mechanisms for the HCA to be signed off as competent by a trained nurse in their workplace and follow the protocols and framework supplied for safe practice.

Course Content

- What is Prostap?
- The uses of Prostap in patient condition management
- Undertaking a risk assessment of the patient prior to injection
- How is Prostap prescribed / legal issues / prescriptions: PSD
- What are the side effects / contraindications / follow up care / anaphylaxis
- Record keeping /documentation/communication with patients / capacity / consent
- Safe handling and storage of injections; including infection control
- Injection administration and techniques including practical session
- Protocols/ competencies and supervised practice by mentor
- This training is specifically for Prostap, however information for Zoladex will be provided for use by registered nurses only.