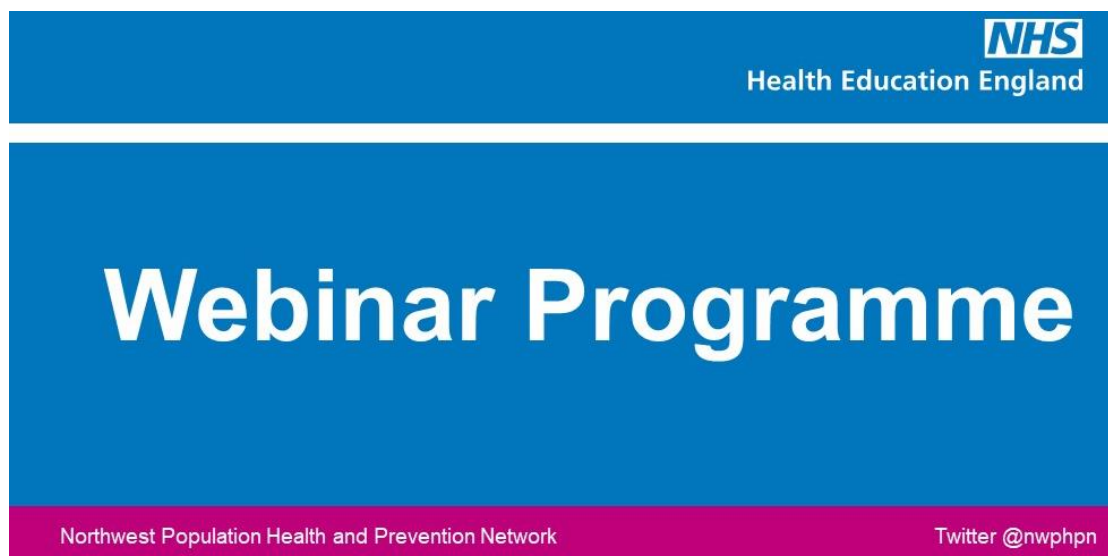


The Northwest Population Health and Prevention Network (NWPHPN)



A series of virtual learning events focused on regional health priorities and local work:

Target Audience: health, care, voluntary sectors and public health workforce across the northwest

Save the Date 2022

About NWPHPN

[NWPHPN](#) is a multi-professional public health network funded by Health Education England. The network supports both the development of workers primarily focused on delivering core public health functions, as well as the wider health and care workforce addressing health inequalities, promote wellbeing and prolong life.

Membership of the Population Health and Prevention Network provides access to a rich variety of resources and opportunities to contribute to and influence public health development. The network has an annual work programme based on the Health Education England mandate requirements and the NHS Long Term Plan. The webinar programme is themed around the NHS Long Term Plan. In collaboration with the NW Head of School for Public Health and the OHID public health workforce development team, the network provides a shared approach to training our future public health leaders, developing the public health role and contribution of the health and care workforce. The network continues to recognise the impact of COVID-19 on existing health inequalities, with a forward focus on recovery and restoration opportunities.

The webinar programme is the networks' commitment to supporting its member's professional development. However, it equally provides a platform to support wider engagement with prospective members across sectors. Join the network [here](#).

The following webinars are planned for the remainder of 2022. Full details will be shared in the NWPHPN network bulletins and then posted on the [NWPHPN event pages](#) approximately six weeks in advance of webinar presentations.

Wednesday 6th July
10.00am-12.00 noon

A quick guide to the new NW public health system & health inequalities

There have been a lot of changes in the public health landscape in the last 15 months. This session, led by Dr Rebecca Wagstaff Deputy Director – Health & Wellbeing Workforce Development Lead from the Office for Health Improvement and Disparities, will map out these changes and outline what they mean for a Northwest workforce focused on prevention. She will share the ambition for a public health system fit for the future, where there is dedicated focus on health security and health improvement. Delegates will also hear about regional health inequalities work led by OHID NW.

[Book now](#)

Wednesday 21st September
1.00pm-3.00pm

Sustainability and public health: how we get there

Join us to discuss a vision of sustainability which goes way beyond reducing an organisation's carbon footprint. The session will explore what does sustainability in a public health context mean, what does it look like and how can it be achieved? Speakers will illustrate how sustainable development and public health are inextricably linked. Achieving sustainable development largely depends on a healthy populace. Consequently, public health represents not only a significant outcome, but a precondition of sustainable development as well.

[Book now](#)

Thursday 17th November
10.00am -12.30pm

More than medicine, creative health solutions: developing a prevention and protection toolkit

This webinar will showcase how cutting-edge developments harnessing cultural assets can provide solutions to seemingly intractable health problems. It will explore how addressing healthcare staff wellbeing through this type of tool kit can also increase traction for health creation not just disease management but will support new treatment and management opportunities.

[Book now](#)

Thursday 1st December
1.30pm-3.00pm

How behaviours and environment alter your genes: epigenetics, the new healthcare frontier

Epigenetics is a rapidly developing research field that is expected to unravel the complex interplay between genes and environmental exposures relevant for health and disease. Epigenetics is the study of how our behaviours and environment can cause changes that affect the way your genes work. Unlike genetic changes, epigenetic changes are reversible and do not change your DNA sequence, but they can change how your body reads a DNA sequence. This session will explore a number of fundamental issues related to our gene inheritance and how do good genes get turned off and bad genes turned on?

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We are looking forward to welcoming you to the webinar programme. Please note this programme is subject to change.

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