

Cervical Sample Taker Update Training Courses

NEPSEC is the name for the merged North West and East Pennine Cytology Training Centres

North West - Cervical Sample Taker Update Training

Aims of the Course:

To ensure that on completion of the course the Health Care Professional (HCP) maintains their competence in taking cervical samples for the purpose of the NHS Cervical Screening Programme (NHSCSP)

Objectives:

The face to face update sessions will provide participants with the relevant knowledge in the following areas;

- Current developments in the cervical screening programme both nationally and locally
- Recent literature relevant to cervical sample taking, sampling devices and women's needs
- Changes to local screening policies and procedures
- Identify personal learning needs

Who can apply?

Any registered nurse or doctor who is qualified and actively taking samples for the NHS Cervical Screening Programme may apply.

Please request and complete an application form in order to reserve your place.

Course Length

Courses are scheduled for a Thursday and are a half-day afternoon session.

Course Cost

A £30 course fee applies to all applicants in this region

However, upon booking a place on the course non-attendance will be subject to a £75 administration fee payable to Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.

Venue – Manchester Royal Infirmary – Post Graduate Lecture Theatre – 1-5pm

Course Dates

8th February 2018

31st May 2018

Further dates will be arranged for 2018 and will be advertised in due course

Please note that dates/venues and may be subject to change. Please contact the training centre to confirm the date/venue of your chosen event.

Further information and application forms for any of our courses are available from our Administration Team:

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