

Cervical Sample Taker Training Courses

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

Manchester, Lancashire and Cumbria 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:

These half-day 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 either a Wednesday or Thursday and are a half-day afternoon session.

Course Cost

These courses are currently £30 per person for suitably qualified nurses and GPs in the Manchester, Lancashire and Cumbria area.

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.

Course Dates and Venues

21st March 2019, Undergraduate Centre, MRI

27th June 2019, Postgraduate Centre, MRI

26th September 2019, Undergraduate Centre, MRI

14th November 2019, Undergraduate Centre, MRI

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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