



SOUTH WEST REGIONAL AWARDS AND CONFERENCE

Celebrating the successes of NHS England's General Practice Forward View

General Practice is the heart of our health communities and NHS England – South (South West) are proud to be announcing a joint regional awards and conference to celebrate the achievements in Primary Care across South West England.

The awards/conference will be held on **Friday 14 October** in Exeter from 9am to 4pm - so please save the date!

We will be celebrating innovation and sharing examples of how primary care is responding to the many challenges being faced and is already starting to deliver the sustainable future envisaged in the GP Forward View. Delivering change takes time and energy and we want to thank the many colleagues who are already making a difference for the patients in their area. We want to build on that momentum and will be awarding funding to release the clinical and other capacity needed to implement more improvements!

CONFERENCE DETAILS

The arrangements for the conference are still at the planning stage but we are delighted to announce that Dr Arvind Madan GP, NHS England Director of Primary Care, and Paul Grundy, President of the Patient Centred Primary Care Collaborative, and IBM's Global Director of Healthcare Transformation are both expected to attend and speak.

Here is a schedule of the day which is to be confirmed:

9.00-9.30am	Coffee and registration
9.30-9.45am	Opening remarks and welcome NHS England South (SW)
9.45-10.30am	Dr Arvind Madan, National Director of Primary Care
10.30-11.00am	Celebrating success in the South West – awards which showcase local examples of GPFV implementation in action (part 1)
11.00-11.15am	Coffee
11.15-11.45am	The South West approach to GPFV implementation
11.45– 12.15pm	Celebrating success in the South West – Awards which showcase local examples of GPFV implementation in action part 2

12.10 -1.00pm	Paul Grundy, President of the Patient Centred Primary Care Collaborative/IBM Global Director of Healthcare Transformation - reflections from Primary Care Home/learning for GPFV implementation
1.00 – 2.15pm	Lunch and networking
2.15 – 4.00pm	Primary Care Home sharing experience and best practice workshop (Primary Care Home sites only)
4.00pm	Close.

AWARD CATEGORIES

- **Primary Care Workforce Innovation** – successful changes of skill-mix or cross-practice staffing models
- **Primary care Workforce Innovation** – best example of developing the role of unqualified staff working in primary care
- **Primary Care Workload** – Quick Win award – the best easy to implement change that really made a difference
- **Primary Care Workload** – best example of successful working with the voluntary sector to improve support to patients and reduce workload pressures in the practice
- **Primary Care Workload** – successful implementation of a change to reduce demand by enabling more self-care
- **Infrastructure Award** – best example of using technology to improve access for patients or support self-care
- **Infrastructure Award** – best example of creative use of accommodation/space to deliver patient centred care
- **New Models of Care Award** – merger of the year – best example of changes in service delivery achieved through a successful merger
- **New Models of Care Award** – best example of adoption or spread of 10 High Impact changes
- **New Models of Care Award** – best example of support offered by a primary care provider organisation to improve resilience
- **Turn-around Award** – creating a sustainable solution which has averted service failure
- **Collaboration Award** – best example of win/win solution for patients achieved by joint work between general practice and pharmacy
- **Collaboration Award** – best example of win/win solution for patients achieved by joint work between general practice and an NHS provider organisation
- **GP Forward View Clinical Champion** – individual nominated by peers for articulating a local vision of how GPFV will deliver sustainable primary care in their local area

Applicants for any of the awards are asked to submit a short description of their work in the format set out below by **Sunday 25 September 2016**. All submissions need to be emailed to: andrea.melluish@nhs.net

We need to spread the many examples of best practice already emerging locally and nationally so have worked with the Academic Health Science Network to develop a joint portal which will provide the on-line resource to support your work. All the examples you submit for the awards will be shared on the Portal which will go live in October. Judges will make awards based on the information provided in the summary document but if there are additional materials related to the work which you wish to share with colleagues you can attach these as supporting documents either with the application or onto the portal at a later date.