



Substance Misuse Management Good Practice

## Free workshop (London): Working Effectively with People Who Use Drugs and Reinforcing the Principles of Treatment

For GPs, Allied Health Practitioners, CCG leads for drugs, commissioners, consultants, service managers and interested parties

**Date:** Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> February 2018. **Time:** 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. *Lunch will be served.*

**Venue:** Ort House Conference Centre, 126 Albert Street London NW1 7NE

**Aim:** Working effectively with people who use drugs problematically. To explore:

1. How to deliver evidence-based treatment alongside national and local policies
2. OST: how to dose effectively
3. How to ensure patients have choice

### Programme

#### 13:00 Registration and lunch

13:30 Welcome and introduction *Dr Chris Ford*

13:40 How to do evidence-based prescribing and therapeutic dosing *Dr Steve Conroy*

14:10 Case studies *All*

#### 14:40 Tea / Coffee

15:10 Introduction *Tbc (commissioner)*  
Group exercise: how to work effectively within local policies *All*

15:40 Feedback from group exercises *tbc*  
Discussion and unanswered questions *Dr Chris Ford*

#### 16:00 Close and date of next meeting

**Notes:** Please send in to [cpd@smmgp.org.uk](mailto:cpd@smmgp.org.uk)

- 1) Case studies of patients that you would like help with re their treatment.
- 2) Case studies of patients that you have had problems getting their chosen treatment because of local policies.

Register for free by emailing: [cpd@smmgp.org.uk](mailto:cpd@smmgp.org.uk) with **OST Training** in the subject line. Please note that places are limited and will be allocated on a "first come, first served" basis.

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