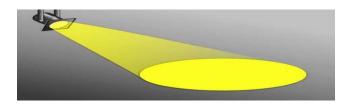
WNWRS & LHW Newsletter March 2021

Wales National Workforce and Reporting System (WNWRS)

Locum Hub Wales Update

Following valued feedback from Practices and Locums, we will shortly be releasing additional functionality in Locum Hub Wales (LHW). You will soon be able to view your shifts posted in a calendar view format and post multiple shifts in one go — a real benefit for those Practices who engage regular Locums and wish to use LHW to post and book these shifts.

LHW will also be launching the ablility to publish Out of Hours and 111 opportunities across Wales, enabling Locums to see at a glance and with ease where shifts are available.



Focus on: Locum data

With the news that Locum GPs may be eligible for the Covid Bonus Payment, it is more important than ever to ensure your Practice's Locum data is updated and accurate on Locum Hub Wales. Please reconcile your Practice records with those entered by the Locums on the site, to ensure they accurately reflect the time they have worked in your Practice, as per the new <u>Guidelines on GMPI</u> released on 8 December 2020.

DID YOU KNOW?

However you book your Locum shifts, to benefit from the Scheme for GMPI, ALL shifts worked by GPs holding a Locum contract **must** be recorded in Locum Hub Wales.

Welcome home WNWRS

We are pleased to announce that NWSSP will be contracting directly with Argyle, the developers of the WNWRS from April 2021. There is no change to Practice Users and data governance for this change is reflected within DPIA documents. This will mean we have better control and influence on the system, enabling change for Wales in a timely and relevant way. The Welsh version of the WNWRS is almost ready for release and is just part of the exciting new developments in Primary Care which will be rolled out during 2021.

As part of this system change, please be aware that you will need to reset your password on the WNWRS at some point during the next 4 weeks, to comply with new NHS password protocols. The system will prompt you to do this when you log in, so please keep an eye out for this.

Hints and Tips

Entering data



Please see below how to enter your data in the correct format

NI number: LLNNNNNNL

GMC number: NNNNNNN

NMC number: NNLNNNNL

L = Letter N = Number No spaces please!

Updated guidance on Indemnity arrangements relating to Covid vaccination clinics has been released by NWSSP's Legal and Risk Team. Please click here to see the updated Information. If you have any indemnity queries relating to COVID-19 vaccinations please contact the GMPI team at GMPI@wales.nhs.uk.



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