



3rd International Social Prescribing Network Conference

Social prescribing & community – beyond the pandemic

4th and 5th March 2021,

Online, GMT

Please note there may be changes to the timings of the sessions. Conference schedule as of 13th January 2021

Day 1 Thursday 4 th March 2021	
Session 1 9:30-10:45	
Conference opening & keynote speeches	
09:30	Welcomes from: Dr. Marie Polley, Co-chair Social Prescribing Network Dr. Michael Dixon, Co-chair Social Prescribing Network
09:45	Community responses from the pandemic
10:00	Keynote from Andy Burnham, Mayor of Greater Manchester
10:45-11:15 Refreshments, networking & visit exhibitors	
Session 2 11:15-12:15	
Concurrent sessions (running in parallel)	
There are 4 sessions to choose from. All sessions will be recorded & made available after the conference.	
11:15	Session 1: Community matters: What does the future of social prescribing in communities look like and what is needed to get there? Co-Chairs Jane Hartley and Andy Nazer Dan Hopewell, Director of Innovation, Bromley By Bow Centre, London Hannah McDonald, Partnership Development Manager, One Northern Devon Ilfracombe Sarah Gorman, Edberts House Jenny Hartnoll
11:15	Session 2: Carers and social prescribing. This session will look at the challenges carers face and how social prescribing is responding to these needs. Co-Chair - Tim Anfilogoff and Malcolm Bray Carole Whittle and Michele Stokes, Carers in Hertfordshire Emily Holzhausen, Carers UK Liz Callaghan, CEO Carers Australia Laurie Hilsgren, Carers New Zealand

11:15	<p>Session 3: Advantage Accumulates: Social prescribing for children and young people - what does this look like?</p> <p>Co-Chairs - Paul Jarvis-Beesley and Jo Ward</p> <p>Tiffany Ortiz and Dr Dennie Wolf, Carnegie Hall, New York.</p> <p>Celia Suppiah, CEO Parents 1st</p> <p>Prof Pamela Qualter, University of Manchester</p> <p>Dr Marcello Bertotti, University of East London</p>
11:15	<p>Session 4: Housing & homeless - this session will explore how social prescribing schemes are working to prevent homelessness, and support people who need help with housing issues.</p> <p>Co-Chair, David Cowan and Dr Nigel Hewitt</p> <p>Salford Wellbeing Matters</p> <p>Joe Hall and Kate Walsh, South Yorkshire Housing Association</p> <p>Stephen Windmill, Herts Help</p>
12:15-13:30 Lunch, networking, visit exhibitors & poster presentations	
<p>Session 3 13:45-15:00</p> <p>Concurrent sessions (running in parallel)</p> <p>There are 4 sessions to choose from. All sessions will be recorded & made available after the conference.</p>	
13:45	<p>Research session 1: Community and Social Prescribing</p> <p>Co-Chair, Dr Chris Dayson and Marcello Bertotti</p> <p>This session will showcase the latest research relating to the community and social prescribing</p>
13:45	<p>Research session 2: Covid-19 and Social Prescribing</p> <p>Co-Chair, Dr Kerry Husk and Prof Helen Chatterjee</p> <p>This session will focus on how social prescribing has performed during the pandemic and the impact of the pandemic on social prescribing.</p>
13:45	<p>Research session 3: Innovations in Social Prescribing</p> <p>Co-Chairs, Dr Marie Polley and Sian Brand</p> <p>This session will showcase how social prescribing is expanding into new sectors and locations</p>
13:45	<p>Research session 4: Understanding key aspects of social prescribing</p> <p>This session will present findings from realist and traditional research into components of key components of social prescribing schemes</p> <p>Co-Chairs, Prof Carolyn Wallace and Dr Michelle Howarth</p>
15:00-15:30 Refreshments, networking & visit exhibitors	
<p>15:30-17:00 Social Prescribing Network Awards</p> <p>Join us to celebrate some fantastic social prescribing projects</p>	

Day 2 Friday 5th March 2021	
08:45-09:25 Connect with a cuppa - try out our networking lounge, see who is there, catch up on news with friends and your own drink	
Session 1 9:30-10:30 Collaborative leadership panel session 5 mins of key notes on moving forwards together; panel session with Q's from the audience	
09:30 - 10.30	Charlotte Augst, CEO National Voices (tbc) Nic Gitsham, Head of Social Prescribing, NHS England and NHS Improvement James Sanderson, CEO, National Academy for Social Prescribing Representative from Local Government (tbc)
10:30-11:00 Refreshments, networking & visit exhibitors	
Session 2 11:00-12:00 Concurrent sessions (running in parallel) There are 4 sessions to choose from. All sessions will be recorded & made available after the conference.	
11:00	Session 1: Creative Health and Wellbeing - How can the creative sector and the health sector work together in social prescribing? Co-Chairs Victoria Hume (Culture Health and Wellbeing Alliance) and Prof Helen Chatterjee (UCL) Deborah Munt, Arts Derbyshire Will Nicholson, SCHWP Kiz Bangerh, Hope Hop Heals
11:00	Sessions 2: Social prescribing and employment - This session will highlight social prescribing schemes that are supporting people into employment, including the NEET group. Co-Chairs Dr Marcello Bertotti Sonia Dias, Portugal John Bell, Sussex Community Development Association Aileen McGuinness, SPRING, Northern Ireland (tbc)
11:00	Session 3: Social prescribing in a digital world. This session will show how social prescribing is making use of digital solutions, the issues this creates, and solutions being generated Co-Chair David Robinson Muir Gray, Chair of NHS Health and Social Care Digital Service (tbc) Rachel Hatfield, National programme manager - GPN and clinician action learning sets (tbc)
11:00	Session 4: Seed and community. This session will look at the role of the natural environment in social prescribing Co-Chairs Dr Richard Kimberlee and Dr Michelle Howarth Sir Tim Smit, Co Founder of the Eden Project Prof Gill Litt, University of Colorado Prof Alistair Griffiths - Royal Horticultural Society

	Prof Jules Pretty - University of Essex
12:15-12:45 Virtual tours	
12:15-12:45	In this session we will premier some videos of three involved in Social Prescribing in Greater Manchester (since we can't physically visit sites!). It will be followed by a Q&A Session Host: Giles Wilmore
12:45-13:55 Lunch, networking, visit exhibitors & poster presentations	
Session 3 14:00-16:00 Keynote & plenary	
14:00 - 14.40	Plenary Keynote Dr Kate Mulligan , Assistant Professor, Dalla Lana School of Public Health, University of Toronto. Winner of the Best International Social Prescribing Scheme 2018.
14.45	<p>Plenary: Sustaining and growing the International Social Prescribing movement. This session will see how the international social prescribing movement is developing and look ahead to the role of social prescribing in the future.</p> <p>Co-Chairs Alyson McGregor and Jan Joost Meijs Dr Stewart Smith and Dr Aimie Cole, The Institute of Social Prescribing “What's new in the UK?” Orla Walsh, Mental Health and Wellbeing Project Manager for Republic of Ireland HSE “Taking Social Prescribing forward in the Republic of Ireland Dan Moore - Getting started in the United States (tbc) Miriam Heijinders - Spreading Social Prescribing in the Netherlands (tbc) Sarah Robens (Evaluation Lead S.W AHSN) and Dr Bogdan Chiva-Giurca, junior doctor “What does a future enhanced model of Social Prescription look like? Sir Tim Smit, Co Founder of the Eden Project Social Prescription – bringing care, compassion and hope to the world”</p>
15.45	Interactive session for delegates, led Dr Dennie Woolfe, Carnegie Hall, New York
15.55	<p>Conference summing up and close Dr. Marie Polley, Co-chair Social Prescribing Network Dr. Michael Dixon, Co-chair Social Prescribing Network</p>
16:00-17:00	
Attendees can use the networking lounge or visit exhibitors. Attendees can also request meetings with each other 1:1 via the interactive platform. Exhibitors may want to run a short webinar.	
17:00 Official close	

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