



Committee Profile

Committee Position: Chair

Name: Fiona Cook

Date elected: Elected Nov 2003
Re-elected May 2005

Present Post: Head of Professional and Practice Development
NHS Lothian Primary and Community

More info:

Fiona has been involved in the development of nurses for approximately 14 years. Her present role as Head of Professional and Practice Development in the Primary and Community Division of NHS Lothian spans all aspects of education and development but current areas of interest include leadership and reflective practice particularly using action learning as a tool for sustainable learning.

Fiona is married and enjoys keeping fit and spending time with her family.



Committee Position: Vice Chair

Name: Diane Allcock

Date elected: May 2005

Present Post: Practice Development Nurse for East Glasgow LHCC

More info:

Diane was a Practice Nurse for 12 years in the East End of Glasgow. She became Practice Development Nurse in her area in 2002. She (sadly) has a passion for audit and Clinical Governance. She worked with the Scottish Executive as part of the working group writing a "Framework for Practice Nursing" Diane presents at the Caledonian University on the Option specific module of the Practice Nurse SPQ course. Within the LHCC she is Vice Chair for Clinical Governance and lead coordinator for In Hours Protected Learning events.

Diane is married with 2 grown kids. She has a cocker spaniel dog who loves to walk. Diane has recently taken up yoga due old age creeping into her joints.



Committee Position: Secretary

Name: Jane Christie

Date elected: Elected May 2005

Present Post: Research Student

More info:

Jane has worked in a variety of nursing roles improving the quality of care through education, practice development and research. At present, she is undertaking full time PhD funded by Centre of Integrated Healthcare Research. She is particularly interested in promoting an integrated person-centred approach to healthcare through modelling expert practice, facilitating multidisciplinary collaboration, promoting audit and research and delivering education in practice.

Jane leads the PPDNF subgroup that is designing a framework for the audit of person-centred care.

Jane is married, has two children and enjoys keeping fit and spending time with her family.



Committee Position: Website Secretary

Name: Joyce Surfleet

Date elected: 2007

Present Post: Clinical Supervision Co-ordinator NHS Lothian

More info:

Joyce has worked in Practice Development within NHS Lothian for a number of years and prior to that worked in Lothian and other areas as a Health Visitor. She has been involved in many arenas within practice development but has a particular interest in Reflective Learning (including Clinical Supervision), Education and Community Nursing.