

## Practice Certificate in Independent or Supplementary Prescribing Programme Timetable November 2026

Unit	Date	Start	Finish	Location	Session Title/s	Students	Tutor
1 16	10/11/26	10:00	12:00	or Live Microsoft teams/ online platform	Welcome and introductions Programme essential & timetable	All	All NMP Team
		13:00	14:30		E-pad team practice assessment document	All	
		15:00	16:00		Assessment strategy and direct observation of practice	All	
2 17	17/11/26	09:30	13:00	Live Microsoft teams/ online platform	Consultation Models, History Taking, Communication Skills, Clinical Reasoning & decision-making	All	DD
		13:00	15:30				
	23/11/26	19:00	20:00	MS Teams	<b>ONLINE SESSION FOR YOUR ASSESSORS/SUPERVISORS ONLY – PLEASE SEND THEM THE MS teams LINK - An Introduction to NMP Programme</b>		All NMP
3a 18	24/11/26	09:30	12:00	Hybrid - Am –	Pharmacology I - Introduction to pharmacokinetics – <b>Nurses, Midwives, AHPS ONLY</b>	Nurse, Midwives & AHPS only	KL
		13:00	15:30	PM – or online			
3b		09:30	12:00	Live Microsoft teams/ online platform	Assessment & diagnostic skills theoretical workshop - <b>ALL Pharmacists ONLY</b>	Pharmacists	DD
		14:00	15:30				
4 Wk 19	30/11/26	10:00	13:00	Face to Face	Assessment & diagnostic skills practical day workshop (Face-to-face session covering vital signs, cardiac, respiratory and abdominal assessments) <b>Pharmacists Group 1 ONLY</b>	Pharmacist	
5 19	01/12/26	09:30	12:00	Hybrid	Pharmacology II – Introduction Pharmacokinetics & Pharmacodynamics & nurses/midwives/AHPS	Nurse, Midwives & AHPS only	KL
		13:00	15:30				
	01/12/26		16:00	epad	<b>Submission of Formative scope of practice</b>		
4 Wk 20	07/12/26	10:00	13:00	Face to face Room -	Assessment & diagnostic skills practical day workshop (Face-to-face session covering vital signs, cardiac, respiratory, and abdominal assessments) <b>Pharmacists Group 2 ONLY</b>	Pharmacists	
		14:00	16:00				
6 20	08/12/26	09:30	10:00	StudyNet	<b>Online Summative Numeracy Assessment – See StudyNet</b>		
		10:00	15:30	Live Microsoft teams/ online platform	Legal, and professional issues in prescribing practice	All	HH
4 Wk 21	14/12/26	10:00	13:00	Face to Face -2	Assessment & diagnostic skills practical day workshop (Face-to-face session covering vital signs, cardiac, respiratory, and abdominal assessments) <b>Pharmacists Group 3 ONLY</b>	Pharmacists	
		14:00	16:00				
7 21	15/12/26	09:30	15:30	Live Microsoft teams/ online platform	Pharmacology –Introduction Pharmacokinetics and Pharmacodynamics – <b>Pharmacists only</b>	Pharmacists	KL

7b 21	15/12/2 6	09:30	13:00	Live Microsoft teams/ online platform	Overview of the role of clinical reasoning & diagnostics - <b>Nurses, Midwives &amp; AHP</b>	<b>Nurses, Midwives &amp; AHP</b>	DD
<b>Christmas Break</b>							
8 26	12/01/27	09:30	11:00	Live Microsoft teams/ online platform	Identifying and exploring literature - Recording	<b>All</b>	
		11:30	13:00		Assignment brief		HH
		14:00	15:30		Narrated PowerPoint - Essay writing - Structuring an Essay & Critical Writing		Recording
4 Wk 27	25/01/27	10:00	16:00	Face to Face -	Assessment & diagnostic skills practical day workshop (Face-to-face session covering vital signs, cardiac, respiratory, and abdominal assessments) Pharmacists Group 4 ONLY	<b>Pharmacists</b>	
9 27	19/01/27	09:00	09:30	Live Microsoft teams/ online platform	<b>Numeracy test 2<sup>nd</sup> attempt – Online</b>	<b>All</b>	
		09:30	11:00		Prescribing for pregnancy and breastfeeding		CH
		11:30	13:00		Prescribing in renal & hepatic disease & older people		AA
		14:00	15:30		Prescribing for children & young people		LM
10 28	26/01/27	09:30	13:00	Live Microsoft teams/online platform	Supplementary Prescribing (CMP) & Prescription writing (FP10)	<b>All</b>	HH
		14:00	15:00		BNF workshop	<b>All</b>	AA
4 Wk 28	01/02/20 27	10:00	16:00	Face to Face –	Assessment & diagnostic skills practical day workshop (Face-to-face session covering vital signs, cardiac, respiratory, and abdominal assessments) Pharmacists Group 5 ONLY	<b>Pharmacists</b>	
11 29	02/02/27	09:30	11:30	Live Microsoft teams/ online platform	Medicines optimisation	<b>All</b>	AA
		12:00	13:00		Reducing over-prescribing as an independent or supplementary prescriber		AA
		14:00	15:30		Clinical governance in prescribing, including error risks (human Factors)		AA
12 30	09/02/27	09:30	11:00	Live Microsoft teams/ online platform	Opioid Stewardship & CD prescribing	<b>All</b>	RBJ
		11:30	13:00		Adverse drug reactions		AA
		14:00	15:30		Antimicrobial stewardship		AA
	16/02/27		16:00	epad	<b>Submission of Formative clinical management plan</b>		
13 31	16/02/27	09:30	10:30	Live Microsoft teams/ online platform	Religious and cultural perspective in prescribing	<b>All</b>	A
		10:45	13:00		Service user and Carers perspectives in prescribing – carers in Hertfordshire –		AA
		14:00	15:30		Assignment brief - Direct observations of prescribing practice		HH
		15:30	16:30		Direct observation of prescribing practice recording brief-Pharmacists only	<b>PHARMACISTS ONLY</b>	

14 32	23/02/27	09:00	09:30	Live Microsoft teams/ online platform	<b>Numeracy test 3<sup>rd</sup> attempt – Online</b>		All	
		09:30	11:00		Shared decision-making	HH		
		11:30	12:55		Remote Prescribing Safely (video & telephone consultations)	HH		
		12:55	13:00		Pulse Survey			
		14:00	15:30		Exam briefing	KL		
	02/03/27		16:00	Studynet	<b>Submission of formative oral presentation plan</b>		All	
15 33	02/03/27	10:00	11:30	Live Microsoft teams/ online platform	Public Health Perspective & Motivational Interviewing		All	HH
		11:45	12:45		Academic processes and End of Module & programme Feedback & Q/A session			All team
		12:45	13:15		Feedback Pulse survey			
		13:15	15:30		Self-directed study			
	19/03/27		1	Room/s TBC	<b>On-campus Applied Pharmacology/Prescribing Examination</b>			
				SDL	Independent GUIDED STUDY – Please refer to StudyNet Unit 15			
				SDL	Direct study			
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	19/04/27	30/04/27		SDL	<b>Oral presentations</b>			
	04/05/27		16:00		<b>E-pad submission</b>			
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**KEY:**

**Tutorials** these are not mandatory – Your PTs will email to arrange group tutorials. If you require individual support, please email your personal tutor to discuss this.

**Guided** – materials will be given to you to complete online/via Studynet – you will find the guided material under each unit weekly.

**RED** – Anything written in red is an assessment either formative or summative

SDL – Directed learning

GL – Guest Lecturer

**Tutors/Lecturers**

Kelly Lefteri - KL- SG    Hayley Hassett –HH    David Daniel – DD    Helen Speller – HS    Lucy Whelan – LW    Otto Schwalowsky - OS    Stephanie Garner  
Rebecca Bramham-Jones – RBJ    Dr Cathy Hamilton – Professional Lead Midwifery    Haylee Lederer- Information Manager    Louise McLaughlin – LM - Children’s Nurse    Pauline  
Freeman – PF    Dawn Royall - DR

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