

Committee Report

Professional Networks

Name of committee: Professional Practice and Service Delivery (PPSD)

Representative: Chris Mercer

Date: 24/01/2013

Location: Council Room

	Key issues	Proposed/Current actions
1.	CSP have engaged the Picker institute to look at patient experiences and outcomes measures. They have been asked to reflect the needs of CSP members and patient with specific reference to CSP objectives	
2.	Ralph Hammond highlighted the ongoing process in involving the professional network and alliances in responding to NICE calls. He emphasised the importance of getting physiotherapists involved at the early phases of guideline and NICE document development and made it clear that he was available to support this process and advise members	All professional networks and Alliances should review their arrangements for monitoring NICE output, and where appropriate, identify members to represent their PN or Alliance.
3.	The call for abstracts for Physiotherapy UK will be open shortly. The conference will be held in Birmingham this year. There will 4 streams MSK, Neuro, Rehab, Health policy and practice. Using mixed media for advertising. There is an opportunity and desire to involve PNs in the Conference, and this could be in the form of helping develop the programme, holding meetings, or suggesting speakers	All PNs are encouraged to actively participate in the Conference and to use it as an opportunity to engage with the CSP to promote the profession. There are opportunities for PNs, such as the chance to hold an AGM at Physio UK etc, and those interested should contact Steve Mann at the CSP ASAP. Any suggestions for speakers for any of the strands should also be sent through to Steve and his team AS

4. | CSP Documents:

- There is a 'Costing your service' paper. Has been piloted and feedback has been very useful
- Scope of Practice information will be put onto CSP website in a user friendly format, still being tested at present
- Duty of care document now on CSP website. Informative document and easy to read

Each of these papers are very user friendly and full of useful information for anyone concerned with marketing their service, costing it, or addressing issues relating to duty of care/negligence etc. I would recommend these to all PNs and suggest these are highlighted to members. The scope of practice info on the website is still being developed, but is close to going live and will provide a useful resource for those pushing the boundaries of practice

Additional comments:

- There will be changes to the constitution of PPSD meeting so that terms of office goes from 2 to 4 years to bring it in line with the other committees at CSP.
- CSP will be running 'redesigning your services later this year.
- ACPSM name change approved-they will be the ACPSEM-adding exercise to their name

Date of next meeting: Joint Sub-Committee 16 April 2013