

# A Practical Guide to Effective Non Medical Prescribing in Cardiology

For Current & Aspiring Non Medical Prescribers

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*President*

British Association for  
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*Senior Lecturer*

Canterbury Christchurch University

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*“7.4 million people are living with a heart and circulatory diseases in the UK”*

British Heart Foundation December 2019

*“Heart and circulatory disease, also known as cardiovascular disease (CVD), causes a quarter of all deaths in the UK and is the largest cause of premature mortality in deprived areas. This is the single biggest area where the NHS can save lives over the next 10 years.”* The NHS Long Term Plan

*“Cardiovascular disease (CVD) causes a quarter of all deaths in the UK with around 150,000 deaths from CVD per year in England.”* RPS 2019

*“There is the potential to significantly impact on patient outcomes if medicines are optimised in patients who are under treated and prevent heart attacks and strokes at scale in a short time frame.”* The Royal Pharmaceutical Society

This important national conference provides essential updates for current and aspiring nurse/non medical prescribers in cardiology and cardiovascular care. Through national updates and practical case studies you will hear from expert speakers on how to develop and maintain prescribing competence and how to develop effectiveness in post qualification practice.

The conference will include extended sessions focusing on developing your skills in nurse/non medical prescribing practice as well as case study sessions from specialist speakers in the areas of nurse/non medical prescribing in the management of arrhythmias, nurse prescribing for heart failure and end of life care, prescribing within a rapid access chest pain clinic, prescribing in cardiac rehabilitation and cardiovascular disease.

This conference will enable you to:

- Network with colleagues who are current or aspiring nurse/non medical prescribers
- Update your knowledge on national developments
- Maintain prescribing competence for revalidation and the NMC Code
- Explore how nurse/non medical prescribing can improve practice and patient care
- Develop your skills, confidence and competence as a nurse/non medical prescriber in Cardiology
- Assure competence in non medical prescribing in nurse/non medical prescribing in the management of arrhythmias, nurse prescribing for heart failure and end of life care, prescribing within a rapid access chest pain clinic, prescribing in cardiac rehabilitation and cardiovascular disease.
- Develop your skills in diagnostic decision making and managing comorbidities
- Ensure medicines optimisation and adherence within the healthcare pathway of patients with cardiovascular disease
- Gain cpd accreditation points contributing to professional development and revalidation evidence

## 10.00 Chair's welcome and introduction Non Medical Prescribing in Cardiology: New Developments

### Liz Williams

President

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Canterbury Christchurch University

- new developments and current issues
- what are nurses prescribing in cardiology?
- the range of cardiology drugs prescribed and new products on the horizon
- an update from BANCC

## 10.40 Non Medical Prescribing in Cardiology: Strategy & Governance

### Charles Spencer

Advanced Clinical Practitioner in Cardiology

South Warwickshire NHS Foundation Trust

- ensuring effective governance of prescribing practice in Cardiology
- evaluating where prescribing could improve care for your patients
- developing a new service
- issues and challenges around prescribing in cardiology

11.10 Questions & answers, followed by tea & coffee at 11.20

## Non Medical Prescribing in Cardiology: Case Studies in Practice

## 11.40 Non Medical Prescribing in the management of arrhythmias

### Helen Eftekhari

Arrhythmia & Syncope Advanced Nurse Practitioner

University Hospitals Coventry and Warwickshire NHS Trust

- non medical prescribing in the management of arrhythmias
- supporting patients
- our experience and services

## 12.10 Non Medical Prescribing within a rapid access chest pain clinic

### Helen Gaunt

Cardiac Nurse Specialist, Rapid Access Chest Pain Clinic

University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Foundation Trust

- effective prescribing for chest pain
- understanding limits of competence
- nurse prescribing within our rapid access chest pain clinic

12.40 Questions & answers, facilitated networking with fellow delegates, followed by Lunch at 12.50

## 13.40 Advanced Clinical Decision Making & Diagnostics for Prescribing, & managing patients with Co Morbidity

### Sarah Young

Nurse Consultant, Cardiology

Brighton and Sussex University Hospitals NHS Trust

- advanced clinical decision making
- history taking and diagnosis
- working with patients with co morbidity
- prescribing to improve outcomes

## 14.10 Non Medical Prescribing in a cardiac rehabilitation

### Caroline Golder

Cardiac Rehabilitation Nurse

Wirral Community Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust

- non medical prescribing in cardiac prevention and rehabilitation
- coordinating, planning and designing services around nurse prescribing
- measuring the impact of nurse medical prescribing on practice: audit and evaluation

## 14.40 Developing your skills, confidence and competence as a Non Medical Prescriber in Cardiology

### Alison Pottle

Cardiology Nurse Consultant

Royal Brompton and Harefield NHS Foundation Trust

- developing, demonstrating and maintaining continued competence in Nurse/Non Medical Prescribing in cardiology
- developing confidence in prescribing practice
- ensuring your practice is evidence based: guidelines and evidence
- keeping your prescribing knowledge up-to-date: accessing education, training and resources
- assessing and evaluating prescribing competence
- ensuring you have the history-taking, clinical assessment and diagnosis skills to prescribe appropriately and effectively
- measuring the impact of nurse medical prescribing on practice: audit and evaluation
- my experience of nurse prescribing within cardiology nurse led clinics including rapid access chest pain clinics, the nurse-led follow-up service for patients who have undergone percutaneous coronary intervention, the lipoprotein apheresis unit and pre admission clinics for elective cardiology patients

15.30 Questions & answers, followed by tea & coffee at 15.40

## 16.00 Improving prescribing practice for cardiovascular disease

### Paul Wright

Co-Chair – Cardiovascular, The UKCPA Cardiovascular Group

Lead Cardiac Pharmacist, Barts Health NHS Trust

- supporting pharmacist cardiovascular led clinics in primary and secondary care
- developing and implementing local cardiovascular prescribing guidance
- medicines optimisation and adherence

## 16.30 Non Medical Prescribing for Heart Failure & End of Life Care

### Julia DeCoursey

Consultant Nurse for Cardiac/Heart Failure Service

King's College Hospital NHS Trust

- nurse prescribing in heart failure
- supporting patients and up-titration of medication
- prescribing for palliative care in heart failure patients
- the impact of nurse prescribing in heart failure

17.00 Questions & answers, followed by close

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