



Addressing Health Equity in Primary Care: A Programme for North East London

The **North East London Health Equity Academy** is offering a programme to people working in primary care who are keen to develop the knowledge, skills and resourcefulness to take action to address health inequalities.

Offering simple, practical support the programme will develop the capability of PCN/Practice staff who wish to address particular areas of health inequalities through their work.

The offer includes:

- Five monthly modules of skill development and organisational development support
- Support (if required) from the ICB Insights Team who will provide the data you need for the issue you want to tackle in your PCN/Practice
- Additional bespoke 1-1 consultancy support between modules if needed

Benefits for PCN/practice:

- Delivering more equitable care
- Probable reduction in appointments requested (depending on issue addressed)
- Potential for higher QOF payment
- An intervention that works will save time repeating interventions that don't work

Programme content:



Dates & location

All sessions will take place on **Thursdays, 9.30am – 12.00pm** on 5th December, 9th January, 6th February, 6th March & 24th April. We will decide the balance of face-to-face and online with the participating teams. In-person modules will take place at Unex Tower, Stratford, E15.

What we ask of you:

- Your PCN/practice leadership will enable the work.
- A small team from your PCN/practice will be involved in doing the work. This may include, for example, a Practice Manager, a Social Prescribing Link Worker, a care coordinator and a GP. This team may need to draw upon other expertise within their organisation if needed.
- A minimum of two people from this team to attend each module.
- Some work to be done between modules back in your organisation. This might involve, for example, having a conversation with members of the target group to design a new offer or intervention. Planning for this will be done in-module.

Programme Directors

The programme will be led by [Martin Fischer](#), Director of Fischer Associates, and [Alyson McGregor](#) MBE, Director of Altogether Better. To chat about the programme before applying please get in touch with Alyson at alyson.mcgregor@swyt.nhs.uk.

Interested? Here's how to apply:

Places on this innovative programme are open to 7 PCN/practice teams and will be offered on the basis of an expression of interest followed by an informal interview process of 20-30 minutes.

To submit your expression of interest [CLICK HERE for our online form.](#)