



Introduction to Mental Health Pharmacy Foundation Level Seminar Friday 26th July 2019

Henley Room
Clinical Education Centre (CEC)
Level 5, Auckland Hospital
2 Park Road, Grafton
Auckland

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Time*	Topic	Presenter
9:00am	Arrival and Registration	
9:15am	Welcome from MHSIG convenor	Kyra Sycamore or Brian Almand
9:20am	Mood disorders	Carla Corbet
10:45am	Break Tea and coffee provided	
11:00am	Anxiety and sleep disorders	James McLean
12:00pm	Lunch Break (Lunch not provided)	
1:00pm	Psychosis and Schizophrenia	Brock Dale
2:30pm	Clozapine	Kyra Sycamore
3:15pm	Break Tea and coffee provided	
3:35pm	Communication and working with people in mental health	Brian Almand
4:20pm	Q&A and Panel Discussion	All
4:50pm	Close	

Fees have been reduced as much as possible to encourage attendance at this first Foundation Level Seminar. The Foundation Level Seminar will not run annually and costs are likely to increase in future. Food is not included in the cost of the day. Attendees can bring their own lunch and snacks or purchase food from within the hospital or the various cafes nearby.

Minimum numbers are required to run this seminar, and attendance is capped at 40. Register early to avoid disappointment. In the event of insufficient interest, the seminar may be rescheduled or cancelled. Registration fees would be refunded.

*Session times are subject to change

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What to expect:

A day dedicated to providing foundation skills in mental health pharmacy, taught by specialist mental health clinical pharmacists. The programme is best suited for pharmacists who are new to working in mental health or who have a special interest. This includes both hospital and community pharmacists. The programme may also be suitable for technicians who are working at a high level in a mental health setting.

If you're not sure if this day is right for you, please contact us and we'll be happy to answer any questions.

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OBJECTIVES

- Gain an understanding of the pathophysiology and presentation of the common mental health disorders
- Gain an understanding of the pharmacology of the commonly prescribed medicines used to treat mental health disorders
- Develop a more in-depth understanding of selected psychotropic medicines
- Gather skills in communicating medicines-related information to patients with mental health disorders