

RCN UK Joint Representatives' Spring Conference 2022

Raising the bar – achieving equality for nursing

Online - Hopin

Friday 1 April 2022



Programme at a glance

9.15	Conference Chair's opening remarks <i>Katy Welsh, Chair of UK Learning Reps committee</i>		
9.30	Welcome address <i>Joanne Galbraith-Marten, Director of Employment Relations and Legal Services, RCN</i> <i>Pat Cullen, RCN Chief Executive & General Secretary</i>		
10.00	Comfort break, networking and exhibition viewing		
10.15	Reps influencing COVID risk assessment and securing PPE	Acrobatics and Juggling – flexible working for the modern clinician (Reps advocating for flexible working and safe staffing)	
11.00	Comfort break, networking and exhibition viewing		
11.15	Reps tackling violence in the workplace (and why we need safe staffing)	Mandatory COVID-19 vaccinations – the past, present and future	
12.00	Comfort break, networking and exhibition viewing		
12.15	Emerging from the Pandemic – strategies for building self-confidence and self-compassion		
13.00	Lunch, networking and exhibition viewing		
13.45	President's keynote address: Supporting and retaining staff in the health service <i>Dr Denise Chaffer, RCN President</i>		
14.15	Meet & network with your UK Safety Reps committee	Meet & network with your UK Stewards committee	Meet & network with your UK Learning Reps committee
14.45	Comfort break, networking and exhibition viewing		
15.00	Keynote: Leading Workers: Raising the Bar as a Rep <i>Everline Aketch PhD, Sub-regional Secretary for English-Speaking Africa, Uganda, Public Services International (PSI)</i>		
16.00	Conference Chair's closing remarks <i>Katy Welsh, Chair of UK Learning Reps committee</i>		
16.05	Conference close		