Pain in Older People Workshop



RCN HQ, London Wednesday 26 February

Please note these programme details and timings are subject to change. A final programme will be in your delegate pack at the event.

Programme at a glance		
10.30	Registration, networking and refreshments	
11.00	Welcome & introductions Felicia Cox Immediate past chair, RCN Pain & Palliative Care Forum Editor British Journal of Pain Member IASP	
11.05	Prevalence and impact of pain in older people Professor Pat Schofield IASP Global year lead 2019: Pain in the most vulnerable Editor: National guidance pain assessment and management in OP	
11.30	Pain assessment in older people – an overview of the recently published national guidance on pain assessment Dr Julie Gregory RCN PPCF member Former Nurse Educator who has developed a pain assessment tool for older people with cognitive impairment	
11.55	Living with and beyond cancer – the challenges of managing pain in an ageing population Professor Sam Ahmedzai Emeritus Professor, University of Sheffield Co-chair of NCRI living with and beyond Cancer research group	
12.30	Lunch	
13.15	Promoting self-management - supporting nurses to use strengthening exercises in the long term inactive David Vaux Physiotherapy Manager, Arthritis Action	

13.50	The trouble with opioids
	Dr Gillian Chumbley
	Consultant Nurse Pain Management,
	Imperial Healthcare, London
	Clinical Academic
14.20	Patient centred pain management and end of life care for older people with a learning
	disability/cognitive impairment
	Professor Irene Tuffrey-Wijne
	Professor of Intellectual Disability and Palliative Care, St George's
15.00	Summary and close
	Felicia Cox and Gary Mitchell