

IT Skills Development E-bulletin

Resources and FAQs—Review

The IT Skills Pathway **Resources** and **Frequently Asked Questions** are currently undergoing a review and will be updated and renewed to reflect any changes over the last 12 months. The new and updated resources will be published as they become available to the **Resources** and **Support/FAQs** tabs on the IT Skills Pathway Tracking System.

If you have any useful resources that support the IT Skills Pathway and you are happy to share, please let us know. Should your resources be published we will, of course, reference your centre as the source. Similarly we are happy to take on board and develop any suggestions you may have for resources that will help support your centre.

Please do get in touch: IT.Skills@nhs.net

The New Learning Portal—Coming Soon

As you can see we are still very excited here at the IT Skills Pathway! The new **Learning Portal** has gone out to 7 pilot sites to rigorously test and gather feedback before making it available to all centres. The initial feedback is very positive and we hope to share the full evaluation with you next month.

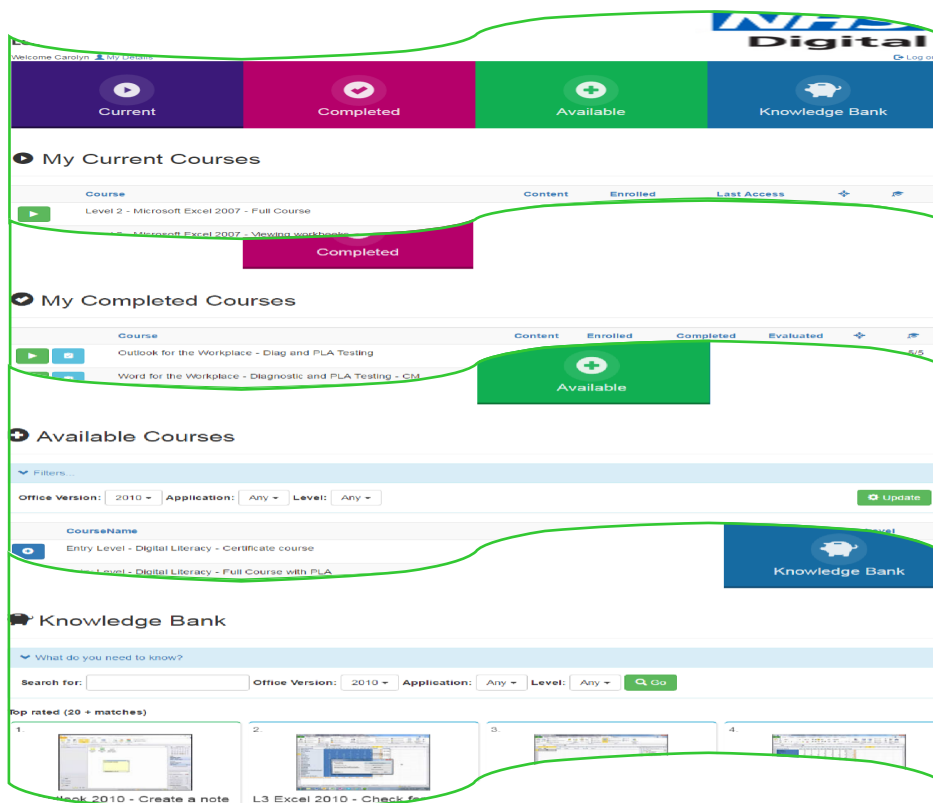


This is our excited face!

The IT Skills Pathway Learning Portal is a one stop shop for your learners to access current learning, see their achievements, enrol on new courses and search the Knowledge Bank.

We are planning to make this available to all centres from 1st May. **Centres attending the Spring User Groups will be provided with early access.**

More revealed....



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Training Dates

Content Management System (CMS) - Training Webinars

The CMS System enables centres to create bespoke courses using all of the content available from the IT Skills Pathway and then publish this to learners. Dates for March are now available and it's easy to book a place for your organisation with Eventbrite, just click [here](#) to view the training dates and register for your preferred date.

IT Skills Pathway Tracking System Training Webinars

Monthly team training webinars are available to book in March. To see dates and book a place with Eventbrite click [here](#).

Why not book a centre refresher to coincide with your next team meeting so you and your teams can see what's new on the IT Skills Pathway?

Reminders Checklist

✓ Centre Managers

[Book a place at the Spring User Group](#)

[Important Cookieless Access Disabled](#)

[Book IT Skills Pathway refresher training](#)

[Resources—suggestions, ideas and examples](#)

[Book CMS Training](#)

✓ All Tracking System Administrators

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IMPORTANT:

Cookieless Access Disabled

At the end of February 2017 cookieless access to the IT Skills Pathway is being disabled. If session cookies are not enabled at your centre, you will no longer be able to use the IT Skills Pathway. If you are still unsure about what you need to do, please read the information available in previous bulletins.

<http://www.itskills.nhs.uk/bulletins>



User Groups

Spring User Groups—Book your place

Attendees at the Spring User Groups will get information and updates on all the latest IT Skills Pathway developments and this is also a good opportunity to meet and network with other centres and hear about what is happening in your local region.

Every centre that attends a Spring User Group will be given the opportunity get exclusive access for their learners to the new [Learning Portal](#).

Location	Day	Date	Time
Northern Ireland - New Date	Tuesday	23/05/2017	10:00 to 13:00
London (venue confirmed - IWL)	Wednesday	22/03/2017	10:30 to 13:00
Manchester	Wednesday	29/03/2017	10:30 to 13:30
Newcastle	Thursday	30/03/2017	10:30 to 13:30
Leeds	Monday	03/04/2017	10:30 to 13:30
Redditch	Wednesday	05/04/2017	10:30 to 13:30
National Webinar	Friday	07/04/2017	10:00 to 13:00

Follow the location link to Eventbrite for venue details and to book a place.

NB. If you are unable to attend one of the face to face meetings please book a place on the National Webinar where we provide most of the information available to attendees at the User Group Meetings.

Top Pathway centres:

- 1 University of Manchester
- 2 Teesside University
- 3 Northumbria Healthcare NHS Trust
- 4 Sheffield Teaching Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
- 5 Kent Community Health NHS Trust
- 6 University Hospitals of Morecambe Bay Foundation Trust
- 7 The Health Informatics Service (hosted by Calderdale & Huddersfield NHS Foundation Trust)
- 8 Barking, Havering and Redbridge University Hospitals NHS Trust
- 9 The Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital NHS Trust
- 10 The Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Trust

Pathway learning:

No. of learners in January 2017 **3023**

Total pathway learners (since release 4) **219574**



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