

IT Skills Development E-bulletin

Annual Survey 2015 Results

Many thanks to the centres that completed the IT Skills Pathway Annual Survey for 2015.

The responses have been collated and the results are now available from the Bulletins tab on the IT Skills Pathway website:

<http://www.itskills.nhs.uk/bulletins/ITSPAnnualSurvey2014.pdf>



Registered Centre Certificate: Now Available

A number of centres have asked for a Centre Certificate to display in their premises. This has now been produced and is available from the Tracking System under Resources and Trainer Resources.

Microsoft Internet Explorer Support for Older Versions to End

Microsoft has announced support for all Internet Explorer versions other than IE11 will be dropped from January 12th 2016. This means no more product support or updates for older versions.



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IT SKILLS PATHWAY

LEVEL THREE

LEVEL TWO

LEVEL ONE

ENTRY



Support over the Christmas Period

Over the Christmas period, we will be providing support as per the table on the right:



| Date | IT Skills Pathway Technical Support | IT Skills Support it.skills@hscic.gov.uk |
|----------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| Mon 21st Dec | Open | Open |
| Tue 22nd Dec | Open | Open |
| Wed 23rd Dec | Open | Open |
| Christmas Eve | Closed | Open |
| Christmas Day | Closed | Closed |
| Boxing Day | Closed | Closed |
| Mon 28th Dec | Closed | Closed |
| Tue 29th Dec | Closed | Open |
| Wed 30th Dec | Closed | Open |
| New Year's Eve | Closed | Open |
| New Year's Day | Closed | Closed |

IT Skills Pathway Tracking System Webinar

We run monthly two hour training webinars for new centres or centres wanting a refresh about using the Pathway and materials. The IT Skills Pathway Tracking System webinars go through the tracking system and materials in lots of detail and give attendees an opportunity to ask lots of questions.

The December session will be held on Tuesday 8th December, 10 - 12. If you would like to attend, please contact us by email (it.skills@hscic.gov.uk) and we'll book you in. The dial in details will be sent out to those who have booked approximately a week before each session.

If you would like to attend a webinar but are unavailable on the above date, the next one will be held on Thursday 21st January 10-12. Please also contact us by email (it.skills@hscic.gov.uk) if you are interested in these sessions but are not as yet set up as a centre.

Top Pathway centres:

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|---|---|
| 1 University of Manchester | 6 Devon Partnership NHS Trust |
| 2 Teesside University | 7 NHS England |
| 3 The Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Trust | 8 NHS Business Services Authority |
| 4 University of Portsmouth | 9 University of Northampton— School of Health |
| 5 Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust | 10 Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust |

Pathway learning:

No. of learners in October 2015: 3255

Total pathway learners (since release 4): 176158



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