

NNNG update



Claire Campbell Chair of the NNNG

The NNNG Committee have been hard at work, bringing together the final pieces of a fantastic conference programme and we very much look forward to welcoming you to Bath.

The programme offers something for everyone from Advanced Clinical Practice to Palliative care, paediatrics and enteral feeding. As the only nurse lead conference for healthcare professionals working or with an interest in nutrition and hydration, this is a CPD accredited event not to be missed! To view the conference programme and register, visit: **www.nnngconference.co.uk**

If you would like to have the opportunity to present a piece of research, audit or innovation in the poster presentation, why not enter your poster abstract to the NNNG conference poster presentation? Details and entry form can be found by visiting our website: **www.nnng.org.uk**

The Best Practice Guidelines for Gastrostomy Site Management are in the final stages of formatting and will shortly be available in the member's area on the NNNG website.

In March the British Journal of Nursing Awards event took place. Our Chair, Claire Campbell and Vice Chair Natalie Welsh attended this glittering event to congratulate all those shortlisted. The winner of Nutrition Nurse of the Year was Joe Colby, Nutrition Nurse at University Hospitals Coventry and Warwickshire NHS Foundation Trust. Among Joe's many achievements during his nutrition nurse career, is the developed a nurse lead day case PEG service for patients and he is an integral part of the home parenteral nutrition service within his Trust. He has also presented his work at national level and shown drive and commitment to keeping patients best interests at the centre of decision making and care.

If you are not yet a member of the NNNG then there are plenty of reasons to join, including: Access to our discussion forum providing answers to questions and peer support; Best Practice Guidelines; Newsletters; BAPEN membership; and discounted rates to conference.

See you in Bath in June!

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