



Advanced Practice in Health Psychology

½ day Online Zoom Session

Who is this CPD Event for?

Qualified Practitioner Health Psychologists (PHPs) with applied experience or who are interested in developing their practice in client therapeutic practice, indirect HP practice e.g. public health, training, leadership-managerial processes & ethical-clinical reasoning skills. PHPs who work with challenging/complex clients; managing/commissioning services/psychologists or healthcare staff; in independent practice; work with challenging groups/clients or scenarios will particularly benefit from this unique CPD activity.

Aims:

- For experienced PHP colleagues to **securely** and **confidentially** discuss their experiences of working with challenging scenarios, clients, services and systems in a small group.
- For PHPs to draw on their experience & skills to explore a range of scenarios, case studies & issues relevant to developing PHP practice
- To facilitate participants to debate, discuss & consider practice issues **openly** with experienced & **supportive** colleagues.

Objectives – To reason, review and reflect on:

- PHP professional behaviours, & safe, effective & legal decision-making processes involved with safeguarding, ethical & risk cases.
- the challenges & differences in PHP practice & skills when in front-line/ indirect service delivery or leadership /supervisory positions.
- the application of health psychology evidence in practice: challenges of applying & evaluating models & interventions.
- the identity of PHPs in applied practice. Challenges for career development, advancement, integration with wider healthcare professionals and awareness of professional boundaries.

**** Course comprises of case study discussions and debates, role plays, mini tasks and active participation. Certificate of attendance is provided.***