

Parenteral Nutrition Training Dates – 2025

Date / Venue	Course
24 January <i>The Minster Building, London</i>	12TH NATIONAL GASTROINTESTINAL NURSING CONFERENCE <p>The National Gastrointestinal Nursing Conference is a CPD-certified educational event for nurses specialising in gastroenterology, hepatology and stoma care. The 2024 conference featured presentations on a range of specialist topics, from inflammatory bowel disease and endoscopy to nutrition and colorectal cancer.</p> <p>The event aims to support nurses' professional development and best practice in delivering holistic, evidence-based, cost-effective care, centred on improving patients' quality of life.</p>
21-25 March <i>Columbus, Ohio</i>	ASPEN 2025 NUTRITION SCIENCE & PRACTICE CONFERENCE <p>The ASPEN 2025 Nutrition Science & Practice Conference provides you access to cutting-edge research and the latest evidence-based knowledge and skills to incorporate optimal nutrition into your patient treatment plan.</p>
1 May <i>Birmingham</i>	INTRODUCTION TO PARENTERAL NUTRITION <p>This course, held in the BDA office in Birmingham, aims to provide a thorough understanding on estimating energy requirements for patients requiring Parenteral Nutrition (PN).</p> <p>To have an appreciation of the importance of assessing and monitoring patients at high risk of refeeding syndrome and how this impacts on a PN regimen.</p> <p>To develop an awareness of the principle theories and practical concepts when commencing a patient on PN, monitoring the patient and subsequently weaning off PN.</p>
5-6 May <i>Athens, Greece</i>	THE ATHENS ONCA CONFERENCE <p>This year's conference promises to be a landmark gathering of professionals, policymakers, and advocates dedicated to combating malnutrition and improving nutritional care across Europe.</p> <p>The conference will be co-hosted by the Greek ONCA team, which includes the Hellenic Dietetic Association (HDA), Hellenic Society of Medical/Clinical Nutrition and Metabolism (GrESPEN), the Greek patient organizations, the active scientific societies leading in interdisciplinary collaboration, representatives of the Ministry of Health, and many more.</p>
9-10 MAY <i>Excel, London</i>	CLINICAL PHARMACY CONGRESS <p>The Clinical Pharmacy Congress is the meeting point for clinical pharmacy professionals from across the UK (and beyond) to come together and be inspired, get the latest crucial updates and network with peers. Working with our advisory board, partners and speakers, we create a packed two-day programme of keynotes, panels and skills training to help you to deliver better support and outcomes for the patients in your area.</p>

14 May

*Priory Meeting
Rooms,
Birmingham*

BPNG ADVANCED PRACTICE IN PARENTERAL NUTRITION

This interactive one-day face-to-face event, led by experts in the field, providing an advanced overview of parenteral nutrition support in adults and paediatrics. New for 2025, the advance course includes clinical assessment skills which is carried out by the Meducate Academy. They specialise in delivering medical education and training with a focus on simulation-based learning using professional role players and their associate clinical educators.

9-12 June

*QMU,
Edinburgh*

BDA SPECIALIST GROUP - PENG CLINICAL UPDATE COURSE

The clinical update course will be held from Monday 9 June to Thursday 12 June 2025 for four days in total. Monday will commence at 9am and Thursday will conclude at 3.30pm. Delegates are required to complete pre coursework prior to attending (available from: April, submission deadline end of May - approx 35 learning hours) Following attendance of the course, delegates are required to complete a post course assignment (Deadline September). On successful completion delegates will be awarded with 20 masters credits from Queen Margaret University, Edinburgh.

11-13 June

*White Horse
Hotel, Romsey*

SOUTHAMPTON PRACTICAL NUTRITION SUPPORT COURSE 2025

The aim of the course is to provide a broad foundation of knowledge in clinical nutrition, nutritional assessment and nutrition support. Whilst primarily aimed towards trainees the course is relevant for consultants in all specialties, general practitioners and allied health professionals with an interest in nutrition and intestinal failure. The course will address the major areas of the Joint Royal Colleges Postgraduate Training Board (JRCTPB) curriculum in basic nutrition for gastroenterology trainees. The course is interactive with a variety of case-based lectures and practical workshops, a quiz and debate. To facilitate this delegate places are limited to 30.

18-19 June

*Birmingham
City Football
Club,
Birmingham*

NNNG CONFERENCE

Join the UK's premier conference for nutrition nurses and advance your skills with hands-on learning. Nutritional Care is evolving to be ever more complex and varied across all four UK nations; crossing every spectrum of healthcare and nursing specialties. The National Nurses Nutrition Group are delighted to host another CPD-accredited conference, specifically designed to enable nutrition nurses like you to benefit from a hands-on day of teaching. The NNNG Conference 2025 will cover a variety of subjects in order to support, educate and prepare nurses and AHPs for the ever-changing nutritional care challenges.

23-26 June

SEC Glasgow

BSG LIVE 2025

For the first time, the event will offer hybrid access which will give virtual participants the option to join the plenary session and three of the parallel streams throughout the 3 days as they are happening. There will be the option for virtual participants to pose questions to the chairs in the room and participate in any polls. This option also provides on-demand access to all the session recordings within the main BSG LIVE'25 programme; this totals to over 70 hours of high-quality educational content covering all areas of gastroenterology.

26-28 June

*Seattle,
Washington*

MASCC/JASCC/ISOO ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting is the foremost international and interdisciplinary conference on supportive cancer care. It covers the entire spectrum of problems experienced by patients as a result of their cancer and cancer treatment.

Rapid advances in cancer treatment have led to numerous innovations in supportive care. At the Annual Meeting, you'll discover what's new and what's on the horizon in the diverse and exciting field of supportive care.

The overall theme of the meeting is "Informed Decisions in Supportive Cancer Care".

7-10 July

*University of
Leeds*

ASEPTIC PREPARATION AND DISPENSING OF MEDICINES (APDM)

The Aseptic Preparation and Dispensing of Medicines (APDM) course has been developed by NHS TSET (the Technical Specialist Education and Training group) and is facilitated by the University of Leeds.

For more information about TSET, [visit their website.](#)

What will I learn?

This course is designed to:

- meet the needs of pharmacy staff (pharmacists and experienced senior technicians) who are engaged in the aseptic processing of medicines
- cover the principles and practice of asepsis
- provide an update on knowledge of standards, practices and quality assurance arrangements relating to the aseptic preparation and dispensing of medicines

How will I benefit?

Experienced and knowledgeable experts will present engaging and informative material, which will be beneficial to you whether you're starting out in the aseptic field or wanting to compare, up-date or improve your current knowledge and practices.

3-5

September

*University of
Leeds*

THE LEEDS COURSE IN CLINICAL NUTRITION

This course is specifically designed to provide a thorough grounding in all aspects of clinical nutrition and:

- summarise national nutrition drivers to provide a foundation for the course
- increase awareness of nutritional compromise and its consequences; give practical guidance on assessment of patients, and discuss particular patient groups (surgical patients, those with irritable bowel syndrome, renal disease, eating disorders and liver disease)
- discuss practicalities of feeding in terms of ethics, different methods of feeding and understand more about different techniques to give artificial nutrition
- establish principles of nutritional importance in extreme clinical situations (short bowel syndrome, refeeding syndrome, parenteral nutrition)

13-16

September

*Prague, Czech
Republic*

47TH ESPEN CONGRESS ON CLINICAL NUTRITION & METABOLISM

Come together with the largest, most diverse global community to explore the extraordinary advances being made in the field of clinical nutrition and metabolism. Explore the latest knowledge and research in clinical nutrition and metabolism and go on networking with experts, colleagues, and peers.

23-24

September

*Chester
Racecourse,
Chester*

PHARMACEUTICAL QUALITY ASSURANCE & TECHNICAL SERVICES (QATS) SYMPOSIUM

Leading the Way in Clinical Pharmaceutical Science. Where making, testing and regulating medicines come together. More information to follow.

1 October

Birmingham

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3-5 October

The ICC, Belfast

2025 BOPA SYMPOSIUM

The conference will include an exciting variety of expert presentations, core clinical updates, specific research-focused streams and best practice discussions. We are running a tiered system with sessions for everyone; from new to oncology pharmacy professionals to advanced practitioners. This year's Awards Dinner on Saturday evening will take place at the Iconic Titanic Museum, featuring a replica of the liner's Grand Staircase - the perfect backdrop! Further information on this soon. Attendance is included in your 3 day registration fee.

8-10 October

*The Royal
College of
Physicians,
London*

HORIZONS IN INTESTINAL FAILURE, REHABILITATION & HOME PARENTERAL NUTRITION – 2025

The course will cover all 3 types of intestinal failure:

Day 1 will cover aspects of type 1 intestinal failure including causes and prevention, refeeding, requirements, short term access, bowel obstruction, choosing a PN bag and managing metabolic complications in the short term.

Day 2 will cover aspects of type 2 intestinal failure and will focus on the management of enterocutaneous fistula and high output stomas, fistuloclysis/distal feeding, maximising enteral nutrition, pharmacology issues, management of chronic pain and dysmotility.

Day 3 will cover type 3 intestinal failure and will focus on home parenteral nutrition including the national home parenteral nutrition framework, monitoring patients on HPN, complications such as infections, metabolic and abnormal LFTs, quality of life, malignancy, intestinal rehabilitation and the patient perspective.

17-21 October

Berlin, Germany

ESMO CONGRESS 2025

The ESMO Congress is a highly influential global oncology platform for clinicians, researchers, patient advocates, journalists and healthcare industry representatives from all over the world.

ESMO 2025 will be a place where groundbreaking discoveries, cutting-edge treatments and a collaborative approach converge to shape the future of cancer care.

You will be able to learn from internationally renowned experts, engage in thought-provoking discussions and connect with fellow oncology professionals that are driving advancements in diagnosis, treatment and survivorship.

11-12

November

ICC Wales

BAPEN 2025 ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Save the date for the BAPEN Annual Conference 2025 which this year will take place at the ICC, located just outside Newport in Wales.

Registration and abstract submissions will open in the Spring but in the meantime please see below for preliminary information and don't forget to save the date!

19-21

November

*King's Place,
London*

FRONTIERS IN INTESTINAL AND COLORECTAL DISEASE

Welcome to the 23rd Annual Frontiers in Colorectal and Intestinal Disease with a spotlight on 'Prevention in Practice: Innovative Strategies to Reduce Disease Burden'.

21-22

November

*Manchester
Central*

CLINICAL PHARMACY CONGRESS NORTH

More than 1,400 clinical pharmacy professionals from across the north-east and north-west of England, north Wales, north Midlands, and southern Scotland, FOR THE SECOND TIME... experienced the same high-quality content and networking opportunities as our popular London show, but a little closer to home.