

PRIMARY CARE UPSKILLING – BREAST

Overview

It is understood there is a wide range of potential cancer signs and symptoms to be considered when seeing a patient. As a result, Norfolk and Waveney ICB wanted to create a training package to help clinicians improve their confidence. This Primary Care Upskilling training module allows the learner to understand the topic of breast symptoms via bite sized training videos, and then to apply knowledge in practice by attending breast clinics within Secondary Care.



Aim

The aim of our Primary Care upskilling course is to support individuals in further identifying cancer vs non cancer related symptoms in relation to the breast topics outlined. Spending time Secondary Care and getting to know the specialists will also enable more collaborative working arrangements between Primary and Secondary Care by learning from each other to help look after patients in the best way possible.

Qualifications Available

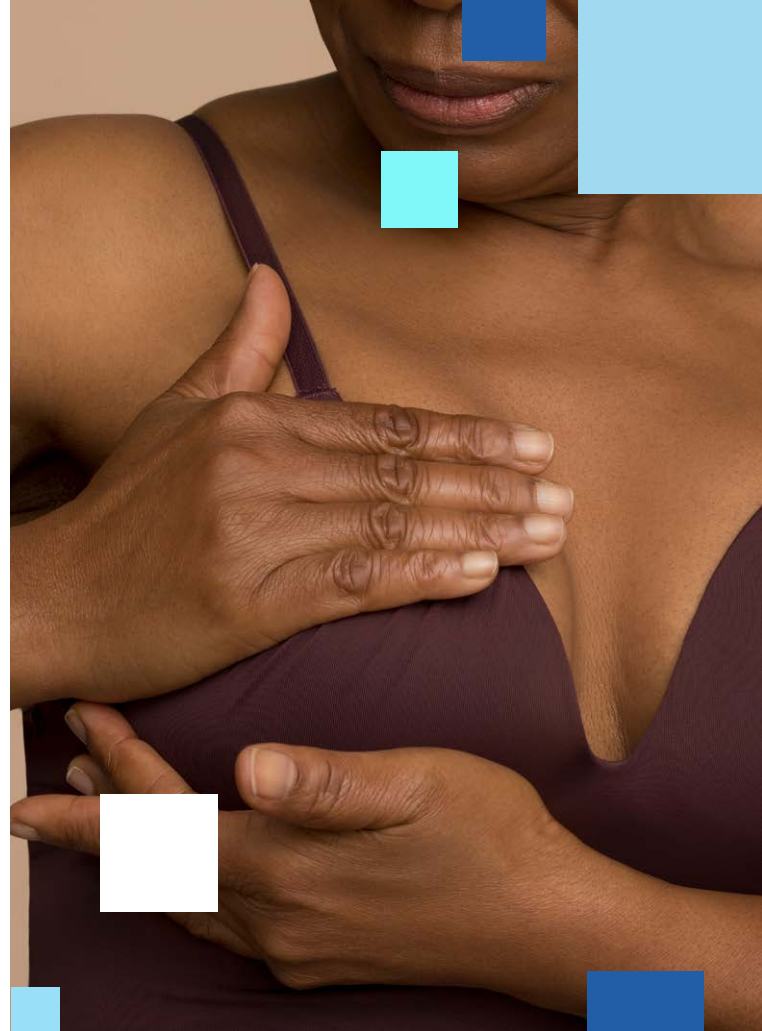
Eligible for 1 hour of CPD certification

Topics Covered

- Breast Pain
- Nipple Discharge
- Gynaecomastia
- Cosmetic Implants
- Congenital asymmetry

Target Audience

- GPs
- Staff Nurse/Community/ Practice Nurse
- Junior Doctors
- Nursing Associates
- Physician Associates
- Nursing students
- Medical students



Learner Outcomes

1. Increased confidence of NG12 signs and symptoms within practice.
2. Increased awareness/confidence of non-cancer related conditions.
3. Developed relationships between Primary and Secondary Care relating to referrals, advice and education.
4. Opportunities to apply learning in a clinical setting.
5. Opportunities to steer the development of the learning package.

Patient Outcomes

1. Potential for less invasive triage and patient anxiety.
2. Improve the quality of referrals seen on urgent suspected cancer pathways.
3. Reduction in wait time for patients, including faster diagnosis.
4. Increased opportunity to diagnose at an earlier stage.
5. Less travel for patients and improved environmental impact.

HOW TO APPLY:

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