

A Road to Better Healthcare

Speakers biographies

SESSION 1:

Dr. Farid Fouladinejad

Farid Fouladinejad is the Associate Director of Strategy and Planning at Hounslow Primary Care Trust, working in the Public Health department. His areas of responsibility include strategy development and investment planning. He joined the PCT in June 2007 and has since been involved in developing the organisation's five-year commissioning strategy as well as a number of related projects. Prior to coming to Hounslow he had been working at Barts and the London NHS Trust for a number of years in a range of operational and corporate roles. Before joining the NHS he worked as a consultant on Healthcare Technology advising NHS and private sector healthcare organisations in the UK, as well as similar organisations overseas.

He holds postgraduate qualifications in Medical Electronics and Physics from St Bartholomew's Hospital Medical College, as well as a Master of Business Administration from Imperial College, London.

David Quigley, Director of Healthcare Procurement, Hounslow Primary Care Trust

David Quigley holds a MA degree in History and three scholarships from Magdalen College, Oxford University. He is also a graduate of the Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development and is an Associate of the Institute of Healthcare Management. Having joined the NHS as a national management trainee in 1981 he has extensive experience of acute hospital, mental health and community services management.

Before joining Hounslow Primary Care Trust in February 2007 he was Director of Primary Care for Bexley Care Trust (PCT which also managed social care) from September 20th 2002, chief executive of Harrow West Primary Care Group and was general manager of the family services division at North Hertfordshire NHS Trust from January 1998. Before that he also worked for the Ombudsman's office and Kings Fund London.

He has undertaken various training courses including a programme in public service management at South Bank University. In 2003/04 he took part in a Hay director's development programme.

SESSION 2:

Tara Donnelly, Chief Executive, West Middlesex University Hospital

Tara Donnelly joined West Middlesex as its Chief Executive in February 2007. She was previously Deputy Chief Executive at the Whittington Hospital, North London, and has an extensive background in the NHS. She spent six years on the Board of the Whittington Hospital as Director of Operations and then Deputy Chief Executive. Prior to this, Tara worked in a range of senior clinical management roles at Barnet and Chase Farm Hospitals and in service development at Stoke Mandeville Hospital, Aylesbury. Her first job in the health service was working as a Ward Housekeeper at the Royal Surrey County Hospital, Guildford, in 1988. Tara is also a Trustee of the charity for people living with cancer; Macmillan Cancer Support.

Ian Kent, Executive Director of Local Services, West London Mental Health Trust

Ian Kent has worked as Executive Director of Local Services for West London Mental Health NHS Trust since May 2001. He has been involved in health services management since 1987 following two years on the NHS management training scheme. He has worked in mental health services in South and East London since 1990, prior to joining West London Mental Health NHS Trust.

Ian Kent is particularly keen to promote partnership working across all agencies involved in mental health services and works closely with 3 local authorities and 3 PCTs to promote initiatives in this area.

Ian Kent graduated from Cambridge University where he read History and Political Philosophy. He has additional management qualifications from South Bank University and Henley Management College.

SESSION 3:

Dr Varendar Winayak, General Practitioner, The Grove Park Terrace Surgery

Dr Winayak qualified from University College Hospital, London in 1978 and has been in General Practice since 1985. At that time he joined Drs Rosten and Melotte, who subsequently retired. He practices from a Medical Centre in Hanworth.

In the past his medical interests have included being a Visiting Physician to BUPA Medical Centres in London, Senior Clinical Medical Officer at Margaret Pyke Centre, Medical Officer at Marie Stopes Clinic. He has also been a company doctor to a number of companies locally. He relinquished these positions a few years ago.

In the past he has been on the Feltham Primary Care Group and has been a Clinical Governance Lead for Feltham and Coronary Heart Disease Lead for Hounslow Primary Care Trust.

He is currently local appraiser of GPs and assessor of GP practices. He is a member of the Standing Joint Liaison Committee of the LMC which meets regularly with Hounslow PCT. He is also a member of the Clinical Reference Group Committee and is one of the Practice Based Commissioning Committee members. He is PMS Forum Lead.

He has also been involved in a number of medical projects.

Dr Fay Wilson, Secretary, Local Medical Committees

Fay works part time as the secretary to the Local Medical Committees representing the family doctors in most of North-West London. She is part of a team of people covering most of London and most of her time is spent in talking to doctors, their practice staff and Primary Care Trusts to sort out problems and give advice on improving services.

Fay also works as a GP in Birmingham where she has been a partner in three different practices over the last 20 years. She has worked in different parts of the city and in practices of all sizes from single-handed to 6 doctor teaching and training practices.

Her clinical work is now in special projects and out-of-hours where she is medical director of a group of doctors who provide out of hours care to their own patients and over a million patients of other doctors.

She is an associate member of the General Medical Council and chairs panels, mostly involving doctors with health problems. She is a member of the BMA Council and the UK General Practitioners Committee. She is the chairman of the LMC conference which meets once a year to represent the views of family doctors throughout the UK.