



## **e-LEARNING for HEALTHCARE (e-LfH) registration information for STIF course attendees**

This note is comprised of two parts

1. e-LfH registration and access
2. e-LfH support tools for problem solving – if you encounter problems please use the support tools before emailing the e-LfH support team.

**To get the maximum benefit from the workshops provided by the STIF and STIF-PLUS days it is highly recommended that delegates study the appropriate modules in e-Learning for Healthcare before attending. Please be advised that it can take around 5 working days for new users to be validated and registered on the e-LfH LMS so you should undertake the registration process as early as possible. Please allow 5-7 hours to complete the sessions.**

### **SECTION1: e-LfH registration and access**

If you are employed by the NHS in the UK and have a NHS e-mail address you can register for free access to eHIV-STI via the e-LfH Learning Management System by completing the registration form on the e-LfH website:

<http://www.e-lfh.org.uk/projects/hiv-sti/register.html>.

All NHS employees have a NHS email address. It is understood that many nurses, practice nurses, healthcare assistants and advisors are not routinely provided with this information. If this is the case, the registrant needs to contact their practice managers or NHS manager for their NHS email address.

For more information and advice about obtaining a NHS email address visit:

<http://www.connectingforhealth.nhs.uk/systemsandservices/nhsmail/using>

**The way in which eHIV-STI is accessed varies.**

- A. Doctors, including GPs, and practice nurses, working in the NHS (existing and new e-LfH users)**
- B. Healthcare staff (excluding doctors) in NHS organisations/PCTs in England signed up to the National Learning Management System (NLMS)**
- C. Healthcare staff (excluding doctors) in NHS organisations/PCTs in England NOT signed up to the NLMS**
- D. Other non-NHS staff**

### **A. Doctors, including GPs, and practice nurses working in the NHS (existing and new e-LfH users)**

Doctors and GP staff working in the NHS should complete the registration form on the e-LfH website: <http://www.e-lfh.org.uk/projects/hiv-sti/register.html>

Upon completion and final submission, applicants will receive an automated confirmation email to which they will need to respond within 60 days. If the confirmation email is not received, applicants should check their Spam or Junk folders. e-LfH endeavours to send out user account details within 5 working days from the date when a response is received to the confirmation email.

**PLEASE REGISTER FOR THE CORRECT PROJECT WHICH IS CALLED eHIV-STI.** There is another project with a similar name (e-SRH: Sexual and Reproductive Healthcare project) developed by the Faculty of Sexual and Reproductive Healthcare which focuses mainly on contraceptive issues and does not contain the relevant sessions recommended for the STIF Course.

The table below lists the recommended eHIV-STI sessions.

<b>HIV-STI 01 – Approach to Patient</b>	
<b>1.01</b>	Sexual Behaviour and Infection Risk
<b>1.02</b>	Sexual History
<b>1.03</b>	Confidentiality in Sexual Health
<b>1.08</b>	Male Genital Examination
<b>1.09</b>	Female Genital Examination
<b>1.10</b>	Examination of Extra-genital Sites
<b>1.11</b>	Clinical Signs in Genitourinary Medicine
<b>1.12</b>	Screening Asymptomatic Patients
<b>1.13</b>	Chlamydia Screening
<b>1.14</b>	Partner Notification, When and How?
<b>HIV-STI 03 – Bacterial STIs and Related Conditions</b>	
<b>3.01</b>	Male urethritis: diagnosis and management.
<b>HIV-STI 04 – Genital Ulcer Disease</b>	
<b>4.01</b>	Genital Ulceration - Causes and Investigation
<b>4.09</b>	Initial and Recurrent Episode HSV
<b>HIV-STI 05 - HPV Infection, including HPV Related Neoplasia</b>	
<b>5.01</b>	Genital Lumps
<b>HIV-STI 10 - Vaginal Discharge, Vulvitis and Balanitis</b>	
<b>10.01</b>	Vaginal discharge
<b>HIV-STI 11 - HIV Testing and Prophylaxis</b>	
<b>11.01</b>	HIV Testing

**B. NHS healthcare staff (excluding doctors) in NHS organisations/PCTs in England signed up to the National Learning Management System (NLMS)**

If you are NHS healthcare staff in England (excluding doctors) and have access to the National Learning Management System (NLMS), you can access eHIV-STI via the NLMS as your learning is recorded against your electronic staff record (ESR).

The NLMS is an e-learning platform fully integrated with the ESR which means learning can be recorded against your portable employee record. Please contact your local learning and development department about accessing this via the NLMS. Further details are available here: [www.esrsolution.co.uk](http://www.esrsolution.co.uk).

**Please note that the sessions on NLMS may be displayed differently according to local configurations.**

**You may find them listed under the following four courses:**

1. Sexual Health & HIV: Introduction to STI issues
2. Sexual Health & HIV: STI History and Examination
3. Sexual Health & HIV: STI Syndromes
4. Sexual Health & HIV: Vaginal Discharge, Vulvitis and Balanitis

The recommended sessions are listed below under the relevant courses:

**1. Sexual Health & HIV: Introduction to STI issues**

Required sessions for STIF:

- Sexual Behaviour and Infection Risk
- Confidentiality in Sexual Health
- Chlamydia Screening

**2. Sexual Health & HIV: STI History and Examination**

Required sessions for STIF:

- Sexual History
- Male Genital Examination
- Female Genital Examination
- Examination of Extra-genital Sites
- Clinical Signs in Genitourinary Medicine
- Screening Asymptomatic Patients
- Partner Notification, When and How?
- HIV testing

**3. Sexual Health & HIV: STI Syndromes**

Required sessions for STIF:

- Male Urethritis: diagnosis and management
- Genital Ulceration – causes and investigations
- Genital Lumps
- Initial and Recurrent Episode HSV

**4. Sexual Health & HIV: Vaginal discharge, vulvitis and balanitis**

Required sessions for STIF:

- Vaginal Discharge

**C. Healthcare staff (excluding doctors) in NHS organisations/PCTs in England not signed up to the National Learning Management System (NLMS);**

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Once they have their NHS email address they can register in the usual way:

<http://www.e-lfh.org.uk/projects/hiv-sti/register.html>

## **D. Other non-NHS staff attending STIF courses**

**This group of users need to pay for access to eHIV-STI.**

Non-NHS users can now pay £50 (plus VAT where applicable) via PayPal to access the Level 1 (STIF) sessions: <http://www.e-lfh.org.uk/projects/hiv-sti/register.html>

Once payment has been received, details regarding how to access the e-learning will be emailed to the user. Sessions to be completed are shown in the table for doctors (above). Access will be provided for 1 year.

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## **SECTION 2: e-LfH support tools for problem solving**

A range of support tools and information is available.

They can be located on the e-LfH website:

[http://www.e-lfh.org.uk/support\\_elfh\\_LMS.html](http://www.e-lfh.org.uk/support_elfh_LMS.html) and include the following:

### **1. A technical checker**

[http://www.e-lfh.org.uk/technical\\_requirements\\_e-lfh\\_LMS.html](http://www.e-lfh.org.uk/technical_requirements_e-lfh_LMS.html)

It is important that users run this to ensure their PC meets the necessary requirements in order to run e-LfH content. Sometimes if pop-up blockers are disabled, the sessions will not open.

### **2. A Quick Start Guide**

<http://www.e-lfh.org.uk/docs/support/e-LfH%20LMS%20Quick%20Start%20Guide.pdf>

This is a very useful two page guide to get users up to speed quickly with logging in and the main areas of the e-LfH Learning Management System.

### **3. Short Captivate movies**

[http://www.e-lfh.org.uk/tutorials\\_elfh\\_lms.html](http://www.e-lfh.org.uk/tutorials_elfh_lms.html)

These are very good, visual tutorials on how to perform certain functions within the Learning Management System.

### **4. FAQs (Frequently Asked Questions) on the LMS:**

[http://www.e-lfh.org.uk/support\\_elfh\\_LMS\\_faqs.html](http://www.e-lfh.org.uk/support_elfh_LMS_faqs.html)

*Please note that eHIV-STI is not administered by BASHH and we cannot assist with registration/access problems - if you still have problems after using the above information and resources please email: [support@e-lfh.org.uk](mailto:support@e-lfh.org.uk)*