

SCHEDULE – LEADERSHIP COURSE

Thursday 10 Dec 2026

Co-Chairs: Professor Simon Barton, Regional Director of Specialised Commissioning NHS England and Dr Liz Foley, Consultant HIV/GUM HIOWH NHS Foundation Trust, Southampton.

09.30 – 10.30	The Challenges
	Professor Simon Barton, Regional Director of Specialist Commissioning NHS England.
10.30 – 11.30	Demystifying NHS finances
	Helen Jameson, Chief Finance Officer and Deputy CEO Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital.
11.30 – 11.45	NETWORKING BREAK
11.45 – 13.00	The Rise and Decline of the NHS – where next?
	Professor Sir Chris Ham, Political Scientist.
13.00 – 13.45	LUNCH
13.45 – 17.00	Interactive Theatre Workshop Session
	Workshops to including managing difficult conversations, listening, assertiveness and self – care, co-designed and delivered by Practive and the Faculty.
18.30 – 19.00	Welcome drinks with the Co-Chairs, Faculty and Delegates
19.00 – 21.00	Working Dinner, My Leadership Journey and What I Learnt
	Speaker TBC

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09.00 – 10.00	Welcome Breakfast and Introduction Session: Top 10 Leadership Tips
	Professor Simon Barton, Regional Director of Specialist Commissioning NHS England.
10.00 – 11.00	Pathway for BBVS
	Dr. Stuart Flanagan, Consultant Physician in HIV & BBV Medicine, Hon. Assoc. Professor at UCL Division of Medicine, Hepatitis B Task & Finish Group Clinical Lead, Central & Northwest London Trust. Mortimer Market.
11.00 – 11.15	NETWORKING BREAK
11.15 – 12.30	Inclusion Health: Sexual Health and Health Equity
	Dr Binta Sultan, Consultant Physician in Inclusion Health at UCLH, Chair of the National Clinical Network of Sexual Assault and Abuse Services NHS England and Grace Sumner, Founder of the Women's Inclusion Health Collective.
12.30 – 13.30	LUNCH
13.30 – 14.30	Commissioning for Impact: Successful Partnerships
	Speaker TBC
14.30 – 15.30	Your USP
	Professor Margaret Kingston, Consultant Physician and Group Associate Medical Director, Manchester University NHS Foundation Trust.
15.30 – 16.30	Reflections and Closing
	Professor Simon Barton, Regional Director of Specialist Commissioning NHS England.

Contact and other information

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