**To: All Nurses, AHPS (cc Practice Managers and PCN Managers) – Important Re CPD Funding and UWE Modules (e.g. NMP, PACR, PADRAP etc)**

Hopefully you are all aware of the National [CPD Funding](https://www.gov.uk/government/news/career-boost-for-almost-half-a-million-frontline-nhs-staff) – Personal Allocation Budget – (£1,000 per individual Nurse and AHP over three years). Eligible staff can access this funding for upskilling modules, training courses or general CPD as identified at appraisal. The funding is being managed by the Training Hub and allocated to PCNs based on each Practice CPD return.

This means there will no longer be a central pot of money for CPD/Upskilling Modules provided by UWE and previously manged by the CCG and then Training Hub. Therefore:

1. **For those of you currently enrolled or on a UWE Waiting List;** for programmes running from September 2020 - August 2021 the places are full and have already been funded under the previous year’s contract. If you are unable to now take up the place or have to withdraw for any reason please email UWE: has.cpd@uwe.ac.uk directly. Unfortunately we are unable to offer the place to anyone else.
2. **For all future or outstanding CPD requests**; your Practice will need to now fund the cost of any future programmes from the National CPD allocation and you will need authorisation from your practice manager before applying. Please **do not** contact the CCG or Training Hub. For details of courses or places available, you should visit the university website. NB. You can apply to any Higher Education Institution (HEI) /University and practices will need to approve the request and fund the courses from the CPD allocation.

For more information regarding this please email lmc.sgpet@nhs.net