

## Buprenorphine depot injection: a step-by-step guide

**Date:** Tuesday 12 December 2023

**Venue:** Online via Zoom

Time	Session
09.30am	<b>Welcome and introduction</b> Dr Emily Finch
09.45am	<b>Considerations when setting up long-acting buprenorphine clinics in disparate settings</b> Dr David Bremner
10.00am	<b>Communicating with patients about buprenorphine LAI</b> Professor Jan Melichar
10.20am	<b>Lived experience of buprenorphine LAI treatment</b>
10.35am	<b>Initiation of buprenorphine LAI in secondary addictions services</b> Dr Catherine Muyeba
10.55am	<b>Initiation of buprenorphine LAI in a nurse-led clinic</b> Rob van der Waal, NMP
11:15am	<b>Break</b>
11.30am	<b>Initiation in shared care, practical demonstration of how to give 'the jab', and using it for detox</b> Dr Mel Bagshaw
11.55am	<b>Implementation of buprenorphine LAI in prisons</b> Dr Craig Sayers
12.15pm	<b>Trouble-shooting and Q&amp;A</b> Panel Discussion
12.45pm	<b>Thanks, post-course polling and closing remarks</b> Dr Emily Finch
1.00pm	<b>End of webinar</b>

Initiation talks will incorporate:

- Initiation from scratch and from methadone
- Trouble-shooting
- How to incorporate psychosocial interventions with buprenorphine LAI treatment

Setting up talk will include:

- Which Home Office licence and where it is necessary
- Which patient groups
- What the staff mix required is