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Editor's Welcome

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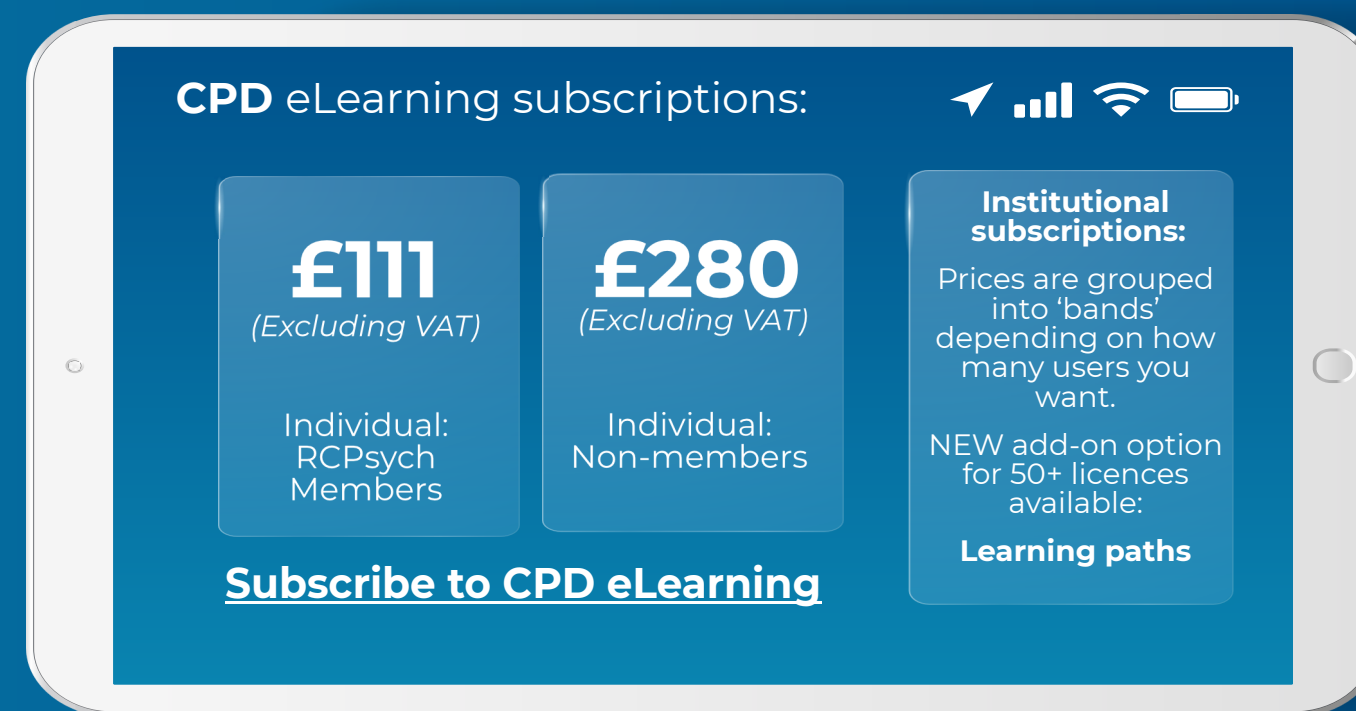
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Modules and Podcasts by category

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Addictions

Modules

- An introduction to evolutionary psychiatry
- Alcohol and the brain
- Alcohol-related brain damage
- Buprenorphine in opioid dependence
- Chemsex: sexualised drug use
- Hepatitis C and mental illness
- Neptune module 1: An introduction to club drugs and novel psychoactive substances
- Neptune module 2: Acute harms and management of depressants
- Neptune module 3: Acute harms and management of stimulants
- Neptune module 4: Acute harms and management of (SCRA) and hallucinogens
- Neptune module 5: Chronic harms and management of depressants
- Neptune module 6: Chronic harms and management of stimulants
- Neptune module 7: Chronic harms and management of (SCRA) and hallucinogens
- Safe and effective opioid replacement therapy
- Safe lithium prescribing: initiation and monitoring
- Stimulants: epidemiology and impact on mental health
- Substance use disorders in older people

Podcasts

- Alcohol self-management during COVID-19 and beyond

- Amphetamine-type stimulant drugs – a dangerous trend
- Crow and Murray: the nature and history of psychosis: Part 3
- Gambling disorder and gambling-related harms
- Managing alcohol withdrawal in acute in-patient psychiatry **FREE**
- Randomised controlled drug trials AND A look at the incidence of schizophrenia
- Rehabilitation psychiatry: principles and practice
- RCPsych in Scotland: Drug-related deaths

Child and adolescent

Modules

- ADHD in under-18s: background and assessment
- Adolescent forensic psychiatry: Part 1 – introduction and structure
- Adolescent forensic psychiatry: Part 2 – assessment and treatment
- Agency in youth mental health
- An introduction to evolutionary psychiatry
- Autism spectrum disorder: the place of pharmacological approaches *Quickbite*
- Behavioural activation in young people with low mood **FREE**
- Behavioural problems in the under fives: Part 1
- Behavioural problems in the under fives: Part 2
- Behavioural problems in the under fives: Part 3
- Body dysmorphic disorder: Part 1
- Body dysmorphic disorder: Part 2
- Children's mental health within Scottish legislation
- Climate change, nature and children and young people's mental health
- Complementary medicines for ASD and ADHD
- Complex PTSD in children and adolescents *Quickbite*
- Depression in children and adolescents: Part 1
- Depression in children and adolescents: Part 2

- Ethical and legal challenges within CAMHS Part 1
- Ethical and legal challenges within CAMHS Part 2
- First-episode psychosis: Part 1 – assessment, diagnosis and rationale
- First-episode psychosis: Part 2 – treatment approaches and service delivery
- Music therapy - an introduction
- Practical child protection
- Premenstrual dysphoric disorder (PMDD)
- Psychiatric aspects of perinatal loss
- Psychosocial management of self-harm: Part 1
- Psychosocial management of self-harm: Part 2
- Psychotropic medication in breastfeeding *Quickbite*
- Rapid tranquillisation in children and adolescents
- Recognising autism spectrum disorders in children with normal-range intelligence
- Report writing in criminal cases involving young people
- Safeguarding children:
- School refusal
- Self-harm in adolescents: Part 1
- Self-harm in adolescents: Part 2: ensuring safe practice in general adult psychiatry settings
- Transferring care between age-specific services: young people's transitions
- Working with deaf and hearing-impaired people

Podcasts

- Antidepressants in children: do the harms outweigh the benefits?
- ADHD in children and adolescents
- Anxiety disorders in children
- Attachment and how it relates to psychiatry
- Confectionery consumption in childhood and aggression in later life
- Developing communication in the therapeutic settings

- Early onset psychosis: new findings on prevalence, needs and service provision
- How mothers with BPD relate to their year-old infants
- Long-term outcomes for the offspring of depressed parents
- Managing alcohol withdrawal in acute in-patient psychiatry **FREE**
- Neurobiology of ADHD
- Psychological treatments for children and adolescents with eating disorders
- RCPsych in Scotland: Drug-related deaths
- Safeguarding children
- Self-harm
- Self-harm in adolescents
- Self-harm: non-suicidal self-injury
- Social anxiety disorder in children and young people
- Technology, young people and mental health (RCPsych Congress 2026)
- The management of eating disorders
- Working with patients remotely

Cultural diversity

Modules

- Complex humanitarian emergencies: mental health and psychosocial response **FREE**
- Cultural competency
- Cultural psychiatry
- Diversity training for psychiatrists
- Ethical considerations arising from the Government's counter-terrorism strategy **FREE**
- Exploring spirituality with people who use mental health services **FREE**
- Improving access, experience and outcomes for people living with dementia from ethnic minority communities **FREE**
- Prevent strategy: safeguarding freedom of expression and preventing stigma
- Religiously prohibited ingredients in psychotropic medications

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- Technology, young people and mental health (RCPsych Congress 2026)
- The role of religion and spirituality in mental health
- Working through interpreters
- Working with deaf and hearing-impaired people

Podcasts

- Coping, resilience and surviving trauma
- Buddhism and Stocism: the secret to happiness
- Coping with the 'pointless suffering' of COVID-19 **FREE**
- Counter-terrorism and psychiatry
- COVID-19: Isolation and loneliness – is there a 'social cure'?
- Cross-cultural research
- Equity versus equality **FREE**
- Extremism, religion and psychiatric morbidity
- Learning in psychiatry using films
- Pathways to sympathies for violent protest and terrorism
- Providing mental health care in low resource areas
- RCPsych Act Against Racism: tackling racism in the workplace (RCPsych Congress 2024)
- Social intervention for British Pakistani women with depression
- The mental health needs of refugees **FREE**
- Where there is no psychiatrists: mental healthcare in Ethiopia

Eating disorders

Modules

- An introduction to evolutionary psychiatry
- Assessment of adult bulimia nervosa
- Assessment of eating disorders in children and young people
- Body dysmorphic disorder: Part 1
- Body dysmorphic disorder: Part 2
- Eating disorders: risk factors and clinical management
- Fatigue in sport - overtraining syndrome

- Overvalued ideas: a lost concept? *Quickbite*
- Quality Improvement module 4: Patient safety in mental health
- Severe and enduring eating disorders *Quickbite*
- Use of mental health legislation in eating disorders *Quickbite*

Podcasts

- No mental health without oral health (RCPsych Congress 2025)
- Premenstrual dysphoric disorder (PMDD)
- Psychological treatments for children and adolescents with eating disorders
- The management of eating disorders

Ethics

Modules

- A 3D psychological perspective of climate change and sustainability (drivers, defences, deeds) *Quickbite*
- A guide to clinical ethics committees in psychiatry
- Advance decisions in psychiatry: England and Wales
- Advance statements and the law in Scotland
- Avoiding clinical bias in psychiatry
- Boundary violations and sexual exploitation: recognition, avoidance and management **FREE**
- Children's mental health within Scottish legislation
- Competence, capacity and decision-making ability in mental disorder decision-making, consent and capacity
- Ethical and legal challenges within children's mental healthcare: Part 1 – duty of care and rights
- Ethical and legal challenges within children's mental healthcare: Part 2 – decision-making, consent and capacity

- Ethical considerations arising from the government's counter-terrorism strategy **FREE**
- How patient-centred are you? Shared decision-making in psychiatric practice
- Inappropriate sexual behaviour in dementia
- Mental Health Act 1983: Criteria for detention
- Mental Health Act 1983: Safeguards (England)
- Mental health and tribunal law: Part 1- an introduction
- Mental health and tribunal law: Part 2– Section 72 of the Mental Health Act
- Planning ahead: end-of-life care, treatment escalation and advance care planning
- Practical child protection
- Prevent strategy: safeguarding freedom of expression and preventing stigma
- Probity in professional practice: Part 1
- Probity in professional practice: Part 2
- Psychiatric aspects of end-of-life care
- Quality improvement module 4: Patient safety in mental health
- Seclusion reviews in secure settings
- The role of religion and spirituality in mental health: research and clinical practice

Podcasts

- Assessing and communicating violence risk
- CBT approaches: paranoid thoughts
- Combatting stigma
- Coping with the 'pointless suffering' of COVID-19
- Crystalline methamphetamine: risks, harms and interventions
- David Sellu: a surgeon's story
- Ethical considerations arising from COVID-19
- Human rights as applied to mental health: do psychiatrists really know it all?
- Mental Health Tribunals: response to the COVID-19 emergency

- Professionals sharing service user information with carers
- Randomised controlled drug trials AND A look at the incidence of schizophrenia
- Rehabilitation psychiatry: principles and practice
- Seclusion
- Service user involvement and Crisis teams
- The clergy and psychiatry - an impossible mix?
- The fate of psychiatric patients under National Socialism (RCPsych Congress 2016)
- The National Confidential Inquiry into Suicide and Homicide by People with Mental Illness
- The role of therapist self-disclosure

Forensic

Modules

- Adolescent forensic psychiatry: Part 1 – introduction and structure
- Adolescent forensic psychiatry: Part 2 – assessment and treatment
- Assessment and reporting of suspected malingering in mental disorders
- Assessment and treatment of sexually abnormal behaviour
- Children's mental health within Scottish legislation
- Domestic abuse: identifying and responding to victims and perpetrators
- Ethical considerations arising from the government's counter-terrorism strategy **FREE**
- Mental Health Act 1983: Criteria for detention
- Mental Health Act 1983: Safeguards (England)
- Mental health and tribunal law: Part 1- an introduction
- Mental health and tribunal law: Part 2– Section 72 of the Mental Health Act
- Minimising in-patient suicides



Modules and Podcasts by category

- Morbid jealousy
- Narcissistic personality disorder
- People with intellectual disabilities in criminal justice settings
- Prison psychiatry: Parts 1 and 2
- Psychiatric aspects of homicide
- Report writing in criminal cases involving young people
- Risk assessment and management of violence
- Safe process for in-patient discharge: England and Wales
- Seclusion reviews in secure settings
- Suicides in prison

Podcasts

- Assessing and communicating violence risk
- Assessment of suicide ideation, risk of suicide and self-harm
- Can delusions be explained?
- Coping with the 'pointless suffering' of COVID-19
- Counter-terrorism and psychiatry
- Extremism, religion and psychiatric morbidity
- Mental Health Tribunals: response to the COVID-19 emergency
- Seclusion
- The role of mentalising in the management of violence
- Violence and schizophrenia: a realistic look at the risks, contributing factors and management

General and community

Modules

- An introduction to evolutionary psychiatry
- Alternatives to acute admission
- An unusual case presentation
- Antidepressants and psychosexual dysfunction Part 1
- Antidepressants and psychosexual dysfunction Part 2
- Armed forces and mental health: Part 1 – mental healthcare in military service
- Armed forces and mental health: Part 2 – mental healthcare for veterans
- Asking for a psychodynamic psychotherapy opinion in general psychiatry *Quickbite*
- Assessing people with psychiatric rehabilitation needs
- Assessment and management of obsessive-compulsive disorder: Part 1
- Assessment and management of obsessive-compulsive disorder: Part 2
- Assessment of adult bulimia
- Assessment of personality
- Autism spectrum disorders: the place of pharmacological approaches *Quickbite*
- Avoiding clinical bias in psychiatry
- Bereavement
- Body dysmorphic disorder: Part 1 - introduction
- Body dysmorphic disorder: Part 2 - diagnosis and treatment
- Chemsex: sexualised drug use
- Combating stigma
- Community treatment orders
- Complementary and alternative medicine in psychiatry
- Complementary medicines for ASD and ADHD
- Complex humanitarian emergencies - mental health and psychosocial response **FREE**
- Computer-aided cognitive behaviour therapy
- Critical Psychiatry
- Cultural psychiatry
- Depression in children and adolescents: Part 1
- Depression in children and adolescents: Part 2
- Diagnosing bipolar depression
- Diagnosis of personality disorder in clinical practice
- Domestic abuse: identifying and responding to victims and perpetrators
- Electroconvulsive therapy (ECT)
- Exploring spirituality with people who use mental health services **FREE**
- Family interventions in psychosis
- Feeling better - lifestyle management for chronic mental disorders
- First-episode psychosis: Part 1 – assessment, diagnosis and rationale
- First-episode psychosis: Part 2 – treatment approaches and service delivery
- Family interventions in psychosis

- Fatigue in sport - overtraining syndrome
- Feeling better - lifestyle management for chronic mental disorders
- First-episode psychosis: Part 1 – assessment, diagnosis and rationale
- First-episode psychosis: Part 2 – treatment approaches and service delivery
- Going into private or medico-legal practice
- Health anxiety: Part 1 – concept, prevalence and management
- Health anxiety: Part 2 – cognitive-behavioural therapy
- Health inequalities **FREE**
- Hoarding disorder: symptoms, diagnosis and management
- How patient-centred are you? Shared decision-making in psychiatric practice
- Human rights and the Human Rights Act 1998
- Improving access, experience and outcomes for people living with dementia from ethnic minority communities **FREE**
- Introduction to cognitive-analytic therapy
- Introduction to cognitive-behavioural therapy
- Introduction to nidotherapy: a video-based module
- Involving patients and carers in training
- Irish Mental Health Act 2001
- Management of hyperprolactinemia in psychiatric practice
- Managing stress and avoiding burnout Part 1 - Understanding stress and burnout
- Managing stress and avoiding burnout Part 2 - taking action
- Mental Health Act 1983: Criteria for detention
- Mental Health Act 1983: Safeguards (England)
- Mental health and tribunal law: Part 1- an introduction
- Mental health and tribunal law: Part 2– Section 72 of the Mental Health Act
- Metabolic syndrome and schizophrenia

- Morbid jealousy
- Music therapy - an introduction
- Narcissistic personality disorder
- Neuropsychiatric problems in Parkinson's disease
- Neuropsychiatry of stroke
- Overvalued ideas: a lost concept? *Quickbite*
- Pharmacological management of mania
- Pharmacological treatment of resistant depression: an overview
- Physical Activity (PA) Interventions In Serious Mental Illness (SMI)
- Polypharmacy - causes and consequences
- Probity in professional practice: Part 1
- Probity in professional practice: Part 2
- Psychedelic drug therapy in psychiatry
- Psychiatric aspects of dizziness: a question of balance
- Psychiatric aspects of perinatal loss
- Psychodermatological disorders
- Psychosocial management of self-harm: Part 1
- Psychosocial management of self-harm: Part 2
- Psychotropic medication in breastfeeding *Quickbite*
- Quality improvement module 4: Patient safety in mental health
- Recognising autism spectrum disorders in children with normal-range intelligence
- Recovery narrative in clinical practice **FREE**
- Risk assessment and management of violence
- Mental Health (NI) Order 1986 – Module 1: an introduction **FREE**
- Mental Health (NI) Order 1986 – Module 2: admission to hospital Module 2 **FREE**
- Mental Health (NI) Order 1986 – Module 3: assessment and treatment **FREE**
- Mental Health (NI) Order 1986 – Module 4: safeguards and rights **FREE**
- Rural mental health: Part 1
- Rural mental health: Part 2

- Safe process for in-patient discharge: England and Wales
- Safe lithium prescribing: initiation and monitoring
- School refusal
- Seasonal affective disorder (SAD): Part 1
- Seasonal affective disorder (SAD): Part 2
- Sports psychiatry
- Stimulants: epidemiology and impact on mental health
- Substance misuse in older people
- Sustainability in psychiatry
- Taking a general medical history in psychiatry
- Technology, social media and mental health Part 1
- Technology, social media and mental health Part 2
- The role of religion and spirituality in mental health
- Transferring care between age-specific services: young people's transitions
- Treating depression in later life
- Understanding and managing cardiovascular risks in treating mental health disease
- Understanding and safely managing paranoid personality disorder
- Vitamin D in schizophrenia and depression – is it all about the sunshine?
- Working through interpreters
- Working with deaf and hearing-impaired people

Podcasts

- Adult ADHD and psychosis (2025 update)
- Agency in youth mental health
- An ancient guide to anger management
- Amphetamine-type stimulant drugs – a dangerous trend
- Anxiety: a short story
- Aphorisms and their place in psychiatry
- Are you ignorant about the pandemic?
- Assessment of suicide ideation, risk of suicide and self-harm
- Attachment and how it relates to psychiatry

- Big Questions in Psychiatry: can medications ever help psychiatric disorders?
- Big Questions in Psychiatry: Responsibility in psychiatry - exploring blame, compassion and mental illness
- C.G. Jung's approach to life and psychotherapy
- Cardiovascular fitness and depression
- CBT approaches: paranoid thoughts
- Cognitive-behavioural group treatment for functional somatic syndromes
- Combating stigma
- Connecting the dots in an uncertain world
- Conversion disorder
- Coping with the 'pointless suffering' of COVID-19
- Counter-terrorism and psychiatry
- COVID-19: Isolation and loneliness – is there a 'social cure'?
- Cross-cultural research
- Crow and Murray: the nature and history of psychosis – Part 1
- Crow and Murray: the nature and history of psychosis – Part 2
- Crow and Murray: the nature and history of psychosis – Part 3
- Crystalline methamphetamine: risks, harms and interventions
- David Sellu: a surgeon's story
- Delusions: understanding the un-understandable
- Depersonalisation-derealisation disorder (DDD)
- Destigmatising women's mental health in the Middle East
- Developing communication in the therapeutic setting
- Did Sir Winston Churchill suffer from the 'black dog'?
- Disenchantment: managing motivation and demotivation at work
- Do we have free will?
- Employment and schizophrenia
- Equity versus equality **FREE**
- Extremism, religion and psychiatric morbidity
- Gambling disorder and gambling-related harms
- Gene-environment interactions
- Grief and grieving: a guide for the confused
- Hereditary data in 19th century asylums
- Hoarding

- How mentalisation changes the mind
- How to keep an open mind
- How to think like Shakespeare: lessons from a Renaissance education
- Human rights as applied to mental health: do psychiatrists really know it all?
- Immigration and crime: is there a link?
- Insight: how is it related to mental disorder?
- Learning in psychiatry using films
- Lithium for bipolar disorder: the John Cade story
- Long-term outcomes for the offspring of depressed parents
- Lost in thought: can intellect save you in a pandemic?
- Malingering
- Maternal smoking during pregnancy and bipolar disorder in offspring
- Maurice Pappworth: the whistle blower
- Medically unexplained symptoms
- Mental health in Ukraine **FREE**
- Military psychiatry
- No mental health without oral health (RCPsych Congress 2025)
- Obedience to authority – lessons from Milgram applied to COVID-19
- Omega-3 fatty acids and depression (RCPsych Congress 2016)
- Pathways to sympathies for violent protest and terrorism
- Pharmacotherapy for borderline personality disorder
- Phenomenology
- Post traumatic stress disorder: an evolutionary perspective
- Predicting and preventing common mental illness
- Premenstrual dysphoric disorder (PMDD)
- Prisonomics
- Prodromal psychosis
- Professionals sharing service user information with carers
- Promoting physical activity in severe mental illness

- Psychiatry and physical health: where are we now?
- Psychiatry and public health: links between the environment and public health
- Psychosocial response to epidemics – lessons from Ebola applied to COVID-19
- Public mental health
- RCPsych Act Against Racism (RCPsych Congress 2024)
- RCPsych in Scotland: Drug-related deaths
- Recovery Model: how can measuring patient progress have an impact on care?
- Reforming the culture of healthcare: the case for intelligent kindness
- Refractory psychosis – challenges in research and treatment
- Rehabilitation psychiatry: principles and practice
- Rising rates of involuntary detention: is there any solution? (RCPsych Congress 2024)
- Safeguarding children
- Schizophrenia: genetic and environmental factors
- Seclusion
- Self-harm
- Self-harm: non-suicidal self-injury
- Service user involvement and Crisis teams
- Seven deadly sins of psychological science
- Sexual dysfunction in first-episode psychosis
- Social anxiety disorder in children and young people
- Social intervention for British Pakistani women with depression
- Social prescribing
- Soul Machine: the invention of the modern mind
- Stick with it: the science behind lifestyle change
- Suicide and the recession
- Surviving the trauma: post-traumatic stress disorder in relation to COVID-19
- Sustainable prescribing

Modules and Podcasts by category

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- The clergy and psychiatry - an impossible mix?
- The computational view of delusions (RCPsych Congress 2015)
- The effect of talking about suicide on suicide rates: a surprising result
- The history and psychology of delusions
- The importance of circadian rhythms (RCPsych Congress 2017)
- The management of eating disorders
- The mental health needs of refugees **FREE**

- What is life? Bridging the disciplines to solve unanswered questions
- Where there is no psychiatrist: mental healthcare in Ethiopia
- Working with patients remotely **FREE**

Intellectual disability

Modules

- ADHD in under-18s: background and assessment
- Adult ADHD
- An introduction to evolutionary psychiatry
- Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) in adults: a brief introduction
- Autistic spectrum disorder- the place of pharmacological approaches *Quickbite*
- Bedside assessment of cognition
- Behavioural activation in young people with low mood **FREE**
- Complementary medicines for autism and ADHD
- Dementia: breaking the bad news
- Diagnosis of autism spectrum disorders in adults *Quickbite*
- Ethical and legal challenges within CAMHS Part 1
- Ethical and legal challenges within CAMHS Part 2
- Managing challenging behaviour in mental health in-patient units
- Managing challenging behaviour in mental health in-patient units
- Mental health during the perimenopause and menopause: part 2
- People with intellectual disabilities in criminal justice settings
- Prescribing Antiepileptic drugs (AEDs) for people with Intellectual Disability (ID)
- Recognising autism spectrum disorders in children with normal-range intelligence
- Sensory impairment and intellectual disability
- Working with deaf and hearing-impaired people

Podcasts

- Adult ADHD
- Adult ADHD and psychosis (2025 update)
- Autism and mental health
- Gene-environment interactions
- Improving mental health outcomes for autistic women (Congress 2024)
- Micronutrients and neurodevelopmental disorders
- Neurobiology of ADHD

IT informatics

Modules

- Evidence-based mental health
- Options for remote working post COVID-19 *Quickbite* **FREE**
- How to conduct literature searches
- Technology, social media and mental health Part 1
- Technology, social media and mental health Part 2

Podcasts

- Big Data: the answer to a big problem? (RCPsych Congress 2018)
- Technology, young people and mental health (RCPsych Congress 2026)
- Virtual reality in psychological interventions

Legal

Modules

- A guide to medico-legal report writing
- Advance decisions in psychiatry: England and Wales
- Advance statements and the Law in Scotland
- Assessment and reporting of suspected malingering in mental disorders
- Children's mental health within Scottish legislation

- Clinical errors and medical negligence
- Community treatment orders
- Competence, capacity and decision-making ability in mental disorder
- Ethical and legal challenges within CAMHS Part 1 - duty of care and rights
- Ethical and legal challenges within CAMHS Part 2 - decision-making, consent and capacity
- Ethical considerations arising from the government's counter-terrorism strategy **FREE**
- FREDA - a human rights based approach to clinical practice
- Going into private or medico-legal practice
- Human rights and the Human Rights Act 1998 - implications for psychiatrists
- Irish Mental Health Act 2001
- Mental Health Act 1983: Criteria for detention
- Mental Health Act 1983: Safeguards (England)
- Mental health and tribunal law: Part 1- an introduction
- Mental health and tribunal law: Part 2– Section 72 of the Mental Health Act
- People with intellectual disabilities in criminal justice settings
- Probity in professional practice: Part 1
- Probity in professional practice: Part 2
- Psychiatric aspects of homicide
- Quality improvement module 3: Organisation theory: conceptual frameworks in a changing context
- Quality improvement module 4: Patient safety in mental health
- Report writing in criminal cases involving young people
- Safe process for in-patient discharge: England and Wales
- Use of mental health legislation in eating disorders *Quickbite*

Podcasts

- Counter-terrorism and psychiatry
- Can delusions be explained?
- Coping with the 'pointless suffering' of COVID-19 **FREE**

Liaison

Modules

- Alternatives to acute admission
- An introduction to evolutionary psychiatry
- An introduction to trauma-informed care: Part 1
- An introduction to trauma-informed care: Part 2
- An unusual case presentation
- Antidepressants and psychosexual dysfunction Part 1
- Antidepressants and psychosexual dysfunction Part 2
- Armed forces and mental health: Part 1 – mental healthcare in military service
- Armed forces and mental health: Part 2 – mental healthcare for veterans
- Community treatment orders
- Cultural psychiatry
- Delirium in older people: assessment and management
- Depersonalisation-•derealisation disorder (DDD)
- Diabetes and the psychiatrist – optimising patients' physical health care
- Diagnosing bipolar depression
- Fatigue in sport - overtraining syndrome
- Feeling better - lifestyle management for chronic mental disorders
- First-episode psychosis: Part 1 – assessment, diagnosis and rationale
- First-episode psychosis: Part 2 – treatment approaches and service delivery
- Health anxiety: Part 1 – concept, prevalence and management
- Hepatitis C and mental illness
- How patient-centred are you? Shared decision-making in psychiatric practice

- Introduction to nidotherapy: a video-based module
- Managing depression in physically illness
- Morbid jealousy
- Physical healthcare in severe mental illness
- Post-traumatic stress disorder in adults
- Premenstrual dysphoric disorder (PMDD)
- Probity in professional practice: Part 1
- Probity in professional practice: Part 2
- Psychiatric aspects of dizziness: a question of balance
- Psychiatric aspects of end-of-life care
- Psychiatric aspects of perinatal loss
- Psychiatric aspects of terminal care
- Psychodermatological disorders
- Psychopharmacology in end-of life-care Quickbite
- Psychosocial management of self-harm: Part 1
- Psychosocial management of self-harm: Part 2
- Recognising autism spectrum disorders in children with normal-range intelligence
- Risk assessment and management of violence
- Taking a general medical history in psychiatry
- The bedside assessment of cognition
- Understanding and managing cardiovascular risks in treating mental health disease
- Working through interpreters
- Working with deaf and hearing-impaired people

Podcasts

- Amphetamine-type stimulant drugs - a dangerous trend
- Assessing and communicating violence risk
- Assessment of suicide ideation, risk of suicide and self-harm
- Borderline personality disorder
- Cognitive-behavioural group treatment for functional somatic syndromes
- Depersonalisation-derealisation disorder (DDD)
- How mothers with BPD relate to their three year-old infant
- Malingering
- Military psychiatry

- Pharmacotherapy for borderline personality disorder
- Phenomenology
- Predicting and preventing common mental illness
- Premenstrual dysphoric disorder (PMDD)
- Prodromal psychosis
- Psychosocial response to epidemics – lessons from Ebola applied to COVID-19 **FREE**
- Public mental health
- Recovery Model: how can measuring patient progress have an impact on care?
- Reforming the culture of healthcare: the case for intelligent kindness
- Refractory psychosis – challenges in research and treatment
- Self-harm
- Self-harm: non-suicidal self-injury
- Service user involvement and Crisis teams
- Sexual dysfunction in first-episode psychosis
- Social intervention for British Pakistani women with depression
- Surviving the trauma: post-traumatic stress disorder in relation to COVID-19 **FREE**
- The mental health needs of refugees **FREE**
- Veterans' mental health

- Climate change, nature and children and young people's mental health
- Combating stigma
- Community treatment orders
- Depersonalisation-derealisation disorder (DDD)
- Diabetes and the psychiatrist
- Evidence-based mental health
- FREDA: a human rights-based approach to clinical practice
- Giving feedback to resident doctors
- Human rights and the Human Rights Act 1998
- Managing stress and avoiding burnout Part 1
- Managing stress and avoiding burnout Part 2
- Mental Health Act 1983: Criteria for detention
- Mental Health Act 1983: Safeguards (England)
- Mental health and tribunal law: Part 1- an introduction
- Mental health and tribunal law: Part 2– Section 72 of the Mental Health Act
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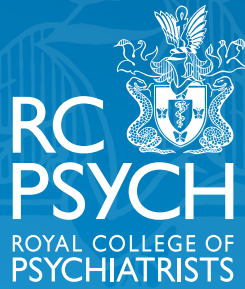
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