

# CAIPE e-Bulletin

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**Welcome** to the October issue of the CAIPE e Bulletin, a monthly electronic Newsletter providing concise information and links to more in depth information, predominately on the CAIPE website [www.caipe.org.uk](http://www.caipe.org.uk)

### **NEWS**

- **CAIPE's President Hugh Barr and Vice Chair Helena Low awarded Honorary membership of JAIPE**  
At the recent ATBH6 Conference in Kobe Japan, Hugh Barr and Helena Low were awarded honorary membership of the Japan Association of Interprofessional Education (JAIPE) in appreciation for their co-operation and contribution to promoting Interprofessional work and interprofessional education in Japan and particularly to the establishment and development of JAIPE. The awards were presented at the conference party. For more information and to read the report of the Conference go to <http://www.caipe.org.uk/resources/events-reports/>
- **ATBH6, Kobe Japan** Members of CAIPE, including student members, took an active part in the 6th All Together Better Health conference in Kobe, Japan on the 5th-8th October 2012. Coming soon within the Student section [www.caipe.org.uk/students/student-news](http://www.caipe.org.uk/students/student-news) will be more reports from students who attended especially the winners of the student competition for funded places.
- **Collaborative working greatly benefits patients** Partnership working between the NHS and the pharmaceutical industry at both a local and national level can improve outcomes for patients. The innovation, health and wealth review will see the Department of Health and pharmaceutical companies co-operating to improve access to medicines. Within the changing NHS landscape, it is essential efficiency measures are made and budgets are stretched further, while providing better treatments and quality of care to patients. <http://www.guardian.co.uk/healthcare-network/2012/oct/15/collaborative-nhs-pharmaceutical-patients?newsfeed=true>
- **CAIPE's response to the draft Care and Support Bill** The draft Bill was published on the DH website for online consultation. Comments on the individual clauses were invited and the online consultation ran until 19 October 2012. Posted comments will feed directly into the process of parliamentary scrutiny. They will be used to assist and challenge the government in considering how to improve the proposals in the draft Bill. CAIPE commented on a number of clauses, <http://www.caipe.org.uk/resources/caipes-response-to-consultations-and-reports/>

### **EVENTS**

- **'Collaborative Practice: Meeting the challenges of today together' 2nd National CAIPE Student Conference on 9th November 2012 in Birmingham.** Explore collaborative practice in health and social care with other UK students, discuss the challenges of collaborative practice with a panel with leading experts in the field, and consider the transition from student to practitioner in health and social care. Create or extend your own network of contacts with health and social care students across the UK and boost your CV, with all attendees receiving a Certificate of Attendance. This is free to student members and will be an exciting and stimulating occasion. Refreshments and lunch will be provided & CAIPE will pay up to 50% of travel expenses (maximum £50 each). We hope to see many of you there. For more information and booking form go to [http://www.caipe.org.uk/events/?event\\_id=123](http://www.caipe.org.uk/events/?event_id=123)
- **Chair's Event 23rd November 2012.** The theme for the day is 'Pathways to Practice: the transitions'. – This annual event is designed primarily for CAIPE's individual members. For full details including invite and programme go to [http://www.caipe.org.uk/events/?event\\_id=126](http://www.caipe.org.uk/events/?event_id=126)
- **Protecting children from harm - issues and controversies. 22nd January 2013 9.30-5.00**  
[http://www.caipe.org.uk/events/?event\\_id=127](http://www.caipe.org.uk/events/?event_id=127) A joint event between the Royal Society of Medicine (GP section, Paediatric & Child health section) and CAIPE at The Royal Society of Medicine, 1 Wimpole Street, LONDON, W1G 0AE. Costs CAIPE student member £35, CAIPE member £60. The aim of the day is to promote an understanding of the complex issues relating to child protection. Please go to the RSM website, to Register for this event [www.rsm.ac.uk/academ/smtgp.php](http://www.rsm.ac.uk/academ/smtgp.php)

## **RESOURCES**

- **CAIPE has a new look Homepage** We have redesigned the homepage to make the website easier to navigate with a more modern feel. New features include membership benefits, an events diary, a tag cloud and a red announcement box. <http://www.caipe.org.uk/>
- **Clinical Interprofessional Learning of Patient-Centered Medical Home Principles Using the Exemplary Care and Learning Site Model** September 21, 2012 This program introduces principles of Patient centered medical home (PCMH) into LSU internal Medicine residency ambulatory training. A team of learners from nursing, medicine, pharmacy, and social work provide care management for a high risk population of uncontrolled diabetic patients. <https://www.mededportal.org/icollaborative/resource/563>
- **Impact of interprofessional education on collaboration attitudes, skills, and behavior among primary care professionals.** Care for the frail elderly is often provided by several professionals. Collaboration between them is essential, but remains difficult to achieve. Interprofessional education (IPE) can improve this collaboration. We developed a 9-hour IPE program for primary care professionals from 7 disciplines caring for the frail elderly, and aimed to establish whether the program improved professionals' interprofessional attitudes and attitudes toward collaboration, collaboration skills, and collaborative behavior. We also evaluated learners' reactions to the program. For more information go to <http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1002/chp.21145/abstract>
- **Improving Hospital Care and Collaborative Communications for the 21st Century: Key Recommendations for General Internal Medicine** Background: Communication and collaboration failures can have negative impacts on the efficiency of both individual clinicians and health care system delivery as well as on the quality of patient care. Recognizing the problems associated with clinical and collaboration communication, health care professionals and organizations alike have begun to look at alternative communication technologies to address some of these inefficiencies and to improve interprofessional collaboration. For full article see <http://www.ijmr.org/2012/2/e9/>
- **Interprofessional Education - A conversation with IPE scholars.** AAL Senior Consultants Hershey Bell, M.D., M.S. and Clyde Evans, Ph.D. make a case for interprofessional education and discuss its implementation. [http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=niJG2vfn3nw&feature=youtube\\_gdata](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=niJG2vfn3nw&feature=youtube_gdata)

## **OPPORTUNITIES**

- **Job Vacancy: Academic Position (B-D) in Work Integrated Learning at the University of Sydney, Australia CLOSING DATE: 26 November 2012 (11.30pm Sydney time)** The Faculty of Health Sciences at the University of Sydney, is currently seeking either a Lecturer, Senior Lecturer or Associate Professor in Work Integrated Learning. Position reference number is 775/0512 For further information see <http://www.caipe.org.uk/news/job-vacancy-academic-position-bd-in-work-integrated-learning-at-the-university-of-sydney-australia/>
- **An opportunity to support CAIPE by fundraising whilst shopping online** <http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/caipe> can help to raise funds for CAIPE by our supporters registering with them. It works in a similar way to nectar, but instead of earning points when you shop online, you raise a donation for CAIPE instead. You can also raise an extra 25% with gift aid. It's as simple as that! And it won't cost you a penny.

**We are always interested in your views on the CAIPE E Bulletin. Please send your comments and website content to Debbie Holmes [webmanager@caipe.org.uk](mailto:webmanager@caipe.org.uk)**