



24th May 2011

Dear Colleague

Re: Energise for Excellence – A Call to Action for Nurses and Midwives

Thank you for expressing an interest in becoming an Energise for Excellence (E4E)/High Impact Action (HIA) Nurse/Midwife.

We would like to offer you the opportunity to come and find out more, tell us what you are doing within your organisation, share what improvements you would like to get involved with and help us move this work forward. As you may know, E4E is an overarching framework to support nurses and midwives in delivering improved quality and safety. It brings together a range of tools, approaches and measures that will help you implement and monitor improvements. It is designed to help you make sense of the range of quality improvement programmes and support you in making quality and cost reducing changes. It includes the High Impact Actions for Nursing and Midwifery.

We are holding a national workshop; '**Energise for Excellence – You Can Make it Happen**' on **Tuesday 28th June 2011** at the **NHS Institute for Innovation and Improvement, Coventry House, The University of Warwick, Coventry, CV4 7AL**. Come and help lead and shape the development of Energise for Excellence.

We are asking nurses, midwives, students and nursing support staff to join a Call to Action and share their quality and cost saving stories. It's time for us nurses and midwives to be proud of our achievements and use our collective energy and commitment to build a positive future. Many of you have already implemented great improvements and it's time to let others know about this.

Places are limited. To nominate yourself for a place please email e4e.hia@westmidlands.nhs.uk indicating which Strategic Health Authority area you work in. Confirmed places will be notified by **Tuesday 14th June 2011**.

Please come and join us to lead the change.

I look forward to receiving your nomination.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michelle Mello".

Michelle Mello

National Implementation Director – Energise for Excellence