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## MULTI-DISCIPLINARY ACADEMIC PROGRAMME

*Autumn Term 2008*

This Programme is open to all staff who support people with learning disabilities.

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<b>Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2008</b>	
<b>Moderator:</b> Muthu Kannabiran	
<b>10.00 am</b>	<b>Case Presentation</b>
Croydon Mental Health in Learning Disabilities Team	
<b>11.00 am</b>	<b>Review of 'Healthcare for All: Report of the Independent Inquiry into Access to Healthcare for People with Learning Disabilities'</b>
Dr. Bini Thomas, SpR, Southwark Mental Health in Learning Disabilities Team	
<b>12.00pm</b>	<b>Epilepsy, Learning and Behaviour</b>
Dr. Elaine Hughes, Consultant Neurologist, King's College Hospital	

<b>Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2008</b>	
<b>Moderator:</b> Muthu Kannabiran	
<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Case Presentation</b>
Lewisham Mental Health in Learning Disabilities Team	
<b>11.00am</b>	<b>Review of 'Commissioning person centred, cost-effective, local support for people with learning disabilities'</b>
Dr. Vishwa Radhakrishnan, SpR, Bromley Mental Health in Learning Disabilities Team	
<b>12.00pm</b>	<b>The new Mental Health Act and implications for people with learning disabilities</b>
Dr. Ian Hall, Consultant Psychiatrist, Tower Hamlets Primary Care Trust	

<b>Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2008</b>	
<b>Moderator:</b> Muthu Kannabiran	
<b>10.00 am</b>	<b>Case Study</b>
Bromley Mental Health in Learning Disabilities Team	
<b>11.00 am</b>	<b>Review of recent publications</b>
Dr. Simon Bonell, SpR, Greenwich Mental Health in Learning Disabilities Team	
<b>12.00pm</b>	<b>Staffs' knowledge and perceptions of working with women with intellectual disabilities and psychiatric disorders</b>
Dr. Laurence Taggart, Lecturer in the School of Nursing, University of Ulster	

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<b>Moderator:</b> Muthu Kannabiran	
<b>10.00am – 12.45pm</b>	
<b>Internal meeting for staff from Estia Centre staff and staff from associated organisations</b>	

**Information:**

16<sup>th</sup> October 2008

Bridging the Gap: Contemporary issues in meeting the mental health needs of people with learning disabilities.

National Conference – [www.pavpub.com](http://www.pavpub.com)

27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> November

Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) and Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) in Adults: Approaches to Diagnosis and Treatment

Course being held at the Institute of Psychiatry

<http://www.iop.kcl.ac.uk/departments/?locator=1045&context=1131>

New website for information and news

Supporting People with Learning Disabilities

[www.learningdisabilityonline.com](http://www.learningdisabilityonline.com)