



17 February 2005

**Aims:**

**Management and issues concerning high blood Pressure**

**Education and sharing knowledge**

**Comments / Feedback for today's session**

Clear and concise, I was able to read topic ahead of time so felt it re-affirmed that knowledge.  
 Not overly detailed, handout great.  
 Good amount of clinical and practical information, well presented.  
 Very detailed handout, good input / helpful from trainers.  
 Excellent session, well structured, good take-home messages.  
 Good to learn about differing governmental guidelines re hypertension (i.e. BHS, NICE. etc).  
 Very helpful.  
 Excellent session, very interactive at the right level, directly applicable to practice.  
 A great start to the term.  
 Handout useful, good sharing of knowledge.  
 No conclusion of "what we have learned".  
 Very helpful, good to have back up interactive.  
 Would be good to have website for further information.  
 Splendid, a marvelous start to the term.  
 Good.  
 Very Good.  
 Very good insight information practical problems in treatment of HTN in community.  
 Highly relevant, very useful.  
 Very well prepared and facilitated.  
 Good.  
 Well prepared by facilitators, good forum for open discussion.  
 Good combination of expert knowledge, GPR perspective. Informative session in a friendly atmosphere, more practical issues faced by GPs should be included.  
 Good typical issue in everyday practice.  
 Very educational and interactive, excellent session, very useful.  
 Useful to hear the guidelines and have knowledge.  
 Good open discussion - not threatening.  
 Good, very useful.

**Whole Group session**



**Overall average = 8.4**



24 February 2005

**Aims:**

To discuss microbiology problems that commonly occur in General Practice, in particular in pregnancy.

**Comments / Feedback for today's session**

- Informative and useful for GPs and junior doctors.
- Very informative session, open discussion so able to clarify issues to GP.
- Very useful session, pertinent scenarios - very good advice.
- Useful presentation by Dr Jane Stockley.
- Topic too vast to cover in 1 session.
- Very good session, informative and pitched at right level.
- Very good, would think to have another session.
- Exactly what you need for GPs.
- Very useful and pertinent to hospital and primary care.
- This was a really useful and thoroughly beneficial session.
- A follow up would be useful.
- Dr Stockley was just about to talk about Group B strep and I would have valued that.
- Very useful, informative, would have been good to know where to access written guidelines.
- Very useful information, understand the basics of managing commonly asked questions.

**Whole Group session**



**Overall average= 8.9**



**03 March 2005**

**Aims:** **MRCGP written practice  
FAQs for new registrars.**

**Comments / Feedback for today's session**

Very helpful for exams, good participation, some think to take away.  
Good exam practice, good to have 15 minutes for individual answers then group work.  
Everyone included in discussion.  
Excellent, Good presentation – clinically relevant and interesting.  
Encouraged involvement and contribution from everyone present.  
Lack of presentation was a disappointment.  
Framework useful.  
Useful session. Gave valuable insight into the multi-faceted approach to consultation  
Very useful run-through and practice under tried conditions.  
Useful to get other people ideas and consider?  
Got an idea as to how to go about answering questions

**Whole Group session**



**Overall average = 6.4**



# Worcester VTS - Summary Form

GPR or SHO  
(please circle)

10 March 2005

**Topic:** Diabetes

**Aims:** SHO: Feedback on Practice Visits  
GPR: Personal Development Plans, what are they?  
How do they fit with appraisal?

## Comments / Feedback for today's session

Interesting, gave a lot of confidence. Good.

Very clear, nice slides, not too much information, a good refresher, thanks.

Very good overview in slides and excellent handout. PDP session excellent at clarifying what is required when using PDPs and appraisal. Useful guidance for developing PDPs.

Confused at beginning, slightly clearer at end.

Really practical, very helpful. Will get on with it!

Excellent. Covered a lot of relevant info in a short time.

Presentation excellent. Good to be learning relevant things on VTS. Also, much less hanging about now.

Excellent talk on diabetes – really relevant.

Very good info about DM Good to have 'expert'. Videos and practice question very useful.

Very useful and appropriate. Clear, concise presentation. Clearly lots of preparation. Good to have SpR to answer questions.

## Whole Group session



**Overall Average = 8.3**



## Worcester VTS - Evaluation Form

GPR or SHO  
(please circle)

17 March 2005

**Topic:**            **New Contract**            **ENT**

**GPR:** **Dominic Rajkumar**

**SHO:** **Mary Ogbue**

**Aims:**            **To give greater understanding on funding  
and income available to General Practice**

### Comments / Feedback for today's session

Not a great session but full marks for trying! We could all read verbatim from the BMA website! Some introduction to the old contract first would have been good to help understand why the need for change. It would also have been useful to have some insight or discussion to the negative aspects of the new contract too, rather than a speech on what the government / BMA thinks is all good.

Second bit on global sum / Qof - much better.

Interesting eye-opening information re GMS contract

Good Teaching – ENT

Very good presentation explaining new contract in general practice

Great handout - ENT

### Whole Group session



**Average 7**





12 May 2005

**Aims:**            **To feel comfortable with diagnosing depression**  
                          **To improve knowledge & confidence in managing**  
                          **depression in primary care.**  
                          **To be familiar with recent hot topics in depression**  
                          **To revise the Mental Health Act**

### Comments / Feedback for today's session

Excellent and very informative session (do it again sometime).  
Lots of useful information applicable to exam and day to day practice.  
Very relevant and well informed presenters.  
Excellent handout.  
A good job done: covering such a large range of topics in the time frame. Learnt a few different / new things from the presentation and watching the video again – brought back many memories.  
Consolidated depression knowledge  
Good exam focus, very comprehensive  
Good illustrative video  
Too many things in too little time  
Very comprehensive overview of awkward topic  
Interesting SHO presentation cases, PBL style

### Whole Group session



**Average Score = 9.25**



**19 May 2005**

**Aims:** Understanding on common dermatological Conditions – presentation, management and when to refer

**Comments / Feedback for today's session**

Entertaining and informative  
 Very good helpful informative talk  
 Good slides of common conditions, learnt a lot of management. Not clear about treating few of the conditions.  
 Good to see a range of dermatological conditions, very interesting, perhaps not enough every day stuff.  
 Very useful and interesting, good slides  
 Not exactly a talk on common dermatological problems, these talks almost always just involve a dermatologist bringing along their "interesting" slides - may be interesting to them (and us???) but not particularly useful for everyday general practice. A talk from a humble GP or maybe a GPWSI would almost certainly be more useful.  
 More detailed management information would be helpful, would have liked a handout.  
 Good to have lots of pictures, could have been more interactive, very helpful.  
 Interesting slides but may help to cover simple treatment guidelines for the more common disorders.  
 Excellent very GP orientated great photos.  
 Useful session.  
 Quite useful.  
 Seemed a little more useful to registrars  
 Well presented, good slide illustrations, all relevant, useful Q&A session  
 Good session informative, laced with settle humour, found the hit on Bulbous eruptions very useful.  
 Useful  
 Handouts would have been useful  
 More detail on management perhaps, I don't find flippant remarks terribly constructive e.g. olive oil on scalp and then wash out with 1001.

**Whole Group session**



**Average score = 6.8**







09 June 2005

**Aims:** To look at new Pharmacy contract and  
How that impacts on Primary Care  
  
To look at the management of enuresis

### Comments / Feedback for today's session

Very good presentation on enuresis, especially on initial management.  
Talk by Pharmacist: Eye opener on new Pharmacy roles.  
Very Good  
Very concise, informative  
Interesting talk on Dispensing Pharmacy, Good group discussion.  
Excellent talk on enuresis: very interesting as techniques not always known to doctors/GPs  
Both sessions informative and interesting  
Thanks even at last minute, very clear and helpful  
Very good, excellent last session  
Both useful topics with very useful new insights.  
Disappointed first part – would like to have asked more questions.  
Very good enuresis presentation.

### Whole Group session



**Average score = 8.3**



## Worcester VTS - Evaluation Form

GPR or SHO  
(please circle)

16 June 2005

**Aims** Evaluate the term  
Complete small group agenda  
Look to the future

**Objectives** By the end of the day each participant will have gained an insight into what helped and what hindered the process of learning during the term  
There will have been an opportunity to complete the tasks within the Small group and reflect on process  
Each participant will have learned about different career options within General practice

### Comments / Feedback for today's session

Enjoyed balint group – should do more. Found this a very good tool. Possibly more on VTS programme

Evaluation of term produced some useful points but lost direction

Small group work interesting/thought provoking / new way of thinking

Still not sure what plans are for next term (did this get resolved?)

Excellent careers fair with lots of information about choosing career – Many thanks to all those who came to talk to us. Good speakers and good variety, it answered a lot of questions we budding GPs have on our career options.

Good case discussion

Very nice lunch and venue – shame about the walk

Very good insight into the full scope of opportunity available in GP practice

Morning feedback of limited use – a bit circular.

More time for Balint groups, less time discussing, at great length, last term – could be done more efficiently

Feedback session in morning a little long winded. Afternoon session very informative and entertaining.

As for residential or any other activity in VTS, priority should be to aim at higher attendance rather than the beauty of the place to go.

It was a useful day out to ruminate on last year's achievements and downfalls and in deciding on a programme for the next term.

### Whole Group session



**Average score = 8**