Central European Practice

Newsletter

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HAILS AND FAREWELLS

Sgt Jamie Dickinson has worked as the CEP Deputy Practice Manager since 2019. This month he leaves the Practice for a new post in Lichfield, UK. We thank him for all his hard work over the past three years and wish him all the best for the future. Sgt Dickinson's replacement will be welcomed to the Practice in July.

WO2 Jurica Vorster has recently taken up the post of CEP Practice Manager. An experienced DPHC Practice Manager WO2 Vorster joins us from Scotland and has spent her first week in the role visiting patients and stakeholders and conducting Covid vaccination clinics in Turkey – quite the climatic change! A very warm welcome to the team.

CEP PATIENT REGISTRATION UPDATE

Later this month expect to see the launch of the new **CEP Registration Process** which has been developed in response to patient feedback and which will significantly reduce the administrative burden of both registering and de-registering with the Practice. Processes will be reduced to the minimal information required to safely administer registration/de-registration and will be conducted via QR Code or EJSU.net. Watch this space!

eREDBOOK LAUNCH

This month the eRedbook is being launched within the CEP population. Benefits include less potential to lose the document or forget to take it to an appointment, the ability for remote inputting and sharing of details, and the function to mark each



milestone with a photo to capture those precious child development memories!
Please note that currently host nation providers will not be able to access the book but it can be physically shared with

them at appointments. Parents can however input information from appointments in host nation themselves and the SAAFA Health Visitor working with CEP can also update during planned reviews. To register please use the attached QR Code with your NHS Login and the CEP postcode **BF1 2AG** to sign up. More information can be found in the Healthcare section of <u>EJSU.net</u>.

HEALTH PROMOTION MESSAGES

Monkey Pox. A small number of monkey pox virus cases have now been reported in several countries across Europe. Cases are still rare and symptoms generally mild. Patients are reminded that transmission does not take place easily and requires close contact with an infected animal, human or contaminated material. All are encouraged however to be aware of the risk factors and common symptoms and to seek advice from their host nation medical provider if they feel they may be displaying symptoms. Information of the disease including symptoms and case numbers in individual countries can be sourced through NATHNaC's Travel Health Pro and the European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control. CEP will continue to monitor the situation in liaison with EJSU, DPHC and DPHU and will provide updated guidance as required.

20 - 26th June: Cervical Screening Awareness Week.

Jo's Trust is a leading organisation in the campaign against



cervical cancer and provides lots of information, guidance and support related to cervical screening via their here. Eligible CEP patients are reminded that they have the option to get their cervical smear taken in host nation or be referred to the NHS in the UK via Healix. Where host nation provision is chosen please do remember to let CEP know your result to ensure it is added to your UK medical record.

For the latest updates please refer to EJSU.net

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