

Prescribing & Pharmacology - Key Issues

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Session 1 Prescribing & Pharmacology Workshop

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The focus of this module is Prescribing & Pharmacology Key Issues and is designed as part 1 of a 3 part series. The course is current at the time of recording Part 2 and 3 are also available as online modules

The module will discuss:

- Health Headlines
- Digital Health
- Risk Management
- Legislation-scheduling changes
- DRŚ
- Evidence based prescribing and resources
- Prescribing competencies
- COPD