

#### **December 2024 Newsletter**

Dear valued contact,

### Regular newsletter re-instated!

We're thrilled to connect with you through this monthly update, where we'll share the latest news, updates, and resources to support your journey in diabetes care. At DUET diabetes, we're passionate about empowering healthcare professionals with practical, hands-on training to enhance their knowledge and skills. Our workshops cover essential topics such as Diabetic Foot Screening, ABPI Assessment, and Diabetes Awareness & Glucometer Training, held in various locations across the UK. We also run in-house training exclusively for organisations.

This newsletter is designed to keep you informed about upcoming workshops, new initiatives, and valuable insights to help you provide the best possible care. Thank you for joining us, and we look forward to supporting you every step of the way!

# Updated Diabetic Foot Awareness Course for Beauty & Wellness Therapists

DUET diabetes has relaunched its accredited Diabetic Foot Awareness course for beauty and holistic therapists on a new platform, offering flexible, self-paced learning and valuable resources. Designed to build confidence and understanding of diabetic foot care, the course equips therapists to recognise risks, provide appropriate advice, and support clients with diabetes effectively.

Learn more about the course and upcoming workshops in 2025 by reading the full press release.

Read story

## **Discover the Care Exchange Podcast**



If you're a manager in social care, The Care Exchange podcast series by Skills for Care is a must-listen! This inspiring series celebrates the vital role of managers and provides a platform for them to share their experiences, insights, and practical ideas.

Don't miss out—listen to series 1 to 4 now.

**Podcasts** 

### **Upcoming Workshops for 2025**

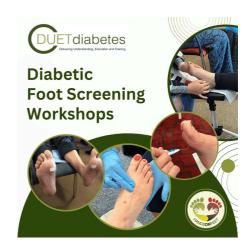
We're excited to announce the first workshops in our 2025 calendar! These sessions are designed to provide practical, hands-on training to enhance your skills and knowledge in diabetes care. Here's what's coming up so far:

- Diabetic Foot Screening, Birmingham | 10 January 2025
- Insulin Awareness & Injection Technique (Suffolk Social Care Providers ONLY), Bury St Edmunds | 10 March 2025
- Diabetic Foot Screening, Cardiff | 11 April 2025

Stay tuned—more dates and locations will be announced soon! Spaces are limited, so be sure to book early to secure your place.

## Why Attend our Training?

- **Expert-led training** focused on early detection of diabetic foot problems.
- Practical, hands-on sessions to build your confidence in foot screening techniques.
- Enhance person centred care with valuable knowledge that can help prevent serious complications.



Learn more & book your place

# Hallmark Case Study: Benefits of role-specific diabetes training



Hallmark Care Homes partnered with DUET diabetes to enhance diabetes care for residents. Recognising the increasing complexity of care needs in their homes, Hallmark identified a gap in knowledge, particularly around diabetic foot assessments. In 2022, DUET delivered bespoke in-house training through interactive, holistic workshops that included case studies and real-life examples. This initiative equipped care teams with the skills to manage diabetes effectively and improve residents' quality of life.

For more details, visit Caring Times July 2024, page 40.

Read more

If you'd like to explore how **DUET diabetes** could support your team or discuss potential collaboration, please don't hesitate to get in touch. Alternatively, feel free to pass along our information to colleagues within your organisation, Primary Care Network (PCN), or Integrated Care Board (ICB) who may find it relevant.

Whether you are an individual practitioner/therapist or part of a larger organisation, please feel free to contact us for an informal chat about your diabetes training needs, we are always happy to help where we can.

Contact us

Looking forward to connecting with you.

#### Best regards

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