



The National Centre for Creative Health (NCCH) is the Secretariat for the Pharmacy SIG. The Pharmacy SIG is Chaired by [Dr Ranjita Dhital](#) (University College London) with steering group members.

Pharmacy Special Interest Group (SIG) for Creative Health

Terms of Reference (ToR)

Our Vision

To advocate for Creative Health in pharmacy practice, education and research culture.

Our Aims

- Become a dynamic global hub to promote Creative Health for pharmacy
- Innovate Creative Health in pharmacy practice, education, research and policy development.

Our Objectives

We will work collectively to:

1. Share and advance Creative Health practices for pharmacy across diverse health and social care settings in the UK and globally.
2. Stimulate the integration of Creative Health for pharmacy practice, education, research, and policy development.
3. Integrate creative and interdisciplinary research approaches to advance pharmacy education and practice.
4. Enhance arts and cultural understanding for pharmacy sectors.
5. Promote health and wellbeing of the pharmacy workforce through creative and compassionate practice.
6. Advocate for the integration of Creative Health for pharmacy professional development and training.

Year One Priorities (2026)

- Establish an active steering group for Pharmacy SIG
- Launch an online network map of Creative Health pharmacy projects.
- Develop one-year online programme of events, this could be quarterly related to Creative Health topics
- Scope and set up a Creative Health Pharmacy newsletter/podcast
- Provide a briefing to the Royal Pharmaceutical Society and Arts-Health APPG on the SIG's contribution to pharmacy by end of the year (Dec 2026).

Steering Group Member

- Host and manage one online event per year with support from NCCH (i.e., invite and arrange speaker)
- To arrange in person event (annually) with support from steering group members and others as relevant
- Participate and contribute to SIG meetings
- Contribute to the development of the Pharmacy SIG (i.e., other events, newsletter etc)
- The steering group will comprise of students, patients, various practitioners from pharmacy and other settings

General Membership

- Open to **all members of the pharmacy workforce** from any setting, and pharmacy students from UK and globally.
- Others who are interested to imbed creative thinking into pharmacy in the UK and globally are very welcome. For more information visit <https://ncch.org.uk/pharmacy-special-interest-group-sig>