

The National Centre for Creative Health (NCCH) is the Secretariat for the Pharmacy SIG. The Pharmacy SIG is Chaired by <u>Dr Ranjita Dhital</u> (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)
- 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 <a href="https://ncch.org.uk/pharmacy-special-interest-group-sig">https://ncch.org.uk/pharmacy-special-interest-group-sig</a>