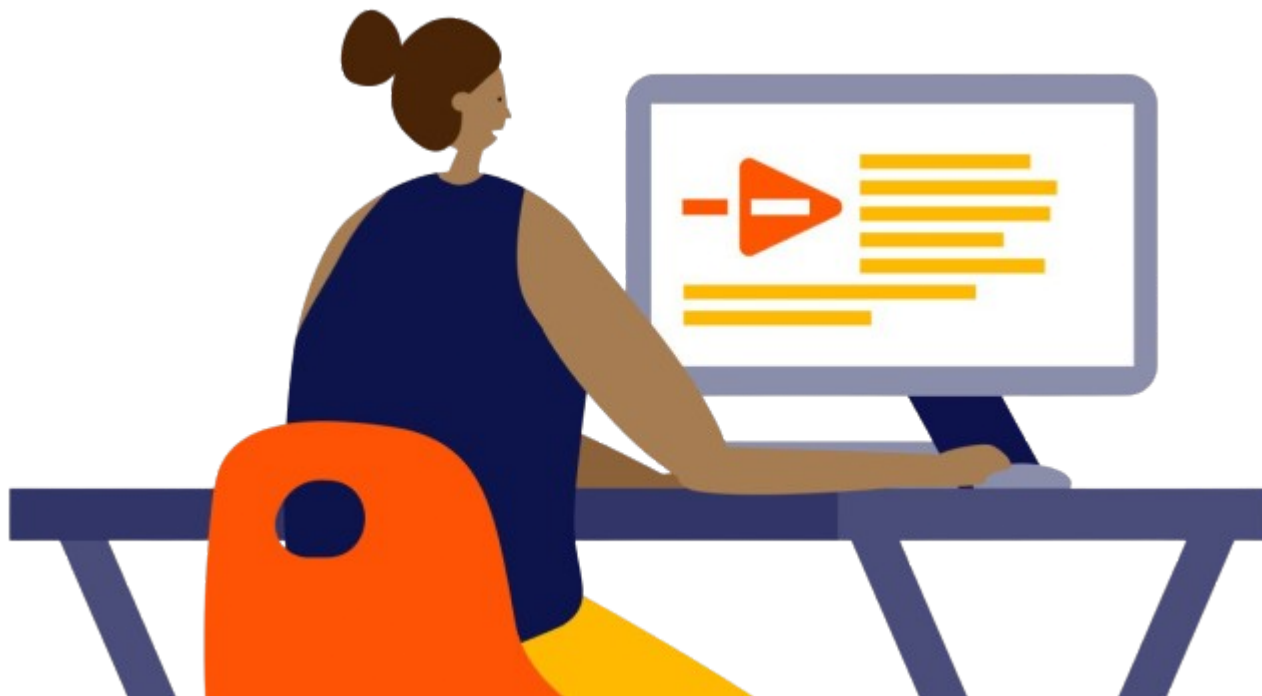


Welcome to the February edition

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Welcome to the first newsletter of 2025, dedicated to bringing you the latest insights and research in the world of MS.



Webinar: Access to Community Neurorehabilitation

Monday, 3 March | 7:00 PM

Join us for our first webinar of 2025 in our neurorehabilitation series. Speakers Shona Pryde and Owen Williams will share their award-winning

research on the challenges faced by people with progressive neurological conditions in Northern Ireland.

[Register for the webinar now →](#)

Webinar: North East Neurorehabilitation

Monday, 7 April | 12:30 PM

Dr Jenna Moffitt will present an overview of a major review of neurorehabilitation services in the North East, covering key methods, patient voices, and the financial case for investment.

[Save your spot in the webinar →](#)

FACETS Facilitators' Training Course

Wednesday, 7 and 14 May

Our online FACETS training course is back in May! This course helps health and social care professionals deliver a six-week fatigue management programme for people with MS.

[Register for the course →](#)



Research News and Updates

REFUEL-MS: Online Programme for Managing MS Fatigue

We're co-funding this exciting project, which aims to develop an online programme for managing MS fatigue. Health care practitioners can now apply to support the upcoming randomised control trial.

>> [Find out more about the programme](#)

Integrated Care for Neurological Conditions

Sandra Bartolomeu's research addresses how integrated care needs to evolve to meet the needs of those living with neurological conditions.

>> [Find out more about the research](#)

MS Brain Cells Atlas

Researchers have developed an 'atlas of MS brain cells,' which could help personalise MS treatments. This groundbreaking study could bring new insights into how we approach MS care.

>> [Read more about the study](#)

MS Treatments During Pregnancy

A new study is shedding light on the safety of MS treatments during pregnancy. This research could provide vital information for healthcare providers and those living with MS.

>> [Find out more](#)

Daphne Jackson Fellowship

We're co-funding a fellowship designed to help researchers return to their careers after a break for family, health, or caring responsibilities.

>> [Learn more about the Fellowship](#)

Information



Contenance Care Update

We've revisited our work on bladder and bowel continence, with a focus on the adoption of the optimal care pathway. This includes updates from Cardiff and Vale UHB and a new e-learning course for bladder care.

[>> Explore the update](#)

Three Big DMT updates

[>> What are 'generic' and 'biosimilar' DMTs for MS?](#)

[>> New drug Briumvi \(ublituximab\)](#)

[>> Updated side effects for glatiramer acetate](#)

Resources for Professionals

Progressive MS Stories

Listen and watch podcasts and videos of real-life stories from those living with progressive MS

[>> Life on the progressive side](#) (3-part podcast)

Benefits Booklets

Updated guides on benefits, including PIP and Universal Credit, to help your patients navigate the system.

- [The Work Capability Assessment – for Universal Credit and ESA](#) (a step-by-step guide)
- [Claiming PIP](#) (a step-by-step guide)

We want to hear from you

Let us know what resources and information would be most helpful for you, and how we can improve.

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