



**BDA** The Association  
of UK Dietitians  
**Prescribers**  
Sub Group

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**Dietitians, prescribing for  
today and tomorrow  
Study Day**

**Thursday 13 March 2025**

**9.00 Registration and refreshments**

**9:30 Welcome & overview**

Dr Alison Culkin, Chair, Prescribers Sub-Group & Consultant Dietitian Intestinal Rehabilitation, St Mark's Hospital

**9.35 Membership survey results**

Dr Nicki Ruddock, Advanced Clinical Specialist Renal Dietitian, University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust

**9:50 You've passed your course, now what?**

Christiana Pavlides, Diabetes Specialist Dietitian, Royal Free Hospital NHS Trust

**10:20 Dietitian's prescribing in paediatric allergy**

Pascale Varley, Paediatric Dietitian & ACP, Kingston Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

**10.50 Q&A**

**11.00 Refreshments, networking and exhibitor stands**

**11.30 Transitioning from supplementary to independent prescribing**

Matthew Fitzpatrick, Interim Head of Operations - Diagnostic Imaging and Medical Physics & Consultant Podiatrist, London North West University Healthcare NHS Trust

**12.00 Annual General Meeting**

Dr Alison Culkin & Committee reports

**12.30 Lunch**

## 1.15 Workshops

- **Renal**
- **Diabetes & Obesity**
- **Paediatrics**
- **Gastroenterology/HPB**
- **Intestinal Failure/Nutrition support**
- **Community/PCN**

## 2.15 Feedback & actions from the workshops

Committee leads

## 2.45 Refreshments, networking and exhibitor stands

## 3.15 Examples of research & audit in dietetic prescribing. Just do it!

Nicki Ruddock & Committee leads

## 3.45 Independent Prescribing Campaign

Sarah Lavery, BDA Policy and Campaigns Officer

## 4.00 Q&A

## 4.30 Plenary & closing remarks

Dr Alison Culkin

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