



National Pathology Week

2–8 November 2009

Event title	"Testing time – Making the laboratory your friend!"
Venue	Ramada Jarvis Hotel, Clayton Lodge, Newcastle-under-Lyme
Target audience	Primary Care Healthcare professionals
Objectives	Highlight the work of laboratory and update the clinicians and nurses on the developments of all the 'ologies'
Age range	21 - 70
How was the event advertised?	Via GP newsletter
Number attending	80
Booking required?	Yes
Length of event	1.5 hr
Refreshments provided?	Yes
Equipment needed	Laptop and projector
People needed	One presenter from each department and myself to co-ordinate
Printed material used	Yes. One A4 information sheet with contact details
Room set up	Yes
Event programme	Attached (if I can find it)
Possible variations	None
What did the audience particularly like?	They enjoyed the fact that people from the lab actually set up a liaison session and were informed of the people to contact.
What surprised the audience?	How much testing has changed over the years and that they need to consider the implications of the tick box affect
What else would the audience have liked?	Probably more time for discussion at the end
How much preparation was involved?	Each 'ology' had to prepare a 10 minute presentation and I organised the summary sheet and liaised with the seminar organiser to arrange the venue
Any other comments?	This event worked well, was appreciated by the GP's and will hopefully be repeated.
Images	None unfortunately – I forgot my camera
For more information please contact	Please provide your name and email address.

When you have completed your event template, please send it, with high resolution images if possible, to Ruth.Semple@rcpath.org.

