

Accreditation and Recognition panel member

Name: Dr Cathy O'Sullivan

Team member

Job title: Workforce Development Consultant

Cathy currently manages a portfolio career in Yorkshire in workforce development. At the University of Leeds, Cathy supports the professional formation of medical students. As well Cathy's role as a Lay Accreditation Panel Member for the General Pharmaceutical Council, Cathy is a Lay Inspector for Social Work England.

For five years, Cathy was Chief Executive of the Thames Valley Health Innovation and Education Cluster; known as The Knowledge Team. Cathy established the HIEC as a major catalyst for change and improvement across the NHS in the Thames Valley region, working with more than 400 organisations across health, industry and academia.

Previously in the NHS, Cathy commissioned education and learning in the West Midlands across 22 different professions.

Cathy's research interests concern learning for, from, and in work. Currently, her research work is in the field of business and personal networking.