

Away from home: journeying together

15-16 MAY 2025



About

We welcome any member of the 15 Allied Health Professions (Art Therapists, Biomedical Scientists Dieticians, Drama Therapists, Music Therapists, Occupational Therapists, Operating Department Practitioners, Orthoptists, Osteopaths, Paramedics, Physiotherapists, Podiatrists, Prosthetists and Orthotists, Radiographers, and Speech and Language Therapists) registered with the HCPC - including support workers and students - to join us for this preconference day. We are especially keen to invite people who are early in their careers, but we warmly welcome anyone!

We will gather on the Thursday evening of 15 May from 15:30 onwards for a time of worship and getting to know each other.

The pre-conference day on Friday 16 May starts at 9:15 with teaching and active workshops and a delicious lunch, finishing at 17:00.

The theme is Away from home: journeying together. As Christians we are all 'resident aliens' – not of this land, but heavenward bound. How can we live in the light of this, and in particular learn from colleagues who have relocated to work in our NHS?

With our speaker: Speaker: Dr John Bourne

John was a consultant physician and rheumatologist at the Chesterfield Royal Hospital. With a highly-valued team of Allied Health Professionals, he set up the rheumatology service for North Derbyshire. Since retirement he has lived in Nottingham where, with his wife Marion, he helps with international student ministry and teaching English to those who have come to make their home in the UK.

Booking

We have ten places reserved for Thursday night, but there is plenty of room for everyone, but book early. **Book via cmf.li/CIAH25**

Cost:

Day conference £40 for the day including lunch (£35 for students). To stay overnight on the Thursday, it is an additional £45.

You are warmly welcome to stay on for the main CMF conference, but you will need to book that separately via cmf.li/NatCon25.