



Mrs Barbara Wensworth

Former Hospital Pharmacist, Currently Freelance Pharmacy Lecturer, Standards Verifier, assessor and writer

Barbara Wensworth has worked in hospital pharmacy for most of her career in a wide range of roles, including Manufacturing, Aseptics and Radiopharmacy. Barbara is a QP. She has also worked in education and training and has been a pre-registration pharmacist tutor for over 20 years.

Barbara spent a period of time on secondment, teaching other health care professionals in the Hospital Training and Development Department. She has delivered Continuing Professional Development courses along with management training for hospital staff.

Barbara has been heavily involved with the training of support staff, in particular Pharmacy Technicians. She has worked in the role of course tutor on the BTEC National Certificate in Pharmacy Services at Bradford College for many years. Latterly she has worked as an Assessor and Internal Verifier on the NVQ3 Pharmacy services and has had a QA role while working as a Standards Verifier. Barbara has also been involved in the development of standards and the qualifications for support staff as a writer and editor.

Barbara is a registered pharmacist and also holds a Master's in Business Administration. She is an honorary member of the Association of Pharmacy Technicians UK.

Since ceasing to work full time in the NHS Barbara continues to work freelance as a writer and in a QA role as a member of the GPhC accreditation team. She is also a Standards Verifier for Edexcel/Pearson one of the awarding bodies for support staff qualifications.

Barbara has taken further qualifications in Mental Health and now works as a volunteer for the Cellar Trust Mental Health Charity in Shipley and for Pharmacist Support.

She continues to lecture at Bradford University and Leeds University School of Health, in both cases on Pharmacist Post Graduate Diplomas and at Leeds University Medical School.