Initiated and developed by a GP in Yorkshire who has a physical disability

The aim of the network is to fill the unacceptable gap in available support in the UK for physically disabled and chronically ill doctors and medical students and provide them with much needed advice, guidance and support as they negotiate the huge number of challenges typically faced in this country.

Please spread the word about this new resource so that we can increase awareness of its existence as quickly as possible and get its help and support to as many relevant people as possible.

Thank you

'Supporting the welfare, rights and inclusion of chronically ill and physically disabled doctors and medical students'

www.disableddoctorsnetwork.com

This is a constantly changing website with new content being added regularly. Watch our social media for updates...

Provides guidance and advice on topics such as:
- Employment Support: moving posts regularly, less than full time working and sick leave
- GMC guidance and advice
- Occupational health
- Issues in education and training, including an area for trainers and educators
- Issues after training including revalidation and advice for older doctors
- How to cope when being challenged/discriminated against
- Legal help
- Specific advice on fluctuating conditions
- What to do in the event of a new diagnosis
- Resilience
- Non work related resources such as details of holiday providers for disabled people

Plus lots of other relevant and vital topics. We also use the website to gather feedback about any organisations that may be regularly failing chronically ill/disabled students and doctors so we may try to address this.

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