

## **Jon Tuppen**

Jon qualified from Manchester in 1984. He is a GP in a training practice of 7 Doctors looking after nearly 12,000 patients in Brentwood, Essex, a GPwSI in Diabetes and senior clinical lead to Integrated Care in Brentwood. He believes in holistic joined up care and partnership working – with the patient and whole family of health care professionals working in partnership.

Jon believes in empowered clinical leadership as part of the management family within the NHS. He has been active in management and commissioning since being the lead partner for fundholding starting 1993, and has progressed through subsequent structures. He has chaired the professional executive committee equivalent of locality clusters, Primary Care Group and Primary Care Trusts.

Jon is now trying to ensure that Practice Based Commissioning delivers the potential for modernisation that it offers. He is a designated member of Brentwood Practice Based Commissioning group LLP.

Jon is also a Fellow of the improvement faculty for patient safety and quality at NHS Institute for Innovation and Improvement