

Essex Care Association

- *Representing your views and concerns to key decision makers in Essex and more widely.*
- *Discounted conferences with speakers on key issues*
- *Seminars and webinars*
- *Offers from commercial partners at members rates*
- *Key business information*
- *Training Opportunities*
- *Regular communications and newsletters on issues relevant to you.*
- *Be part of the Social Care Community in Essex!*

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Staying Safe Online: Scams and Cyber Risks in Care



Tuesday 28th April, 10:00 - 11:00, Online Webinar

Delivered in partnership with the Essex Care Association, this free, easy-to-follow session explains the growing risk of online scams targeting care providers — with over 1 in 3 UK organisations affected in recent years.

Learn how to spot phishing emails, understand common cyber threats, and take simple, practical steps to protect your workplace. Open to all care staff, managers and support teams. Includes live Q&A and guidance from the Cyber Resilience Centre for the East

Presenters



Paul Lopez, Director of the Cyber Resilience Centre for the East and former Detective Superintendent, brings 30 years of policing experience, including leading the Regional Cyber Crime Unit.



Sapphire Little, Business Development Manager at the ECRC, specialises in delivering practical cyber security support to organisations across multiple sectors.

Scan to register for your **FREE** ticket



WHAT DID I MISS?

- Saving Time to Prioritise People : How Technology Transforms Care Home Operations
- ME Passport, Promoting staff mobility
- Using AI tools in Social Care
- Legal Aspects of AI
- Cyber Security, Regional Cyber-Security Centre
- Practical Applications of AI in Care in Essex
- Exhibitors and Networking

ECA SPRING CONFERENCE: *AI AND TECH IN SOCIAL CARE*

Date: Wed, March 26th 2026

Venue: Colchester Stadium



AGENDA

(TO BE CONFIRMED)

- Local Government Reorganisation – what will it mean for care providers?
- Fair Pay Agreement - update with Care England (to be confirmed).
- Workplace Culture and Staff Retention, David Beattie
- Marketing via your Website, 101
- What would you like to see?

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SUMMER CONFERENCE

HOLD THE DATE!

Date: Wednesday, July 8th 2026

Venue: The Lion Main Road,
Boreham, CM3 3JA

Time: 09:00 – 14:00

Cost: £15



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