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Louise Wilson leads the Connected Health Cities NENC and GNCR professional engagement programme, and is an associate lecturer at Newcastle University. Louise's interests include reflective learning, communities of practice and the development of peer networks.

She has more than 25 years' experience including user group management and leadership of national education programmes for the Department of Health where she co-authored a training DVD with Dr Paul Robinson, *Using Computers in the Consulting Room*. She is editor/author of three books including, *eAppraisal*, *eCommunication Skills* and *eClinical Governance*.

With an NHS colleague from Bristol, Louise produced an award-winning health app in 2012 for people managing the symptoms of fatigue. She subsequently co-founded the UK Health App Network for Developers and Innovation (HANDI). Louise and Dr Toby Lowe are recipients of an ESRC impact acceleration award-funded project, building a development programme for Learning Community Facilitators.

