



THE FACULTY OF THE HISTORY & PHILOSOPHY OF MEDICINE & PHARMACY  
& THE BRITISH SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY OF PHARMACY

## Collecting and Reflecting Pharmacy History Programme

**Wednesday 27 September 2023**

**Morning – Science Museum –  
9.50 – Muster at 165 Queens Gate  
10am-Talk & Tour**

Hear from the team behind the Injecting Hope exhibition on the challenges of collecting to reflect the Covid pandemic, and enjoy a curator's tour of the display. There will also be free time to visit the Medicine Galleries, with their 3000 objects spanning over 500 years of history.

**Afternoon – Economic Botany Collection, Royal Botanic Gardens Kew – Arrival 2pm**

Explore the pharmacy collections that form part of the Economic Botany Collection, with a behind-the-scenes curator's tour of the store, and hear about the challenges of curating a historical pharmacy collection within colonial contexts. There will be free time to spend in the gardens during the afternoon.

**Thursday 28 September 2023**

**Morning – Royal Pharmaceutical Society Museum  
10am Tour  
11am Teas  
11.30am Collections**

Enjoy a guided tour of the displays from the museum team, with a chance to find out about the history of the Royal Pharmaceutical Society, the pharmacy profession and medicines. This will be followed by an up-close session looking at key items from the collections.

**Afternoon – Apothecaries' Hall**

**2pm Tour & Networking**

Experience a guided tour of the atmospheric 17th century livery hall and its collections, and see objects and archives usually stored behind-the-scenes. We will finish the afternoon with a drinks reception and a chance to network with your fellow delegates.

**Friday 29 September 2023**

**Morning – Royal College of Physicians  
10am – Tour  
10.50am – Teas  
11.10am - Collections**

Spend the morning exploring the collections and architecture at the Royal College of Physicians, with a curator's guided tour, a collections session looking at a specially-chosen selection of rare books related to pharmacy history, and a chance to look at the wide-ranging displays.

**Afternoon – Chelsea Physic Garden**

**1.30pm – Garden tour**

In its 350th anniversary year, this is an opportunity to enjoy the garden and learn more about its history, with a private tour followed by free time to browse at your leisure.