#TEXTGinnyDay

Senior Staff Nurse - Dryad 9.1.01

#CODEI5

Induction - Tommy Scammel presented. Discussed role and outcomes, future, wrote objectives. Induction day organised by Personnel.

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#CODED11

Personal Development Plan.

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#CODEI6

Last 6/7 months clinical training - exp from elderly people in surgical ward from past.

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#CODEI2

Specific to ward - learn on job. Future CG Continuing care which is every two months.

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#CODED11

IPR. Objectives discussed with Tony. Future IPR. Appraisal in role - will begin soon appraising others -> E Grades.

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#CODEI2

System for clinical supervision - not involved in formal manner. Aware what is going on. E grades supervise phillipino's.

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#CODENC

No formal system for reflective practice. [Taken on so much info in short space of time]. #ENDCODE

#CODEC4

Ward Description. Continuing care - ward before Nursing Homes -> medical needs -> waiting for nursing home.

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#CODENC

Difference between continuing care and rehab - less physio. Continuing Care may contain patients who need more medical/nursing care. Rehab needs - no fast stream rehab patients.

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#CODEG2

There is reluctance by relatives to move to Nursing Home.

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#CODEC8

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#CODENC

Patients - Daedalus, Q+A, Haslar, no direct admission. Admission -> faxed letter, Dr is informed staff grade, own assessment.

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#CODENC

A uniform admission -> documentation needs improvement / prob being addressed, training admission pack. B form is complicated cannot distinguish key issues - presently not uniformly used throughout admissions.

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#CODEG7

Discharged from Q + A - admitted to Social Services but when -> GWMH - Social Services will remove from list so GWMH needs to admit to Social Services again.

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#CODEE5

Patients come with a care plan.

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#CODEC7

On arrival patients treated with dignity.

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#CODEG1

Communication - when beginning employment, communications could be improved. Now improved.

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#CODEG4

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#CODED11

Manager meeting monthly, monthly ward meetings, cascade from manager to ward level.

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#CODEI4

Meeting/info succinct.

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#CODEE

Policy translations - new changes - talked at mg meetings, minutes from mg meeting - D Ward meeting, memos sent out.

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#CODEE11

[No input in policy development yet - but maybe because new].

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#CODENC

Generally aware of new policy before formal policy

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#CODED2

Medical Dr - Comms. - set days on wards, prepares before next day consultancies, access on days not in ward - bleep.

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No called reg - does not do nights so cannot comment on healthcall.

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1988 - No change in expectations of rehab.

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#CODED10

Staffing. Should be assessed when at full capacity. - Problem with A/L and sickness at the same time. Staff resource pool is too small. Agency cover - difficult to get qualified agency nurses.

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#CODENC

Pain management - assess degree of pain/ response - no-one on syringe drivers, 5 month - 3 syringe drivers. Good practice - >careful consideration before syringe driver is used. Establish pain level, reg analgesia, analgesia is no working, swallowing problems. Patient on morphine amount calculated. [Should be a policy - not read policy as of yet]. [Anxiety of syringe drivers in hospital since 1998].

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#CODENC

Pain management chart to monitor drugs - monitored every 4 hours - dosage increased. Stopped and prescription be reviewed. Prescription written down. PNR - as and when - increase in PNR may indicate increase in syringe prescription.

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#CODEI2

Training in syringe driver. Personally been trained. Generally - should receive training from basic nursing - not sure of formal training at GWMH.

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#CODEE7

Critical Incidences - Risk assessment form - filled out Jan Deach, Toni Scammel. No feedback.

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#CODENC

Near misses - [not sure of definition] - no experienced

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#CODEB4

Main reporting - falls, trips.

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#CODED11

Main reporting - so incident reporting is happening.

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#CODEB4

Monitoring indicators - Toni Scammel is doing drug audits. Would not know trends of incidences.

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#CODEG9

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As ward manager. More expertise. Development -> 1 teaching qualification, 2 Pain management course, not as reflection of care, 3 nutrition course - input from dietician weekly.

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#CODENC

Access to external expertise

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#CODEG5

Pain mainly palliatives. - Refer to advise Mount Batton Centre, Palliative Care Centre, Hospice people, speaks to staff grade - refers to Mount Batton. Advisor should attend patient and report.

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#CODEG2

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Role of manager (Toni Scammel) would be to assess individuals IPR and indicate training need.

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#CODEB1

Standard of care is very high. Improved by new H grade structure and training and development.

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