

A brief strategy for Making HoNOS(CA) Clinically Useful in the multidisciplinary team setting

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Workshop Overview

- Rational and Objectives of the Strategy
- Teaching the Strategy
 - The Teaching Presentation
 - Discussion
- Using the Strategy
 - Case Examples
 - Your Cases
- Questions/Discussion

How Innovation is Often Viewed

This is interesting.. how could I use this it make what I do better and easier

What!.. with everything else I have to carry, now they want me to carry this thing too?!

Case Example: AB at Admission

- 22 yr Caucasian Male
- Admitted from Inpatient Unit to Early Psychosis Team
- Deterioration noted over eight months – acute deterioration last month
- Student – failed most courses end of last year
- Living (unhappily) with family
- Not currently employed or studying

HoNOS Client AB

Date of Collection	Total 10	Total 12
23/3/2007	13	16

Rating

0 No problem

1 Minor problem

2 Mild problem

3 Moderately severe problem

4 Severe-very severe problem

Other: H = Sleeping.

Case Example: AB at 3 Month Review

HoNOS Client AB

Date of Collection	Total 10	Total 12
23/4/2007	13	16
25/7/2007	12	13

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Other: H = Sleeping, B = Anxiety

- Are we the right service?
- Concordance
- Changes?
- Concerns?
- Plans for addressing concerns
- Priorities?

Case Example: EM at Admission

- 70 year old woman
- Recent death of husband
- NIDM,
- Mild but progressive cognitive decline
- Referred by family for agitation, depressive symptoms, concerns regarding independent living

HoNOS 65+ Client EM

Date of Collection	Total 10	Total 12
10/10/06	15	20

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Other: H = Sleeping.

Your Case? Working in Small Groups

Think about a client you know well

- Very briefly..
 - Complete “mock” HoNOS(CA)s for them at one or two points in time
 - Write a few notes on the first sections of the MDT form and briefly describe the client to other group members
- As a Group..
 - Work through the stages of the strategy using the MDT form
 - As part of this, identify potential plans for dealing with the “Concerns”

Thank you!

