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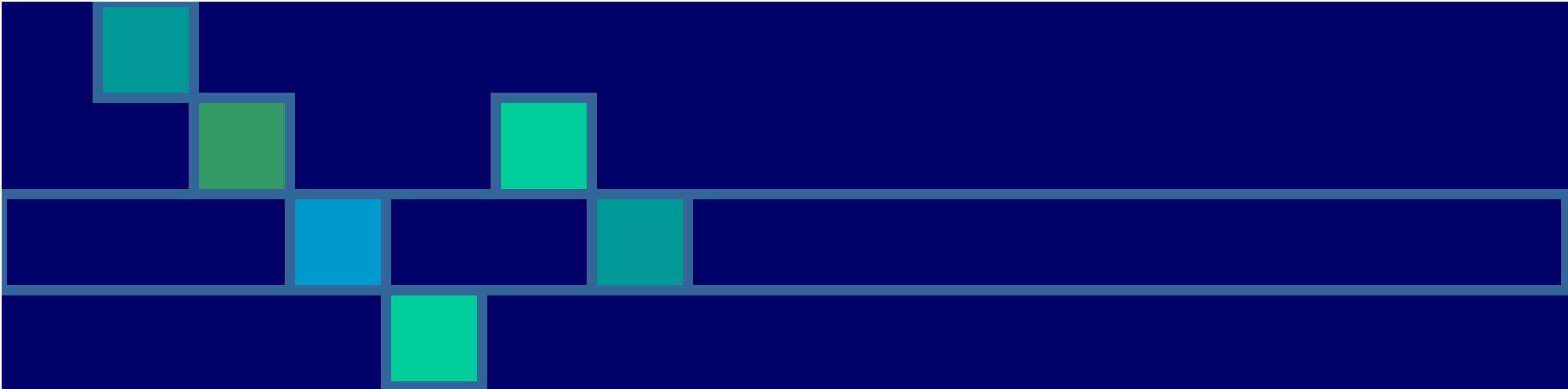
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THE OUTCOME MEASURES WINTER CARNIVAL AT RACECOURSE MHACT

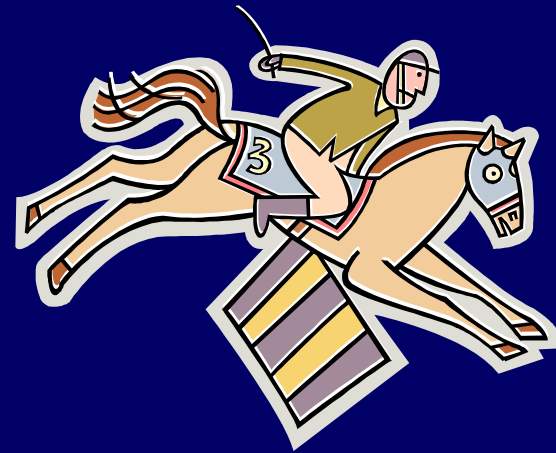
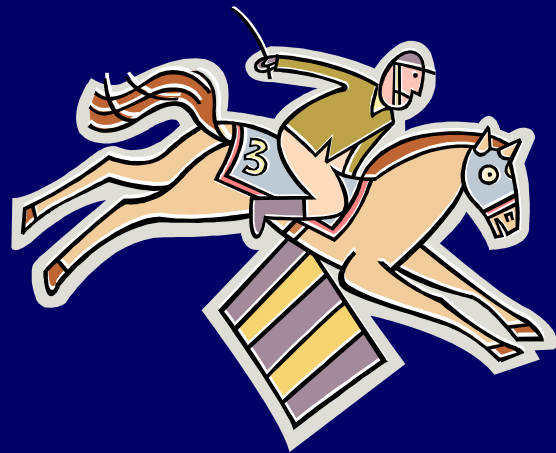




The Barriers, Hurdles and the Winning Post


Outcome Measures - What's their use?

Herb Krueger, Amanda Urbanc & Mark Brown

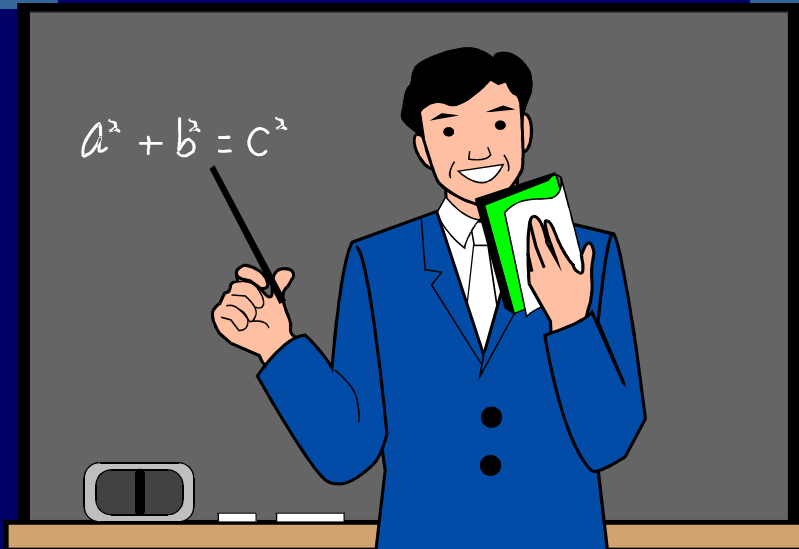




And they're Off

- To have clinical outcome measures as an integral part of clinical practice that informs and drives change in the treatment and care of our consumers.
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$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$





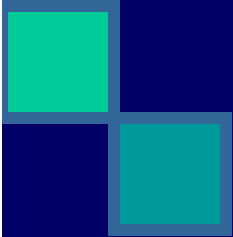

Prof. Phillip Burgess

A Trainer of Note

- Prof. Burgess suggests that clinicians should ask the question “What information do I need to have to do my job?” He consolidates the previous question by putting forward the statement that “if a clinician does not have information or data then all they have is an opinion”.
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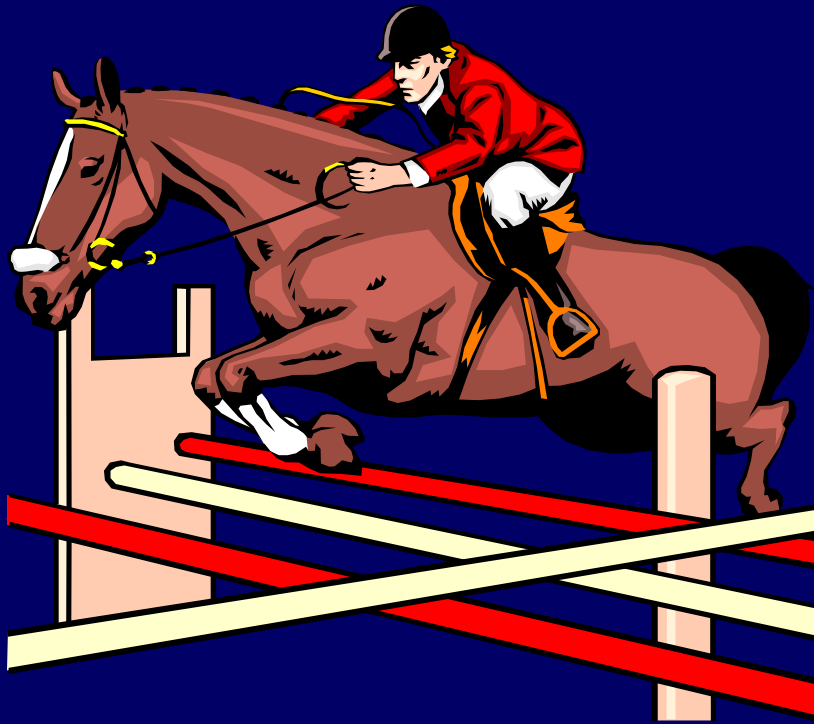
It's been Scratched

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- The collection of routine Outcome Measure began in the ACT in 2001.
 - It was initially thought that by having a C'wealth mandate would insure success.
 - Ha! Ha! Ha!
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A False Start


- The rollout established no links with clinical practice
 - Measures chosen not uniformly accepted
 - Whoever does what they are told??
 - Sold as an add on not a enhancement tool
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Jumping the Hurdles

Why do we do it?

- To eliminate poor/unnecessary practice and promote good practice.
 - To aid treatment planning between clinician, consumer and carers.
 - To increase the accountability of services.
 - To provide a benchmarking tool as a means for achieving best practice.
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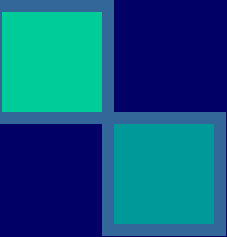

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- To develop means to evaluate services for the mentally ill.
 - To empower consumers and involve them in individual treatment planning as indicated by their health needs.
 - To inform priority setting and resource allocation.
 - To help set, monitor and improve standards of care.
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The thrill of the Chase


Where to?

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- To have Outcome Measurement as part of clinical practice and to achieve a 90%+ compliance rate by Dec 2006.
 - Clinicians better informed about Outcomes Data
 - Use of Outcomes Data to promote collaborative clinical practice
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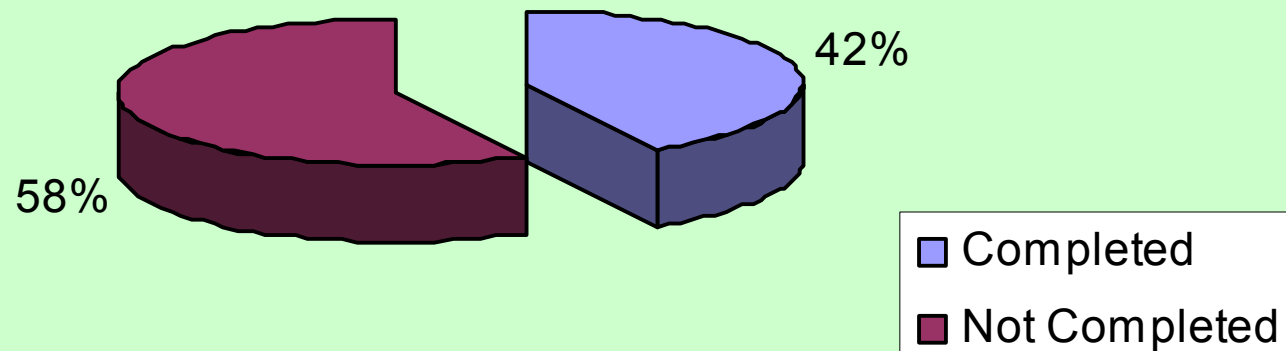


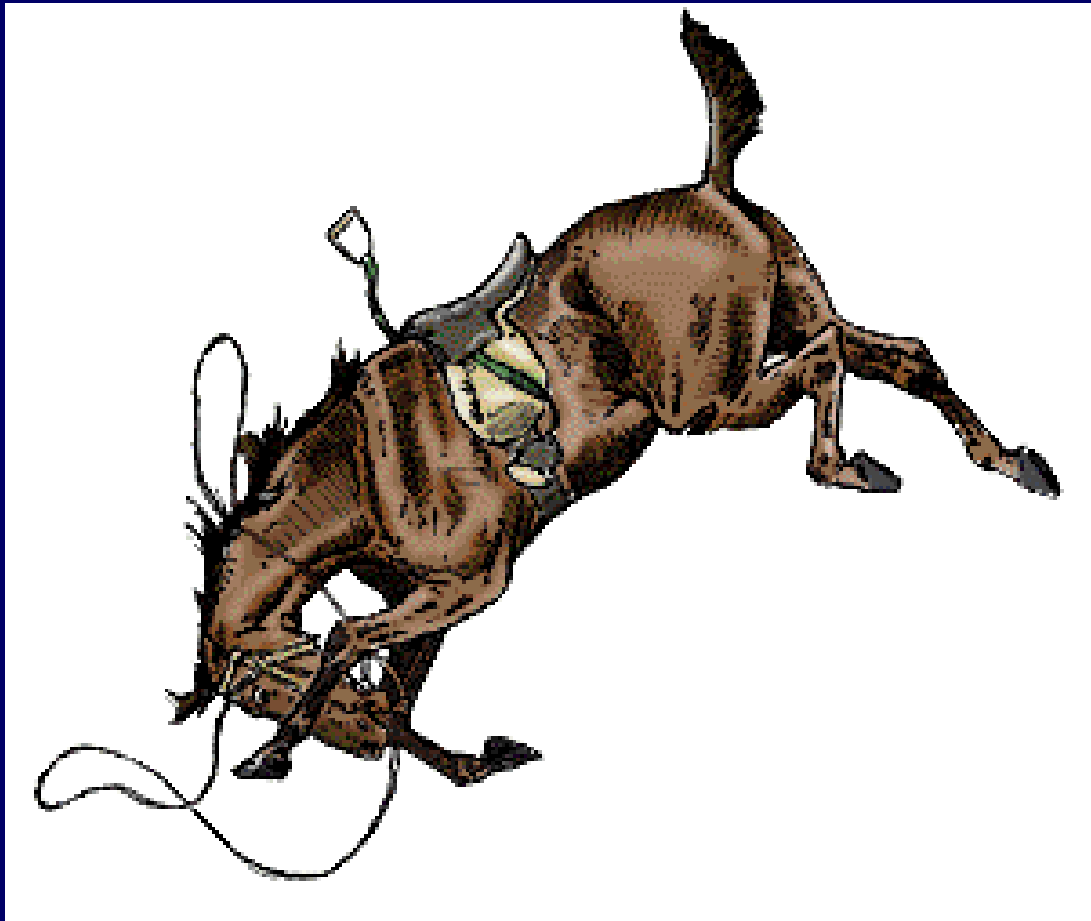
A Heavy Track

- There are 21 different Outcome Measurement Tools on MHAGIC.
 - Only 1 consumer rated measure and no carer rated measure.
 - No agreement nationally on which consumer measure to use.
 - Carer measure being developed.
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Weights are in, there has been a Protest

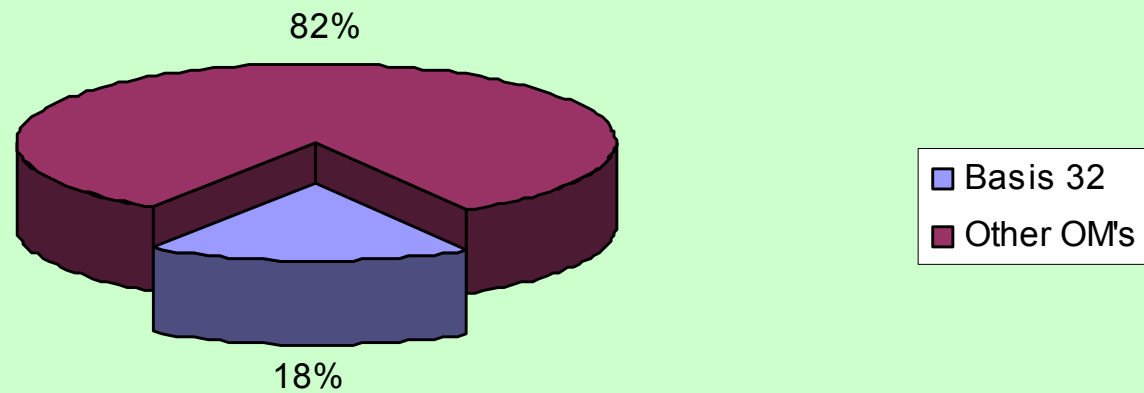
**BASIS - 32 Completion Rate
Feb - Mar 05**





Doping Allegation made

Due Outcome Measures Feb - Mar 05




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OM Completion Rate % for MHACT July 2004 - Jun 2005





The Winning Formula

- Quality Data input and reporting
 - Training on understanding of the data
 - Consider Quality Initiatives
 - Question the Status Quo
 - Listen to lessons learned.
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$E=MC^2$ plus Horses

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