

Information Prescription Pilots – details of plans post January 2008

		Activity
1	Pilot site	“That Place” Burton upon Trent, Staffordshire c/o South Staffordshire & Shropshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust
2	Project lead – name, tel nos and e-mail address	Rosalyn Pitt 01785 221583/221504 Rosalyn.pitt@ssh-tr.nhs.uk After February 2008 = Rosalyn.pitt@sssft.nhs.uk
3	<p>Will you still have DH funding left at the end of Jan 2008?</p> <p>When will this funding run out?</p> <p>Will you also be using further funding from other sources to continue your work?</p> <p>What are these sources and how long will this funding last?</p>	<p>Yes</p> <p>Estimated March 31st 2008</p> <p>None identified at present.</p> <p>N/A</p>

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4	How many information prescriptions have been issued?	May	October = 4
		June	November = 12
		July May – July = 29	December = 0
		August = 21	January 2008 = 12
		September = 12	Total = 90 to date recorded
5	How many staff have been involved in issuing information prescriptions?	Primary Care – GPs	Social services and other community based services & centres 1
		Secondary Care – hospitals	Information & advice centres
		Mental health care services 8	Libraries
6	How do you plan to consolidate and mainstream your work with current health conditions and existing staff?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintain directory of information / services created for the age group • Identify future access needs to the directory – this may need development work with our Informatics staff if the current arrangement with MoM ends. • The project aimed to build the issuing of information prescriptions into the normal working systems – this should now continue to be the norm. 	

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7	<p>If you intend to expand your work what are your plans?</p> <p>List the health conditions involved</p> <p>List the settings and locations involved</p> <p>List the professionals and organisations involved</p>	<p>It is not possible to be precise at this moment as evaluation reports are still being prepared for the trust's management team. These should be discussed in March.</p> <p>Recommendations will probably include:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Improving the patient information system trust wide – building in ‘Information Prescription’ principles, although this may not include a copy of a paper prescription. • Make directory of information available trust wide, to include a patient leaflet database • Investigate the need and desirability of building the recording of information given to patients into the new trust hybrid version of CfH Lorenzo PMS [not yet live]. If it is desired then work with the informatics team to create relevant fields. • Looking at the other mental health pilot sites findings to see if there is any transferable learning e.g. embedding I.Px principles into CPA process. • Building information points into all Trust care pathways. <p>All mental health conditions</p> <p>Trust wide – large geographical area, too numerous to mention</p> <p>Not available</p>

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8	<p>Do you have the full backup and buy in of your local host organisations?</p> <p>What senior staff support and endorse your work? Please supply names, positions, tel nos and e-mail addresses</p>	<p>We had full back up for the pilot. See 7 above, not possible to predict future buy in at present but the Trust is generally supportive with innovation and projects impacting on improving patient choice.</p> <p>Theresa Moyes; Director of Clinical Development 01785 221726 Theresa.Moyes@sssft.nhs.uk Jackie Lynton; Divisional Director Mental Health Services, South Staffordshire 01785 221598 Jackie.lynton@ssh-tr.nhs.uk</p>
9	<p>Is there any support and advice you would like from DH to help you implement your plans?</p>	<p>Continued access to any evaluation reports produced either by OPM or pilot sites, via the web site would be useful in the short term or as part of the resource web site.</p> <p>Will there continue to be a lead person to put info onto the website or deal with Information Prescription queries after March 2008? Is so can details be circulated?</p>