

EMNODN AHP and Psychology Forum
Virtual Meeting 17/05/23
14:00-15:30

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1	Welcome & Apologies	<p>Thank you to all who responded to the calendar invite and sent apologies.</p> <p>Apologies: Karen Jacobs, Michelle Stockton, Susan McCann, Georgina Shaw</p>
2	Minutes from the Previous Meeting	<p>Distributed to attendees.</p> <p>In future, all minutes will be added to our Network Website - Meetings & Forums EMNODN</p>
3	National Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Working with other ODN OTs there is an upcoming workshop regarding Building a New Neonatal Service – session is free and running 29th June - ODN OTs also facilitate National Monthly Supervision for OTs working in unit posts. Physio’s have something similar in development and Dietetics have a Community of Practice and RSLT CEN Hot Topics that serve a similar purpose - Dietetic ‘Getting into Neonates’ workshops being delivered and SLT version under development - APCP Neonatal Conference September 28th (London) - HEE advanced modules – OT have delivered two face to face days and other professions creating online packages
4	Network Update	<p>Education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - As an AHP team we input into our Network Foundations in Neonatal Care teaching. While this is aimed at Nursing workforce sessions are open to AHPs with an interest in Neonates - Natalie and Katie are working with WMNODN to create a joint SLT and Dietetic workshop for those new in post - Planning underway for a EMNODN AHP+P Conference – Nov 8th - Clinical Forum EMNODN <p>Workforce</p>

		- Continue to work with units and trusts re. their business cases and risk registers	
5	Trust Update	Derby and Burton	<p><u>Existing provision</u> – SLT, Physio and Psychology input into the unit at Derby. Good will SLT service into Burton unit based on referral</p> <p>New Ockenden provision for Psychology, successful recruitment and individual starting imminently</p> <p>AM – working on business case for funding and increased hours, also considering training for succession planning</p> <p>KJ – piloting increased SLT hours onto Derby Unit</p> <p>Alison, Karen, Natalie and Helen to collaborate with one business case representing needs in both units</p>
		Leicester	<p><u>Existing provision</u> - Dietetic and SLT provision</p> <p>New Ockenden provision allocated for Psychology, SLT, OT, Physio and Dietician. Recruitment completed in Psychology, Dietetics and SLT, awaiting posts to be advertised in OT and PT</p> <p>Dietetics plan on a page being submitted Clare Pheasant, Leicester AHP lead coordinating with ODN Leads re updating risk assessment and business cases</p>
		Lincoln and Boston	<p><u>Existing provision</u> – Physio (unfunded) Ockenden funding allocated to establish funded Physio provision (Leanne in post) and Dietetics advertised</p> <p>LF - establishing education offer and feeding into nursing and medical monthly education timetables, noticing increased referrals and positive family feedback</p>
		Northampton	<p><u>Existing provision</u> – Physio (goodwill) and SLT, Dietetics (goodwill)</p> <p>New Ockenden provision for Psychology (post shared with Kettering), successful recruitment and individual starting imminently</p>

			Discussed thinking about linking up the small pockets of provision and considering e.g. AHP ward round
		Kettering	<u>Existing provision</u> - N/A New Ockenden provision for Psychology (post shared with Northampton), successful recruitment and individual starting imminently, Dietetics have recruited and posts due to be advertised for OT, SLT and PT
		Nottingham	<u>Existing provision</u> - SLT, Dietetics, Psychology and Physio New Ockenden provision for OT and Physio with successful recruitment and individuals recently started in post, and also a Psychology post shared with Kings Mill awaiting advertising
		King's Mill	<u>Existing provision</u> – Physio, Dietetics (goodwill) New Ockenden provision for SLT and Dietician both successfully recruited and awaiting start date, with Psychology post shared with Nottingham awaiting advertising KC - Looking at job planning and priorities for starting unit roles (maybe July time) with Katie Cook. Coordinating working days to allow some joint working
6	AOB		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ODN leads have created a list of neonatal groups, trainings and resources to be shared - Datex and incident reporting gaps. Katie Conchie shared experience of how datexing gaps during AL has resulted in increase in provision – well done Katy! - Updating guidance and policy is something we can support with or facilitate linking you with colleagues who have similar interest or expertise. We are also working behind the scenes to update all the network guidance - Discussion re updated Bliss weaning advise
7	Date and time of next meeting		Wednesday 16 th August 14:00 - 15:30