Tower Hamlets Together:

Versorgung nach den Bedürfnissen der Bevölkerung in London

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"every person across the spectrum of need, having <u>choice</u> and <u>control</u> over the shape of his or her support, in the most appropriate setting..."

- Green Paper on Independence, Well-being and Choice (Department of Health, 2005)
- White Paper on Our health, our care, our say: a new direction for community services (DoH, 2006)
- Putting People First' (HM Government, 2007)
- Transforming Social Care. DoH 2008.

Integrated Social and Health care in the UK since 2008

Personalisation

- Focus on the individual
- Promoting independence, well-being, and dignity
- Multi-disciplinary team working

Multiagency working

- To facilitate cooperation between organisations providing care for patients with similar needs
- Prevention of crisis, early intervention or reablement programmes.
- Transforming Social care. Department of Health 2008.

"Tower Hamlets Together is a partnership of local health and social care organisations with an ambition to improve the health and wellbeing of people living in Tower Hamlets"













Values, mission and aims

Our values: To make a positive difference for the people of Tower Hamlets we work passionately to be: **Collaborative, Compassionate, Inclusive, Accountable.**



To improve outcomes and experience for adults with complex health & social care needs and their carers through delivering and building on the integrated care programme

To improve outcomes and experience for **children and their parents/carers** through developing and delivering new ways of working for children and young people and their carers

To improve the health and wellbeing of Tower Hamlets residents through promoting **selfcare and prevention and tackling health inequalities**

Our aims:

For people feel in **control** of their health and well-being

For people have the **best possible** resolution to their priorities at any contact with services

To deliver a cultural change, such that the **resident/service relationship** is mutually supportive





Working across teams

Care for adults with complex needs across boundaries

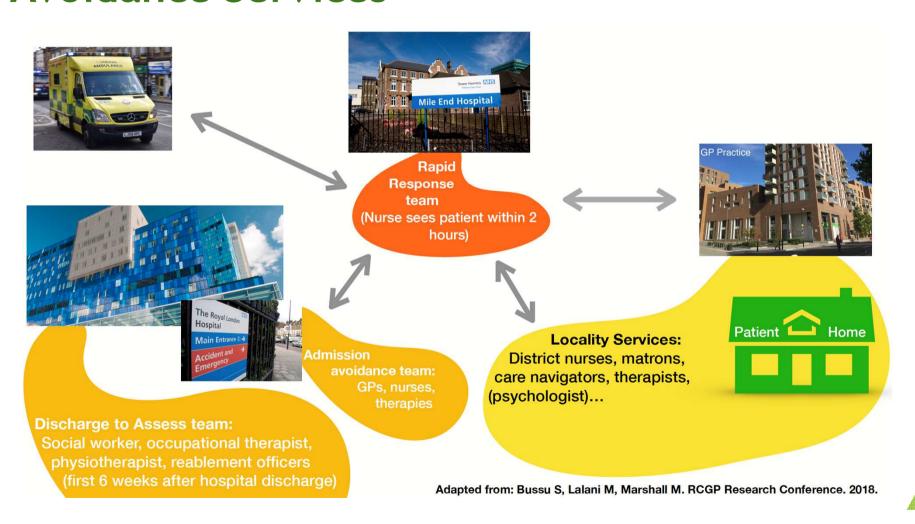
Case 2 - Timothy, aged 85

- GP receives e-notification from Admission Avoidance & Discharge to Access Service:
 - Patient discharged from hospital
 - Home visit planned by social worker
- 2 months before, patient's neighbour called GP due to confusion
 - Patient not answering GP's call, but police and ambulance state patient "OK"
- 24 hours later, @ GP home visit
 - Patient unkempt, confused, soiled, heart rate 136 bpm, temp 39C
- Admission to intensive care unit (3 weeks)
 - Sepsis, renal failure, and dementia

Case 2 - Timothy continued...

- Patient lives alone, no relatives, only friend lives outside London
- Home visit by social worker
 - Patient welcoming, mobile & independent around the house
 - Kitchen desolate, faeces on floor and bed, mouse pellets
- Patient consents to entering the Admission Avoidance Service
 - Care navigator for hospital appointments and team coordination
 - District nurse & Reablement Team
 - Pest control
- 2 weeks later, flat empty, re-admitted to hospital
 - Care navigator: Care package inadequate
 - Help with shopping and Telecare service

Tower Hamlets Integrated Care & Admission Avoidance Services



Multi-disciplinary team (MDT) meeting for patients with complex needs



MDT members	
Advanced nurse practitioner	0
GP	0
Social worker	_
Care navigators	0
Social prescriber	_
Pharmacist	_

Complex care team at St Andrews Health Centre



Services offered (selection)

Complex care

• Palliative Care, Dementia, Nursing home

Care planning

- Long term conditions
- Cancer
- Severe mental illness

Part A: Processes

- Depression & dementia screening
- BP, BMI, QRisk
- Blood and urine tests

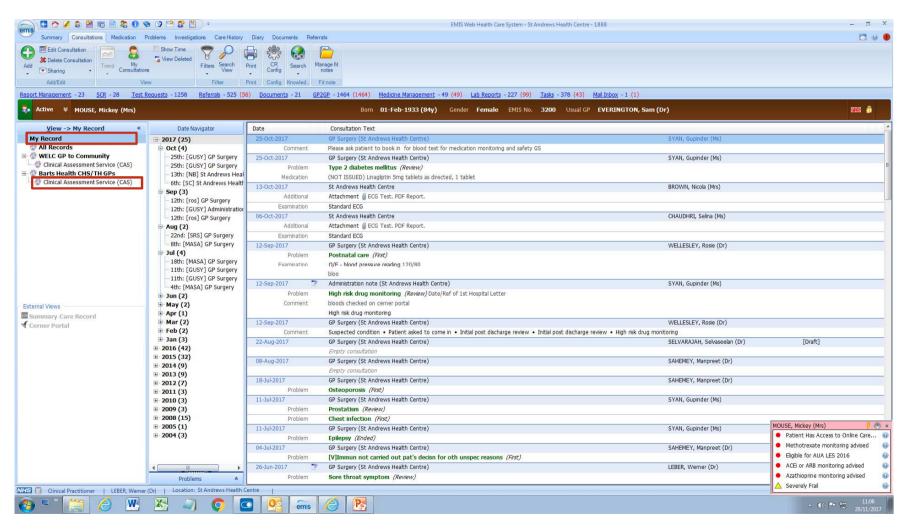
Part B: "What matters to me"

- Self-management & wellbeing support
- Medication review
- Mental health capacity assessment

MDT meetings with specialists

• Geriatrician, diabetes specialist, psychiatrist, etc.

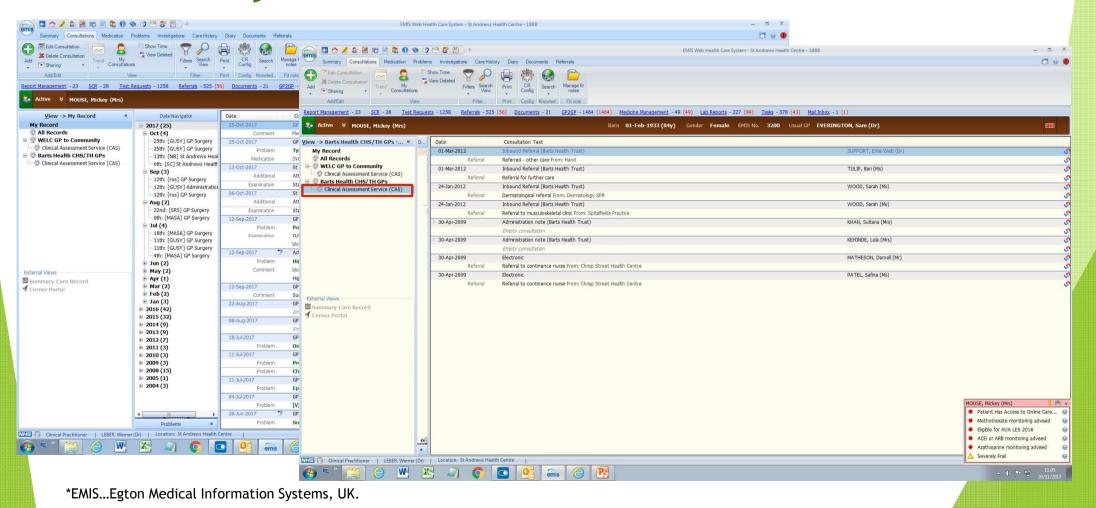
Shared EMIS Web* primary care computer system - GP view



^{*}EMIS...Egton Medical Information Systems, UK.

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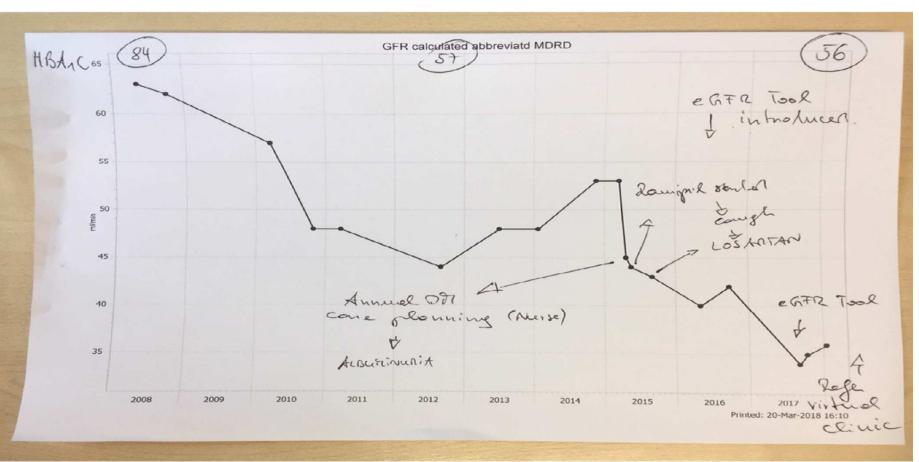
- Community health services view



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Tower Hamlets Renal Community Service (Virtual clinic)

Case 2 - Syeda, aged 72



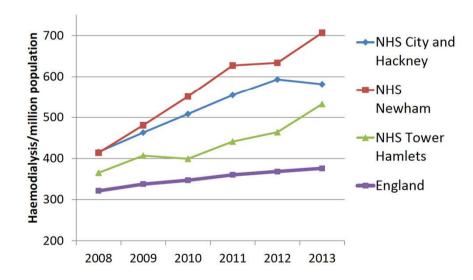
High rates of haemodyalisis in east London

What is the Problem?



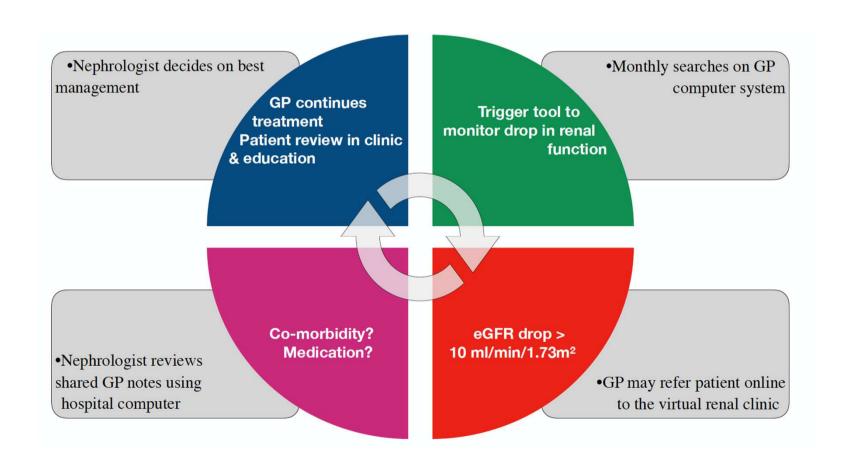


Fast rising ESRD rates in East London – ever more people needing dialysis Haemodialysis rates per million population, 3 East London Boroughs



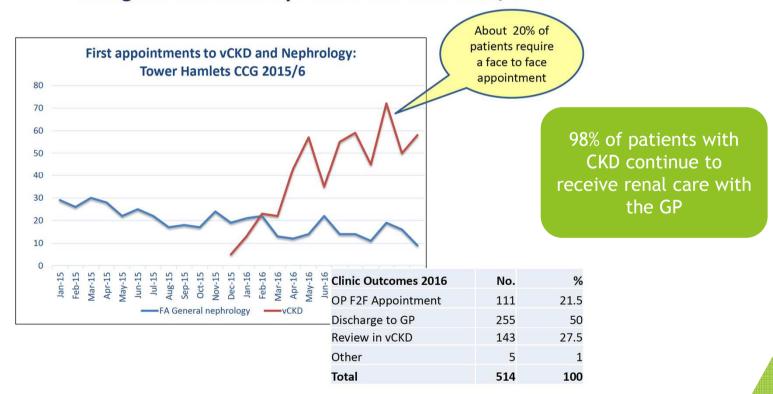
Data from the UK Renal Registry 2015

Tower Hamlets Community Renal Service



Increased access to specialist care

Change in clinic activity: Tower Hamlets 2015/6



Source: https://www.qmul.ac.uk/blizard/ceg/the-renal-health-service/#form

Consultant: "We can provide comprehensive management advice whilst avoiding unnecessary duplication of tests"

GP: "We have never met these people (the nephrologists) but I feel I have a relationship with them now....you cannot underestimate that."





Working across teams

Collaborative psychology care for people with poorly controlled long term conditions

Case 3 - Rosie, aged 58



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Collaborative psychology care pilot: Study outline

Network 2 for Type 2 diabetes: HbA1c >75 mmol/mol AND >8

GP appointments last 12 months

Eligible: GP registered adults (~300 patients/network)

Intervention: One clinical psychologist embedded per network to:

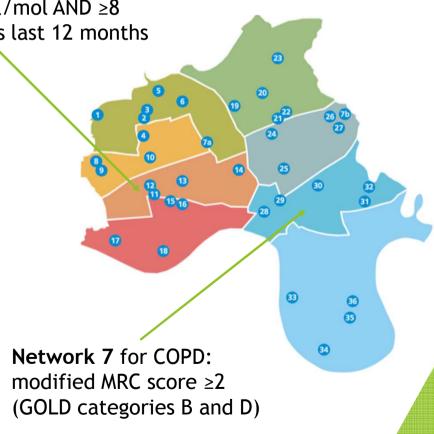
Train GP staff

See patients face to face, and run workshops

Outcomes:

- Feasibility and acceptability to staff and patients
- Standard clinical and process outcomes
- Difference in costs.

Duration: 18 months



What do our team psychologists say?

"I have received a positive reception in all GP practices in the network, by all services that I have encountered (whether they be NHS or not), by the patients I have been contacting and seeing and especially the Network Team.

This has made the post particularly enjoyable and has allowed for some creative and collaborative thinking."

"My ability to have access to staff, patients, services and systems places me in a position where I can connect people. Be it patients with interventions, services or activities; or staff with information and services.

Connecting the dots can create a clearer pathway for everyone involved."





What Margaret, our patient team member, wants to let you know



Summary

- Tower Hamlets has successfully implemented patientcentred services
- Shared values and aims of working together across all health and social care teams have been key
- Single shared computer records facilitated delivery of best possible care.

THANK YOU!

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