



Grampian and Orkney Realistic Medicine Programme



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Report Date

16/12/2022

Progress since last report

- Value Based Healthcare Project first meeting with Progressive Partnership 13/12/22, to commence Jan
- Minor Surgery in NHSG Phase 2 commenced
- Shared Decision Making BRAN questions being incorporated on Grampian Guidance GP referral pathways (used by both Boards)
- House of Care training and refresher sessions
- Demand Optimisation Group Lab Data analysis and direction of the group – second meeting 16/12/22
- Bowel and Bladder project in Orkney progressing
- Met with NHSG Public Engagement colleagues
 - First public engagement events next week (SDM)
- NHS Orkney Rheumatology improvement work progressing
- Providing input into the NHSG draft Commitment to Culture
- NHS Shetland meeting (potential collab on NHSO website work)
- NHS Orkney survey
- Visual Display Screens
- Discharge Lounge wide review promote use of / shared decision making
- 07/12/2022 RM Network Meeting
- Flash report back catalogue
- Various presentations:
- Strategic Advisory Group for Palliative Care
- GANMAC Community Nursing Management

Making an Impact

People receiving care feel at the centre of decisions about their care.

Waste, variation and harm are reduced, and innovative approaches are taken across the pathways of care provided. Risk is managed.

Key issues/risks

The key risks that pose concern to the programme are:

- Potential for rapidly changing situation and the requirement for services to be agile in their priority response
- Pace of cultural change both historical and recent
- Funding lack of clarity re recurring SG funding and nonrecurring element for shortfall of Programme Manager
- Staff health and wellbeing
- Workforce capacity and engagement at service level/improvement fatigue
- Public understanding and engagement
- Atlas of Variation Phase V, no national team capacity at present to support this work

Next steps

- Gap analysis for RM across NHSG and NHSO
- Identify RM Champions in both Boards
- Plan to meet with PELS in NHSG and senior team in NHSO
- House of Care and MEOC training identify how current self-management information and resources can be optimised to support people in a way that is helpful to them and their families
- Communication and engagement plan 'launch' video with wide input from colleagues - SDM
- Commence planning a Realistic Medicine conference for Spring 2023
- Pilot Shared Decision-Making Masterclass Feb '23
- Minor surgery project next steps
- Collate Comms strategy In collaboration with NHSG Public Engagement colleagues (baseline measurement will be established 1st)
- Providing input into the draft inequalities plan for NHSG – meeting 19/12/22



Difficult balance between Realistic Medicine / Formulary guidance Realistic diagnosis by examining patients, rather than depending on

it is hoped realistic medicine will go some way to relieving the pressure on

Older generation happy for doctor to be in charge Younger people want to be part of their care decisions

These are the basic principles Pharmacists practice by daily



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Demand Optimisation Group (DOG)

- Update RM webpage with focus on adding blogs / vlogs / podcasts / videos on SDM
- Near Me surveys for Shared Decision making
- Opportunistic baseline surveying with public and colleagues

Estimated Blood Tube Usage Over Time (Summary)

Gap analysis in both Boards

NHS Grampian - Staff A	wareness Survey Actions	
Education for staff - Learning and support tools	Awareness campaigns	
I only have a broad understanding Differing knowledge base around medication Will complete TURAS modules Mandatory training takes time No one size fits all Listen more to our patients Conversations Awareness sessions for staff needed Is the Realistic Medicine approach up to date I am not a doctor so thought it did not apply to me Principles must be at forefront of my role Ethos is embedded in Clinical Psychology Conversations I reflect a lot on using the principles every day I had not heard of BRAN before I need time to do TURAS modules Needs to be used by all of MDT First time I have heard of Realistic Medicine Depends on one individual's interpretation and understanding of others Regular reinforcement helps I plan to do TURAS modules I use Shared Decision Making myself	Relaunch TURAS modules Relaunch NHS Inform It's Okay to Ask Intranet banner to change with campaigns Social media posts Continue presentations at events / meetings / committees Launch Realistic Medicine Shared Decision Making Master Class To (Maternity initially) Include in new start introduction (all staff) TURAS Modules Approach to offer support to deliver RM objectives Pharmacy Radiology Improvement Ideas MDT proformas (Include person centred care section) Create a localised education resource (chunked up TURAS m type learning module) Include quiz Tea trolley training sessions RM Champions Network	
Education for Patients	Lunchtime <u>drop in</u> sessions (Sustainability, SDM, VBC) Gather baseline of understanding / RIN Network / NUSC Bublic	
It's just good medicine	Gather baseline of understanding / PIN Network / NHSG Public Engagement Team / Survey	
Inform patients of resources		
Manage patient expectations better x 2	Raise awareness via RM events in Community / Libraries	
Increase public messaging		
Realistic Medicine has value for those of an older age	Add RM information to	
Can be challenging in paediatric services	eConsult	
Add principles to eConsult	Patient information leaflets Corporate Graphic Design leaflets	
Ideas / Service Improvement / Supportive of ethos	Set up a session with Radiology	
Transparent conversations with patients and public	Set up a session with nadiology	
Could improve reason for Radiology requests	Set up a session with Pharmacy	
Could limit futile treatments	,	
We need to become less risk averse		
Realistic Medicine gives a strong ethos and principles to follow		
Increase recording of GP / Patient discussions		
Requires organisational support		
Helpful underpinning principles		
Essential for NHS to survive		
What happens if patients pick expensive or high-risk option?		
Have heard interesting examples from service users		
Widen to Realistic Medicine, Care and Treatment		
The state of the s		

Data points/measures

- Completion of TURAS eLearning package
- Website page visits
- Staff survey of Shared Decision Making
- Public survey of Shared Decision Making
- Near Me survey of SDM using collaboRATE
- Reduce unwarranted variation in blood test request rates
- Reduce inappropriate (blood) testing

TURAS module completion

	Complete	In Progress	Total
Grampian	413	208	621
Orkney	16	8	24

Realistic Medicine - Near Me Post Consultation Questionnaire – total responses 25

Community Dietetics 11 / 42 appointments Dermatology 19 / 132 appointments GMEDs 23 / 57 appointments Fertility 54 / ?? appointments

NHS Orkney Staff Awareness Survey 33 responses closes Friday 23/12/2022

Views NES Vimeos total views

Requested C/F to next report

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