

# **Our Quality Journey and Quality Improvement Priorities for 23/24**

# This presentation will cover

- National quality definitions / patient safety strategy
- TEWV's Quality Journey – our Quality Strategy which supports *Our Journey to Change*

## The National Quality Board commits us to:

‘A Shared single view of quality where people working in systems deliver care that is:

- **Safe** - delivered in a way that minimises things going wrong and maximises things going right; continuously reduces risk, empowers, supports and enables people to make safe choices and protects people from harm, neglect, abuse and breaches of their human rights;
- **Effective** - informed by consistent and up to date high quality training, guidelines and evidence; designed to improve the health and wellbeing of a population and address inequalities through prevention and by addressing the wider determinants of health; delivered in a way that enables continuous quality improvements based on research, evidence, benchmarking and clinical audit
- **A Positive Experience - Responsive and personalised** - shaped by what matters to people

# And....

- **Well led** - driven by collective and compassionate leadership, which champions a shared vision, values and learning; delivered by accountable organisations and systems with proportionate governance
- **Sustainably Resourced** - Sustainably-resourced - focused on delivering optimum outcomes within financial envelopes, reduces impact on public health and the environment.
- **Equitable** - everybody should have access to high-quality care and outcomes, and those working in systems must be committed to understanding and reducing variation and inequalities.

# The NHS Patient Safety Strategy

Continuously improving patient safety



Improve our understanding of safety by drawing insight from multiple sources of patient safety information.

## Insight

Measurement, incident response, medical examiners, alerts, litigation



People have the skills and opportunities to improve patient safety, throughout the whole system.

## Involvement

Patient safety partners, curriculum and training, specialists, Safety II.



Improvement programmes enable effective and sustainable change in the most important areas.

## Improvement

Deterioration, spread, maternity, medication, mental health, older people, learning disability, antimicrobial resistance, research.



A patient safety *culture*  
A patient safety *system*



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# TEWV Strategy and Priorities

**1 Why we do what we do**

We want people to lead their best possible lives.

**2 What people have told us about the sort of organisation we were in 2020**

We have a lot to be proud of, yet we don't always provide a good enough experience and at times let down those who use our services, their carers and their families.

**4**

We will co-create safe and personalised care that improves the lives of people with mental health needs, a learning disability or autism, involving them and their carers as equal partners. We will listen, learn, improve and innovate together with our communities and will always be respectful, compassionate, and responsible.

**3 The kind of organisation we want to be**

The most important way we will get there is by living our values, all of the time



**Respect**  
• Listening  
• Inclusive  
• Working in partnership



**Compassion**  
• Kind  
• Supportive  
• Recognising and celebrating



**Responsibility**  
• Honest  
• Learning  
• Ambitious

**5 We are committed to three big goals for the next five years**

**Goal 1**

To co-create a great experience for our patients, carers and families, so you will experience:

- **Outstanding** and compassionate care, all of the time.
- **Access** to the care that is right for you.
- **Support** to achieve your goals.
- **Choice** and control.

**Goal 2**

To co-create a great experience for our colleagues, so you will be:

- **Proud**, because your work is meaningful.
- **Involved** in decisions that affect you.
- **Well led** and managed.
- That your workplace is **fit for purpose**.

**Goal 3**

To be a great partner, so we will:

- Have a **shared understanding** of the needs and the strengths of our communities
- Be **working innovatively** across organisational boundaries to improve services.
- Be **widely recognised** for what we have achieved together.

Your opinions are important to achieve our goals. Get Involved



# Our Journey to Safer Care

## Insight

### Our Patient Safety Priorities

**Suicide Prevention and Self Harm Reduction**

**Reducing Physical Restraint and Seclusion**

**Promoting Harm Free care  
Improving Psychological and Sexual Safety  
Providing a Safe Environment**

**Promoting Physical Health**

## Involve

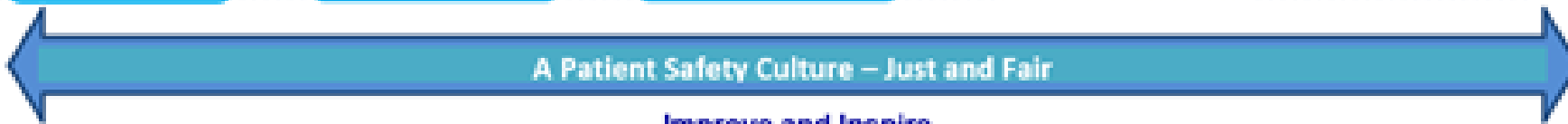
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Patients, Families & Carers

Experts by Experience

Ward/ Team to Board Staff

External Partners



## Improve and Inspire How we will achieve our goals



### Academy of Caring

Provide education and training opportunities which enable all health professionals to deliver effective and compassionate care. Develop new and innovative roles across system  
Empathy Training



### Patient Safety Faculty

Improve our understanding of safety  
Build capability for safety improvement through a Patient Safety Syllabus:

- Human Factors & Safety Management
- Creating Safe Systems

Patient Safety Specialists  
Patient Safety Partners



### Continuously Improving Patient Safety

Measuring what matters  
Team Safety Plans – local ownership  
Improvement programmes enable effective and sustainable change  
Intelligence for Action:

- Stop the Line
- Flash Safety Briefings
- SBARDS & Webinars
- National Safety Alerts



### Maximising Technology

Digital systems and solutions

- CITO
- SafeCare
- Dialogue

New National Reporting & Learning System  
Maximising Datix System  
New National Patient Safety Incident Response Framework



### A Learning Organisation

Opportunities for learning

- When things go well
- From incidents, complaints, litigation
- In our shoes –patient, carer and staff experiences

National Improvement Programmes  
Research and Innovation  
Innovative and effective ways to share and embed learning  
Learning Library

## National Patient Safety Strategy

Reporting incidents directly via the new Learning From Patient Safety Events ( LFPSE)

Improving Patient Safety through the transformation of the Patient Safety Incident Reporting Framework (PSIRF)

- ✓ Patient Safety Syllabus
- ✓ Patient Safety Specialists
- ✓ Patient Safety Partners





# Our Journey to Effective Care

## Insight



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A Patient Safety Culture – Just and Fair

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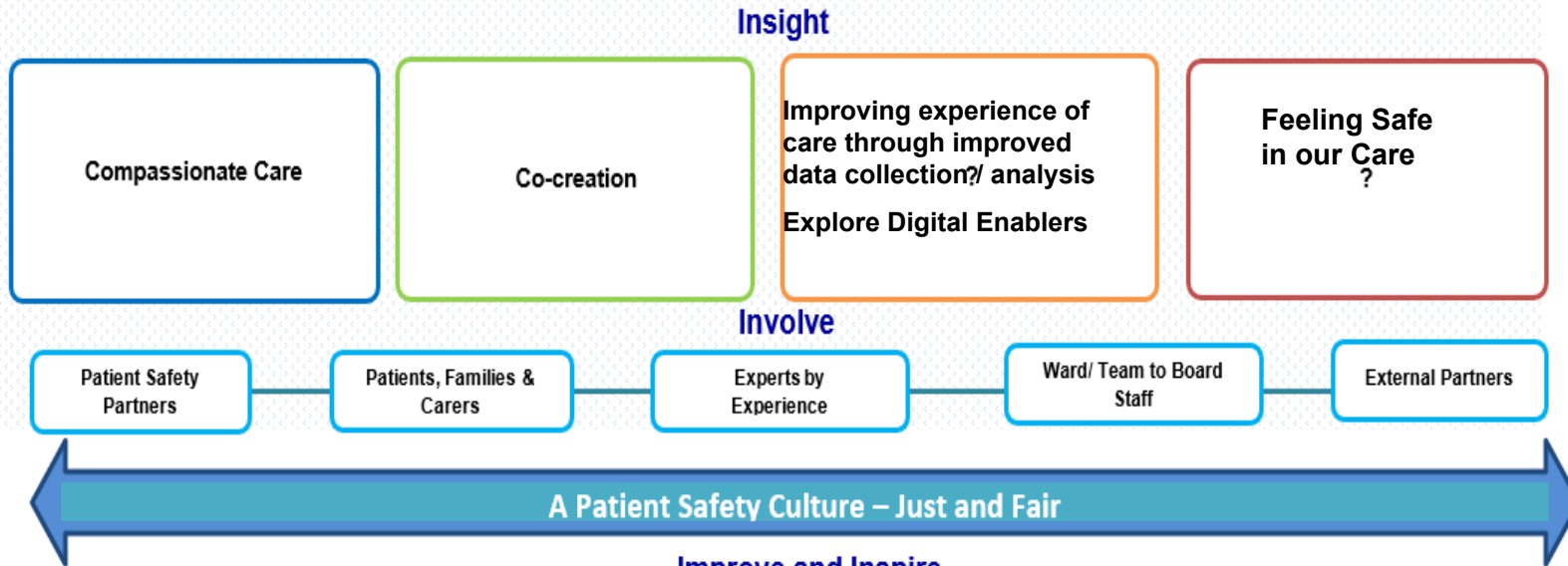
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- ✓ For each service, we will have in place a suite of clinical outcome measures and patient reported outcomes (effectiveness of care measures)
- ✓ We will have improved data quality with regard to the 'effectiveness of care' measures that will be utilised by clinicians to better understand the impact of different approaches to patient care and treatments
- ✓ Using this data, we will see an increase in the number of patients reporting an improvement in their symptoms after receiving care and treatment from the Trust
- ✓ There will be an increase in patients telling us they have been able to influence their care and all care plans will be co-created with patients and their families



# Our Journey to Excellence in Patient Experience and Involvement



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- We will demonstrate significant improvements in the experiences of the people using our services through using an increased range of methods and range of quantitative and qualitative information
- Service users, carers and staff will see that their voice makes a difference – by speaking out about poor care and making suggestions for improvements they are continuously improving the experience people have of our services.
- Patients will talk positively about the impact of restrictions on their recovery
- Patients on our wards will feel safe

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# Where we are now

# QUALITY & LEARNING DASHBOARD

## Summary Dashboard –December 22

Reporting month: December 2022		Variation	Assurance	Target	Numerator	Denominator	Rate/%
SAFE	Serious Incidents			-	11	-	-
	Incidents			-	1868	-	-
	Incidents per 1000 OBD (Wards only)			-	1332	19596	67.97
	Incidents per 1000 Caseload			-	401	52736	7.60
	Restrictive intervention incidents			-	446	-	-
	Restrictive intervention incidents per 1000 OBD (Wards only)			19.25	433	19596	22.10
	Self-harm incidents			-	453	-	-
	Seclusion incidents			-	40	-	-
	All medication errors per 1000 OBD (Wards only)			2.5	66	19596	3.37
	L3 and above Medication Errors			0	1	-	-
	Falls per 1000 OBD (Wards only)			-	53	19596	2.70
	L3 falls per 1000 OBD (Wards only)			0.35	1	19596	0.05
	Shifts greater than 13 hrs			0	58	-	-
	CARING	FFT			0.94	660	722
Carer FFT				-	240	258	93.02%
Feel safe				0.88	72	142	50.70%
Complaints				-	29	-	-
PALS				-	141	-	-
Compliments				-	15	-	-

- 722 Patient FFT responses received for the Trust in November
- Most recent FFT benchmarking data provided by NHSI tells us 91% of people rated our services as good or very good
- A small number of patients account for 75% of all Restrictive Interventions in LD, SIS and PICU. Mean YTD data shows downward trend across all forms of restrictions
- Long Term Segregation and Restrictive Intervention Panels in place
- At the time of reporting the Trust are supporting 14 patients in LTS or prolonged seclusion (8 individual accommodation in LD)
- A reducing trend in self harm incidents following targeted improvement work

# Positive & Safe Dashboard



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NHS Foundation Trust

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### Positive and Safe Dashboard

Developed by Ben Murphy, TEWV Nursing and Governance and NHS Improvement

Showing Data for:  
Directorate: (All)  
Specialty: (All)  
Ward/Team: (All)  
Latest reporting week: WC 23 Jan 23

	This Week			Last week		YTD Mean
	Total	Placed	Unplaced	Total	Number of Patients	
Total restraint incidents	123	31	92	141	49	142
Prone	0	0	0	1	1	2
Supine	22	10	18	7	13	47
Mechanical restraint	0	-	-	0	1	1
Tear proof clothing	1	-	-	1	2	1
Rapid tranquilization	24	5	18	13	14	26
Seclusion	10	-	-	5	7	15
Self-harm	908	-	-	49	55	129
Debiel figures	-	-	-	-	-	-

**Time of Day**

Legend: Restraint (Blue), Self-harm (Red)

**Trends:**  
 - An improving trend (upward or downward)  
 - A concerning trend (upward or downward)  
 - Normal variation

**Filters:**  
 Directorate Adjusted: DURHAM, TEES VALLEY AND FORENSIC; NORTH YORKSHIRE, YORK AND SELBY  
 Department/Specialty (Responsible...): ADULT LEARNING DISABILITIES; ADULT MENTAL HEALTH; CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLES SERVICES; HEALTH AND JUSTICE; MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES FOR OLDER PEOPLE; SECURE INPATIENT SERVICES  
 Team/Ward/Cost Centre (Responsible...): AID - LRH - BEK NP; AID - LRH - RAMSEY - TALBOT WARD; AID BANKFIELDS BUNGALOW 2; AID BANKFIELDS COURT; AID BANKFIELDS COURT 1

**Charts:**  
 - Total restraints: Line chart showing weekly measurements, mean, and process limits. Trend: Improving.  
 - Prone restraints: Line chart showing weekly measurements, mean, and process limits. Trend: Concerning.  
 - Supine restraints: Line chart showing weekly measurements, mean, and process limits. Trend: Improving.  
 - Mechanical restraints: Line chart showing weekly measurements, mean, and process limits. Trend: Normal variation.

# Some Key Quality Markers

Quality Controls, Quality Assurance

## Fundamental Standards Groups



### Quality Assurance Programme

#### QA Audits

- Modern Matron Review
- MDT Walkabout
- Peer Review
- Peer & Self Audits

### Restrictive Interventions

- Positive & Safe Dashboard
- RI business case
- Merseycare recommendations

### Culture Assessment Process

- Phase 1 – IP Ward assessment
- Community Tool in development
- Development of a trigger tool
- PHASE 2 –follow up programme

### Safe Staffing report & oversight

- Safe Care Tool
- Staffing Establishment Review (MHOST)
- Career Framework Development

# Quality Metrics

Quality Metrics	Target	Whole Trust 20/21	Whole Trust Actual Q4 21/22	Whole Trust Actual 22/23 Q1	Whole Trust Actual 22/23 Q2	Whole Trust Actual 22/23 Q3
1) Percentage of patients who report 'yes, always' to the question 'Do you feel safe on the ward?'	88.00%	64.66%	64.37%	59.38%	58.54%	54.02%
2) Number of incidents of falls (level 3 and above) per 1000 occupied bed days (OBDs) – for inpatients	0.35	0.13	0.07	0.23	0.23	0.25
3) Number of incidents of physical intervention/restraint per 1000 occupied bed days	19.25	20.90	37.66	34.01	33.84	31.09
4) Percentage of adults discharged from CCG-commissioned mental health inpatient services receive a follow-up within 72 hours	85%	Previously reported indicator: (Existing percentage of patients on Care Programme Approach who were followed up within 72 hours after discharge from psychiatric inpatient care)		91.56%	88.46%	86.59%
5) Percentage of patients who reported their overall experience as very good or good	94.00%	93.21%	94.34%	91.76%	91.74%	91.81%
6) Percentage of patients that report that staff treated them with dignity and respect	94.00%	86.77%	89.14%	87.31%	87.16%	85.94%
7) The number of Medication Errors with a severity of moderate harm and above	2.5	-	-	2	5	4
8) Number of serious incidents reported on STEIS	-	-	-	34	32	28
9) Number of Complaints raised	-	-	-	82	62	97

# KEY QUALITY RISKS

Areas for concern



## Workforce

Medical vacancies  
Registered Nurse Vacancies



## Reference Cost Index

tariff funding shortfall for MH,  
Community and  
Ambulance providers – pay  
81% cost base



## ALD

system pathways not fit for  
purpose (£4m+  
unfunded complex packages



## IP Pressures

DTOC, 104% occupancy  
8 IS Beds



## SI Backlogs

Lack of system resources  
closure of historic backlog and  
themed learning



## Lack of Recovery Funding

No Mental Health Recovery  
Fund



## Prosecutions/Reputation

CQC prosecutions  
Niche



## Autism

not covered by MHIS and very  
limited new recurrent  
investment despite significant  
pressures



# West Lane Hospital

# Status and remedial actions for the 3 published Niche Reports

## Key Actions:

- Gap analysis of improvements and evidence against recommendations in preparation for Niche Assurance review (6 months from publication-due May 2023)
- Narrative assurance statements published (and drafts prepared for 4<sup>th</sup> report)
- Quality Assurance mapping and oversight in place
- Commissioned independent Duty of Candour review
- Quality Improvement review underway for environmental risk assessment processes
- No immediate risks to delivery identified

# Learnings about patient safety from West Lane Hospital

Our Trust stopped delivering inpatient children and adolescent mental health services (CAMHS) in September 2019 following a series of incidents at West Lane Hospital. Following this, NHS England commissioned an independent review looking at the care and treatment of three young woman who sadly died in our care in 2019 and 2020.

The review was clear that we needed to improve some of the ways that we work:

## Improving the ward environment:

To reduce ligature risks we have made changes to some ward environments. We have:



Removed shower curtains



Replaced old taps with anti-ligature ones



Installed anti-ligature doors in some areas



Ligature risk is assessed monthly by your matron during walk-arounds



We are also piloting a system called Oxehealth in some areas. Oxehealth is an alert system designed to improve safety for the people we care for.

## Improving patient safety

We have changed the way we talk about risk; we now use safety summaries and safety plans. Patients, families and carers are much more involved in this.



We used to record information about risk in multiple places. This led to mistakes. The primary place of recording risk is in the safety summary and safety plan.



The quality of our records and content are regularly checked. We use a quality assurance schedule and peer visits to do this.



Learning from these audits and visits is shared in team meetings and huddles so everybody knows how to keep patients safe.



As part of our daily ward safety review, we now share important information which helps keep our patients safe.



We have improved our response to incidents and how we learn from these.

## Improving Our governance

Good governance is about having the right people in the right place with the right skills. This supports services to continuously improve and helps us to provide safe and effective care. We know we weren't getting this right and needed to make some changes:



We have changed the way we share information from ward to board.



New meeting structures have been developed.



We are improving the way we are using data and information to better understand how to improve our services.



We have introduced several new roles, so you may have noticed new faces. We have increased the clinical leadership and focus to help us inform our care.



To enhance the patient voice, we have recruited lived experience directors and increased the number of peer support workers.

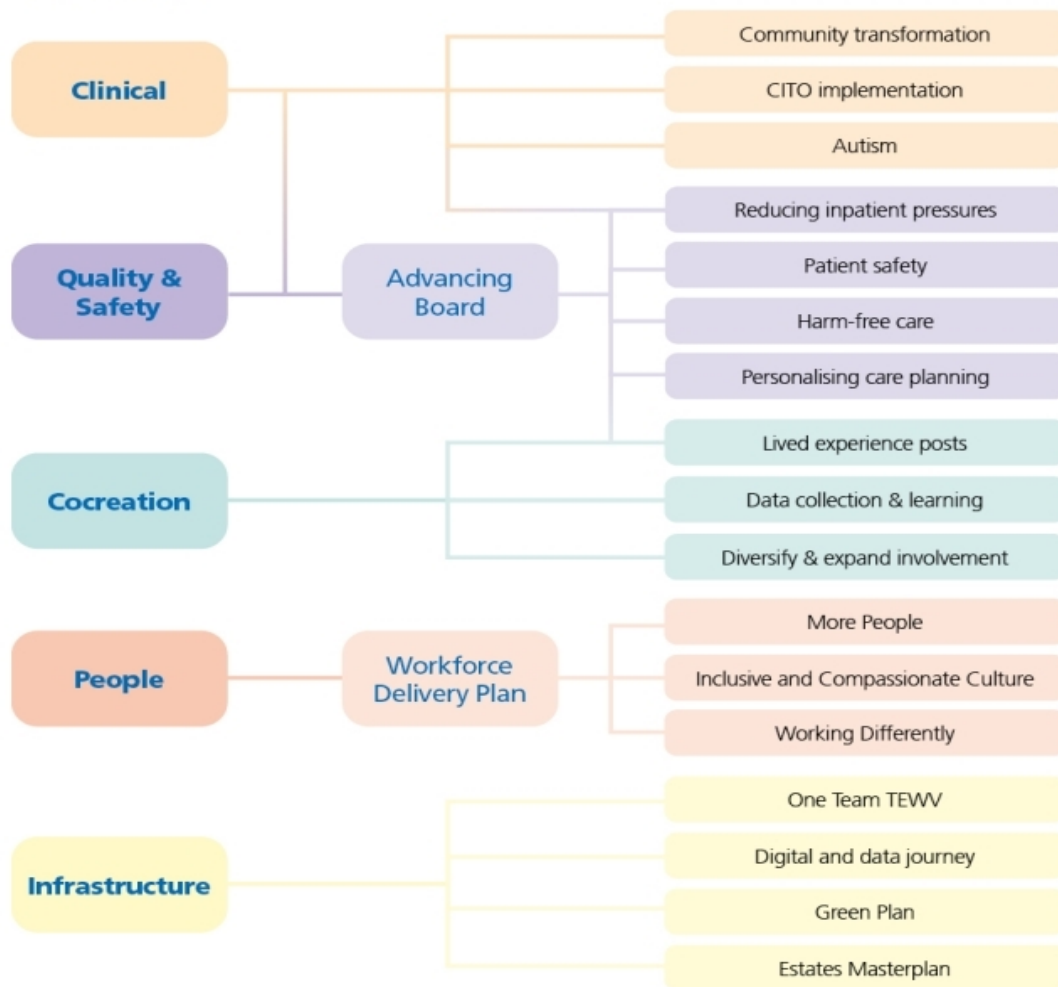
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# **Quality Account improvement Priorities and Next Steps**

# TEWV draft Delivery Plan 23/24



## 2023/24 - Plan on a Page



### These will be underpinned by:

- Service user, carer, staff & partner engagement to inform plans & gather intelligence on impact
- Detailed plans (why, how, when, who)
- Measuring impact

### Our three big goals

1. **Cocreate a great experience for our patients, carers & families**
2. **Cocreate a great experience for our colleagues**
3. **Be a great partner**

# Quality Account improvement priorities

- Will be specific actions in the following areas, which support improvement in the quality account metrics
  - a) Patient Safety
  - b) Harm Free Care
  - c) Personalising Care Planning

# Quality Account Process

- **Draft to be circulated to stakeholders (including local authorities) in early May (hopefully before local authority election, but will be very tight)**
- **30 day formal consultation period**
- **We publish responses from all stakeholders**
  
- **So, we hope this year's Tees Valley OSC can write it's letter now, i.e.**
  - a) **Comment on our quality position / progress**
  - b) **Comment on our proposed areas of improvement**