









epilepsy action

Team mission statement:

Working in partnership with families & colleagues to deliver; consistent, high quality, evidence based care for children and young people with a diagnosis of epilepsy. Provision of individual epilepsy passport care plan to every patient under our care. The passport information will assist the child/young person and people around them, to support them with their diagnosis. This will enable them to lead a more independent and optimum quality of life from childhood to adulthood.

Our Improvement Journey – The Steps We Took

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Outcome Data



find the information to be useful to them.



Four out of five of respondents reported that the Epilepsy Passport had no impact on their life



Parents think the new passport/IHCP will be useful to them.



Parents think the new passport /IHCP will be useful to their child.

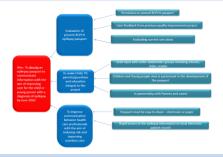


Parents think the new passport /IHCP will be useful for schools



Parents thought the York NHS Trust Epilepsy Passport current information

Driver Diagram



Qualitative Feedback from Families/Colleagues

- Families have been supportive and responsive when asked to review the proposed epilepsy passport.
- Good feedback from families on our amendments but struggled to reach target aimed for due to COVID-19 restrictions.
- Offering support that would 'journey' with the child/young
- Care group manager, supportive and agreed time out.
- Positive support from care group clinical director.

How did you diagnose the issue (pareto, flowchart)

Bar chart or flow chart – we diagnosed the 'issue' by reviewing the previous QI started by the doctors and developed from that – flowchart might be easier?

Bright Spots/Challenges

- ✓ Proactive Team
- ✓ Not put off by setbacks
- Proud of our achievements
- Encouragement and support from senior manager
- COVID-19 priority & restrictions
- ✗ Working across 2 hospital sites
- ★ IT support & development

Your tests of change

QI commenced by the registers 2016 due to RCPCH passport initiated reviewed 2019 by current epilepsy service – tested RCPCH with families & colleagues - amended - tested again with families & colleagues incorporating individual epilepsy care plan into the passport – York NHS Trust epilepsy passport care plan created – tested & amended

(appreciate this may need to be more specific)

Team personal learning/next steps

- Benefit of a focussed united team across sites.
- Continue QI regular virtual meetings to review & develop projects within the epilepsy service.
- Develop epilepsy passport to be easily stored and accessible on any electronic device.
- Continue to lobby hospital IT and Royal College for epilepsy database.
- Benefit of psychology supervision and continuing to request further provision.
- More formal feedback to be gathered from child/ young people as the epilepsy passport continues to be tested & amended.
- Reviewed and verified by hospital governance team.