



Enhanced Care to Nursing Homes Project

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Project's Aim:

- By July 2018 increase referrals to the Rapid Response Team from the 6 Nursing homes by 20%
- By July 2018 reduce hospital admissions from the 6 Nursing Homes by a minimum of 10%
- By July 2018 reduce the average length of stay in hospital for Nursing Home residents by 30% (from 14 days per admission to 10 days)

Why we started this QI project?

To reduce unplanned hospital admissions from Nursing Homes in Newham & reduce the average length of stay in hospital on admission. Additionally the project hoped to increase referrals to the team through collaborative partnership working.

What are the main factors that help drive this project forward?

Allocated named Nurse for each home providing continuity

Staff commitment and enthusiasm

Commitment to partnership working across agencies

What have we achieved so far?

Number of referrals received from nursing homes to the Rapid Response team each month

