



East of England Clinical Audit and NICE Network (EECANN) – 2018-19 report

More members from across the healthcare sectors have joined the group compared to previous year, there were 96 members on the delegated list.

Members of the network have increased their skills and knowledge in Quality Improvement and Clinical audits training. The network have organised Training programme to enable and encourage the team to provide clinical audit advice and support to the wider NHS organisation.

8th Oct 2018 -Training Day: Train the Trainer course

This training was conducted by Stephen Ashmore and Tracy Ruthven (accredited CASC team from Leicester)

The network training was funded through NQICAN. There were 19 out of 22 that responded (86%).

Key points learnt during the course: mapping audit process, access of resources and practical tips, learning plans and style, delivery of clinical audit to different staff groups, Use of lessons learned, share good practice – AmaT, ways of communication at varied levels, potential barriers.

Training to improve could be on: Focus of Specific areas, action planning and demonstrate implementation changes, describe teaching and learning activity by tutors, any clinical audits/improvement topics QI, forward planning a clinical audit programme.

Regular meetings:

3rd Sept 2018 – Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.

Topics delivered were NQICAN update by **Josefina Gil-Moya**, NICE technology appraisal and changes to guidelines by **Gill Eddy**, NCEPOD and impact on patient outcomes was presented by **Neil Smith**.

6th March 2019 – Ipswich Hospital, East Suffolk & North Essex NHS Foundation Trust

Discussion covered were on NQICAN update by **Josefina Gil-Moya**, National audits –Ipswich Team by **Jane Horton and Derek Bartle**, NICE updates from **Joanne McCormack**, New teaching tools and network audit survey by **Stephen Ashmore**.

A sincere thank you to the Steering group for the support, time and continual effort and for the greater team for another year of success stories shared. Likewise, a big thank you to all the actively participating members of EECANN for attending the meeting.

After the last meeting, Josefina Gil Moya put out an advert for a week, to which it was confirmed that her successor as Chair was Alka Anoop, from April 2019 for a period of 2 years.

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