

## South East Clinical Effectiveness Network (SECEN)

The South East Clinical Effectiveness Network (SECEN) meets three times a year, November, March and July. The network is made up of 29 organisations across the south east region and has approximately 91 members.

### Key points from the Network 2018/19

- **Chairman** – Denise Thompson agreed to continue to undertake this role for 2018/19.
- **Vice Chair and Treasure** – Sue Venables agreed to continue with this role for the network

### Meeting 7 March 2018 key points

- **Sue Venables, Treasure SECEN** Update from NQICAN / HQIP
- **Jade Fortune Implementation Facilitator, NICE Field Team (South East)** – update on NICE guidance
- **Rachel Brown / Nicola James East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust** - Progress on a Deep Dive – Record Keeping Audit
- **Wendy Harlow & Shannon R. Guglietti Sussex Partnership NHS Foundation Trust** - Clinical Audit for Quality Improvement: Doctors
- **Members Discussion** –
  - Unlocking the potential Supporting doctors to use national clinical audit to drive improvement – Royal College of Physicians
  - Sharing practice, problem solving exchange and successes

### Meeting 6 November 2018 key points

- **Jade Fortune Implementation Facilitator, NICE Field Team (South East)** – update on NICE guidance
- **Mark Hannigan Head of Clinical Standards and Quality Improvement at Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health (RCPCH)** – update on
- **Adrienne Bean, GIRFT, Implementation within the South East Region**
- **Sue Venables, Treasure SECEN** - Update from NQICAN / HQIP
- **Pat Singleton** – Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust - Clinical Audit: Moving from reporting Assurance to Quality Outcomes
- **Members Discussion** –
  - How do other trusts close down completed audits
  - How do trusts have enough assurance following results of an audit
  - Clinical Awareness Week (#CAAW18): 19th – 23rd Nov
  - NQICAN CAAW pack <http://www.nqican.org.uk/NQICANCAAWpackv1Aug18.pdf>
  - CASC release #CAAW18 plans- audit acronyms and audit strapline competition. <http://www.clinicalauditsupport.com/>
  - The state of clinical audit – document for comments

### Conference call Meeting 6 November 2018 key points

- **NQICAN – round up**
- **Angela Eldridge, Dartford & Gravesham NHS Trust** - Who are you?
- **Gina Cooper, Sussex Community NHS Foundation Trust** - Feedback on Research and Innovation & NICE –
- **Kay Collins – Kent Community Health NHS Foundation Trust** - Audit results
- There was a lot of discussion in relation to the following areas
  - Disconnect between clinical audit / quality improvement / assurance
  - Audit meetings and agendas

- National audits
- Senior leadership within organisations
- Reporting structures within organisations

Looking forward into 2019/20, the network will continue to recognise the challenges in getting the members together to work on the challenging agenda in clinical Audit National and Locally. The network will continue to work with NICE and other National Audit providers. The network will continue to address issues that have been raised including, venue location, training , continue to encourage members to present good practices with all its members.

**Denise Thompson**  
**Head of Clinical Effectiveness**  
**Chair of the South East Clinical Effectiveness Network**

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