Minutes of the Clinical Librarian Group

Held on 5th June, 2015

Room 10, Mayo Building, Salford Royal Hospital.

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| PRESENT | Rosalind McNally (RM) (co-chair), Eva Thackeray (co-chair) (ET), Vicky Ferri (VF), Jane Roberts (JRo), Jo Whitcombe (JMW), Cath Harris (CH), Paul Tickner (PT), Alex Williams (AW), Michelle Maden (MM), Kenna Blackburn (KB), Helen Medley (HM), Nicola Gregory (NG), Linda Taylor (LT), Bruce Payne (BP). |
| IN ATTENDANCE | Amy Finnegan (AF) (NICE) Jenny Craven (JC) (NICE) |
| **2**. APOLOGIES | Michael Reid (MR), Lucy Anderson (LA), John Brooke (JB), Judy Richardson (JRi),), Linda Harrison (LH). |

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| NO | MINUTES | ACTION |
| **3** | MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING  The minutes of the previous meeting were agreed as a true record. |  |
| 4 | **MATTERS ARISING AND ACTION LOG**    GY not present to review log in detail – to roll over to the next meeting.  Following the discussion regarding sharing literature searches etc. during the last meeting, a small working group met to discuss a potential literature search sharing project and have agreed to move forward with a bid for HENW Forerunner funding to support development of this project. GY (HCLU) & Dr. Lynne Goodacre (NHS NW R&D) to lead on this aspect. **See minutes from Trainers’ Group meeting for update from GY.**  Claire Hodkinson (University of Manchester) has agreed to speak at December meeting on the Systematic Review Search Service she has developed. |  |
| **5** | **Clinical Librarian MOOC update - Michelle Maden**  Presentation from MM on the progress of development of the LIHNN literature searching MOOC to date and provide a demonstration of the resource.  MM suggested that there may be a critical appraisal MOOC in the future.  JC to send business/management research resources list used in NICE ad-hoc searches to the group.  RM to send HDAS project timescales to MM to support MOOC HDAS-associated content creation. | All to feedback to MM  **JC**  **RM** |
| **6** | **Clinical Librarian Blog.**  RM asked for any new content for the blog to be sent to GY. | **All** |
| **7** | **AOB.**  RM raised the issue of the impending CRD databases changes due to changes in funding. There is a call for people to volunteer to rate/review research project summaries. This project aims to produce short summaries for NIHR-funded research. Good CPD opportunity and useful for service promotion. These will be collated into a searchable portal on the NIHR website. More details and sign-up information [here](http://www.dc.nihr.ac.uk/college-of-raters).  AW brought an issue from a recent quality group meeting. They want to know if anyone has used/amended templates and how this worked for you as they need new case studies. The group is looking to create repository of templates as well a bank of KPI and service standards. Please share your resources with AW.  JC wanted to know if anyone had tried the new version of TRIP database. No one had taken out a premium subscription. The idea of a regional subscription was discussed.  ET asked for feedback on Dynamed Plus. AW stated that Warrington had a trial but did not take out a subscription.  RM reminded the group of the NHS NW R&D activities and suggested that we could get involved in over the next year. | **AW to email group.**  **All feedback to AW.**  **Any subscribers feedback to ET.** |

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| **9** | DATE & TIME OF NEXT MEETING:  10:00-12:30  Friday, 4th September, 2015.  Room 2, Education Centre, Blackpool Victoria Hospital. |  |