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- Across the NHS and healthcare sector more than a million decisions are made every day which affect all our lives
- Encourage decision-makers to utilise the skills of librarians to help them meet the duty under the Health and Social Care Act 2012 to use evidence from research
- Policymakers and providers need to ensure decisions are evidence-based
- Librarians to deliver evidence to the Board and the ward, to learners and to health professionals

The Project Team

- Nick Poole, CILIP
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- Sue Lacey-Bryant, HEE
- Louise Goswami, HEE
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Engaging with policy-makers, partners, opinion leaders, employers

- Parliamentary engagement:
 All Party Parliamentary Group, House of Lords,
 MPs, the Libraries Minister
- Department of Health
- NHS Confederation conference
- NHS England, PHE, NHS Digital, NICE, NIHR, CPOs, Carter Team, NHS Clinical Commissioners

Reach of the campaign

- Thunderclap: the official launch was extremely widereaching with over a million impressions for the #amilliondecisions hashtag
- Helped to open doors for face to face meetings
- c100 Healthcare library staff have requested campaign news or assets including logos
- Campaign page in CILIP's Top 3 pages since launch
- The Republic of Ireland: #evidenceinformedhealthcare
- Scotland and Wales keen to run similar campaigns

Working with leaders across healthcare, sharing their image and quote



"If you want to know the answer, ask a librarian! Library and knowledge services are a hidden gem in our NHS. They can play a crucial role in making sure we always make decisions based on evidence. As a CEO and an STP lead, I know they are a useful partner to help drive transformation in health and care outcomes."

Rob Webster, STP Lead for West Yorkshire, Chief Executive of South West Yorkshire Partnership NHS Foundation Trust

#amilliondecisions cilip.org.uk/amilliondecisions



Mobilising librarians

Increase the confidence and capability of library and knowledge specialists to assess organisational needs and introduce knowledge management solutions



Workforce development



http://kfh.libraryservices.nhs.uk/learning-zone/

Connecting people to people

Connecting people to the evidence base

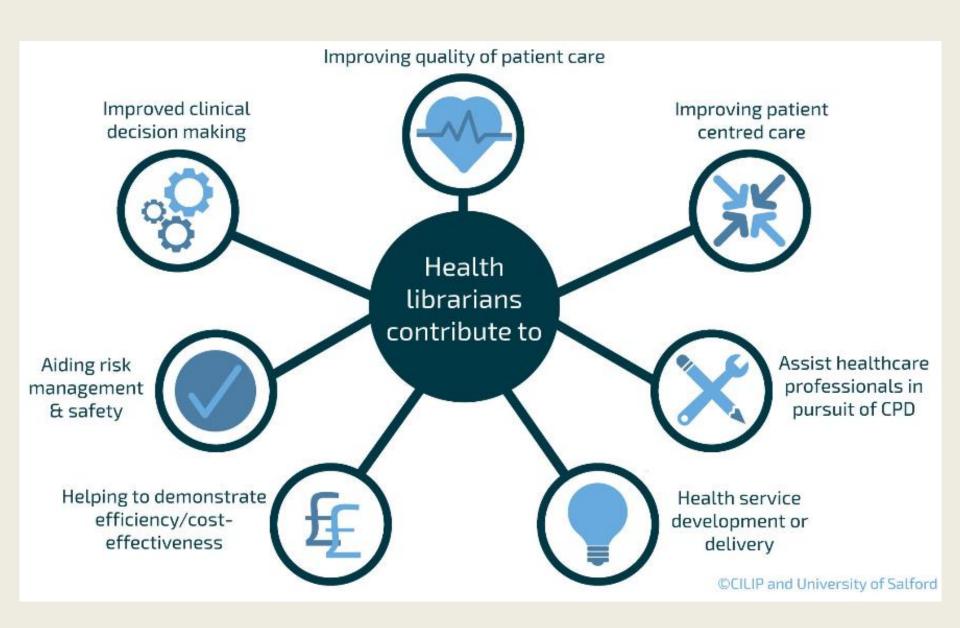
Connecting people to best practice

Helping people keep up to date

Sharing learning

Connecting people to corporate knowledge

Collegiate working







Katie Smith and 28 others follow



NLAG Library Service @nlaglibs - 59m

Evidence & Expertise is the theme of #DietitiansWeek No better place to find that than in your hopsital library #Amilliondecisions

That's a very good point.



Brighton Sx NHS LKS @BrightonSx_LKS · May 23

"Evidence you provided confirmed my plan to commission peer support for groups at risk of mental health problems." #AMillionDecisions



Victoria Treadway @Librarianpocket · Jun 6

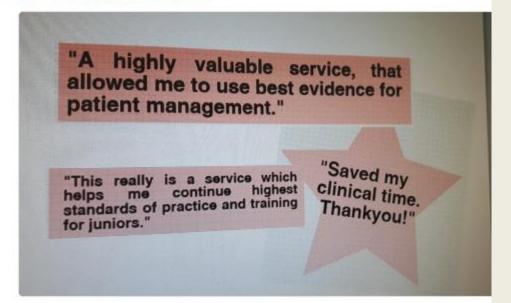
Clinical Decisions session for @WUTHstaff is underway; drop in until 10 for Dynamed / UpToDate demos, advice & goodies #amilliondecisions



John Loy @BristleBoy - Apr 21

Fair to say they like our clinical librarians here at North Bristol.

#amilliondecisions #nbtproud









Suspended on the run up to the election, but activity will begin again at NHS Confed Conference

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