

# Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust: Equality Impact Assessment

## Step 2 - Screening Tool

Please complete the following when screening your policy or service for potential impact on equality groups.

<b>1. Name of lead</b>	Dr Caroline Moody
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Directorate or Department and Team	Anaesthetics
<b>2. Name of service or policy</b>	Clinical Guideline for Local Anaesthetic Wound Infiltration using the Ambit infusion pump for Fractured Neck of Femur surgery
Is this a new or existing piece of work?	Existing
<b>3. Target audience</b> e.g. patients and public; NHS staff; professional health organisations; voluntary organisation; internal staff	<i>Trauma Anaesthetists, Trauma Surgeons, Theatre &amp; nursing staff, Theatre Recovery staff, Ward nursing staff B2, Pain Team, Outreach Team</i>
<b>4. What are the aims of the service/policy?</b> i.e. what does the policy or service hope to achieve?	Achieve an optimal pain score of 1 (mild pain) or below, following surgery. Reduce the requirement of opioids and their associated side effects Provide a nurse or patient led bolus facility to control post - op pain Increase patient satisfaction Minimize referrals due to uncontrolled pain Provide the latest evidence based pain control technology Assess the impact of improved analgesia on post-op mobility
<b>5. Does any part of this service or policy have the potential to have an adverse impact based on a person's age, disability, ethnic origin, gender, religion/belief or sexual orientation?</b> <i>If No, please provide brief reasons.</i>	No- applicable to all #NOF patients
<b>6. Are there any factors that could lead to different outcomes or satisfaction levels based on people's age, disability, ethnic</b>	No – standardised protocol

<b>origin, gender, religion/belief or sexual orientation? If No, please provide brief reasons.</b>	
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If you have answered yes to any of questions 5 or 6, you must now complete a full Equality Impact Assessment using the proforma provided by the Trust.

If you have answered No to all of the above questions, a full assessment is not required. Please complete the following sign-off section and send a copy of this screening to your Head of Service, Matron or Head of Department as appropriate **and** to Liz Abbiss, Head of Communications at Trust HQ.

**Name of person completing this screening: Dr Caroline Moody**

**Job Title: Consultant Anaesthetist**

**Date sent to Head of Service, Matron or Head of department: 8.5.13**

**Date sent to Head of Communications, Trust HQ: July 2013**

For advice relating to completion of this screening, please contact Human Resources on 456111, ext 3807