

Dudley Group of Hospitals: Equality Impact Assessment

Screening Tool

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

1.Name of Lead	Carol Love-Mecrow
Contact number and email	Ext 3469
Directorate or Department and Team	Care quality and Governance
2.Name of service or policy	Patient Centred Care Policy
Is this a new or existing piece of work?	New
3.Target audience e.g. patients and public NHS staff; professional health organisations; voluntary organisation; internal staff	All staff working at The Dudley Group of Hospitals NHS Trust.
4.What are the aims of the service /policy	To ensure that staff are aware of and have access to structured professional support.
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? If no please provide brief reasons	No All service users are treated the same regardless of age, disability, ethnic origin gender, religion/belief or sexual orientation
6. Are there any factors that could lead to different outcomes or satisfaction levels based in people's age, disability, ethnic origin, gender, religion/belief or sexual orientation? If no, please provide brief reasons.	No All service users are treated the same regardless of age, disability, ethnic origin gender, religion/belief or sexual orientation

If you have answered yes to any of questions 5-7, 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: Carol Love-Mecrow

Job Title: Clinical Education Lead

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

Date sent to Head of Communications, Trust HQ: