

Movement Disorders Health Integration Team



Our vision

The objective of MOVE-hIT is to evolve an internationally recognised service for Parkinson's and other movement disorders.

This will incorporate and fully integrate all aspects of clinical and social care, translational research and competency based education, and will be supported by first class management and commissioning.

For an emergency admission, the **average length of stay** for people with **Parkinson's in BNSSG is 21 days** – we want to provide better support to keep people active

Core BNSSG Service Delivery

Jarrold Richards

Advanced Treatment Services

Lucy Mooney

Research

Professor Richard Apps

Education

Dr Konrad Szweczyk-Krolkowski

Nic Mortensen & Robert Griffin
Patient and Public Involvement

Geoff King, Parkinson's UK
Voluntary sector

Sue Thomas, Wilmington Healthcare
Industry network



Achievements

- Opened Brain Centre as 'service hub' to host clinics, research, education & admin under one roof.
- Held Parkinson's Awareness Week Event in April 2018 – showcasing the physical, social and arts activities available to help people stay active with Parkinson's.
- Developed innovative service model with dedicated staff member from Parkinson's UK in clinic providing advice and signposting.
- Mapped current health and allied health movement disorder services in BNSSG region.
- Supported patient-led programmes such as crafts, dance and other exercise sessions. PPI group have developed a portfolio of activities, building on existing third sector led courses across Bristol.
- Extended the Advanced Treatments available to patients
- New research collaborations in place, conducted Randomised Control Trial for GDNF, held series of research showcases engaging members of the public, created database of clinicians and researchers with an interest in movement disorders (70+ staff).
- Mapped current educational activities in BNSSG and made links with Parkinson's Excellence Network. Established monthly journal club at NBT on movement disorders research.

Working with other HITs

Pathway design – We are interested in Experience Based Co-Design: what methods work for you?

Interaction with other conditions – Parkinson's can interact with other neurological, mental health and physical health conditions. We'd be keen to speak to relevant HITs about improvements we can make to care.

Research showcases – We'd like to hear your top tips in running effective research showcases

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