

AFPSIG Business Mtg – Forensic Faculty Mtg, Nottingham 1.3.18

Chair and minutes – Heidi Hales

Aileen Blower

Parag Shah

Andy Todd – ST4 Forensic psychiatry

Zak Rahman - urology SHO

Holly Wooten – CT psychiatry

Training

We discussed the need for dual training, especially with the development of FCAMHS.

Heidi noted that she has raised this within AFPSIG and Nick Hindley is also raising within NHSE workforce planning.

Holly noted that Oriel shows – 3 posts in London, 2 in South Yorkshire, 1 in Oxford.

The interviews are a separate day Adolescent Forensic dual.

Newcastle Alnwood team working on looking at developing an LD CAMHS post – as no spare capacity in the forensic numbers in Newcastle.

Double training is also an option.

Noted that there is a drop out generally in psychiatry from CT to ST – and so there are now some CAMHS run through training posts, which have full core training and run through into CAMHS.

Home Countries developments

England – CAMHS transformation has led to FCAMHS roll out which will be evaluated

Scotland – Aileen reported NHS Ayrshire and Arran Trust – building 8-12 bedded secure inpatient service – which will be up to medium secure specifications

They are looking for benchmarking with the English units, sharing / pooling - we wondered if attending the Audit day would be helpful.

Northern Ireland – Phil Andrew has been appointed as regional consultant

Republic of Ireland – building their secure unit

AFPSIG day conference

November 19th – on gangs and grooming

Already booked MP Anne Coffey

Aileen suggested – Medics against violence from Glasgow

Discussed gang music – and popular gang culture

Police Liaison officers would be good speakers

Consultation work

Ollie White involved in discussion on review of Mental Health Act – with forensic faculty

Heidi Hales going to Houses of Parliament about children in solitary confinement

AFPSIG consultation group will continue to respond to consultation documents as appropriate.

Executive committee

The annual meeting is in June / July