

Collaborative Name	North East
Date of Event	03.05.06 Steering Group: West Park hospital, Darlington
Attendance	: Andrew Black, Paul Brewis, Christine Brown, Nigel Goodfellow, Colin Jay, Martin Kerry, Kay Monaghan, Paul Salter
Summary of discussion	<p>1. a) Address issues raised at Collaborative Launch</p> <p>i) Organisational and managerial 'buy-in' to Collaborative</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - mandated by NHS Strategy (<i>Caring for the Spirit</i>) - endorsed by SHA - evidenced by commitment to Steering Group and Collaborative <p>ii) Effectiveness of Collaborative ('teeth')...</p> <p>..lies in its (unique) potential to realize benefits in the following domains:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Chaplaincy as a profession (education and career structures) - Individual Chaplains (training and sharing best practice) - Patient and staff care (evidencing quality) - Commissioners (resourcing spiritual healthcare) - Trusts (a properly developed Chaplaincy service) - Education Providers (training other professionals) - Faith communities (establishing new patterns of spiritual healthcare) <p>iii) Relationship to existing Chaplaincy development mechanisms will be a <i>complementary</i> one.</p> <p>b) Propose Draft Terms of Reference</p> <p>Most of the meeting was used to develop draft Terms of Reference for consideration at the next Collaborative meeting.</p> <p>2. Consider priorities for the Collaborative and propose a programme of work.</p> <p>The sources for this are the priorities generated by groupwork at the Collaborative Launch and the results of the Caring for the Spirit Baseline Questionnaire. The Steering Group agreed to meet again to complete this work.</p>
Summary of action agreed	<p>The Steering group will meet on June 12 at West Park Hospital from 1pm – 3pm</p> <p>The next Collaborative Meeting will be on Thursday July 13 at North Tees General Hospital from 1pm – 4pm</p>
Resources generated for inclusion	Draft terms of Reference

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