

Trauma Calls - Newsletter

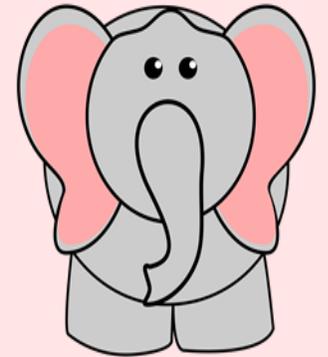
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TARN

Hospital	No. of Submissions	Ascertainment	Accreditation
Barnet Hospital	331	45%	89.2%
Basildon Hospital	764	64-70%	76.3%
Homerton University Hospital	307	61-72%	94.7%
Newham General Hospital	265	96%	74.9%
North Middlesex Hospital	339	43-52%	87.0%
Queen's Hospital Essex	1407	83-95%	87.0%
Royal Free Hospital	499	71-91%	92.7%
Royal London Hospital	4235	86-100+%	88.0%
Southend Hospital	693	76%	96.3%
University College Hospital	461	88%	94.6%
Whipps Cross Hospital	230	27-33%	60.7%
Whittington Hospital	265	50-59%	90.3%

Every TU was asked to submit a TARN trajectory to 80% compliance by October 2018. Progress against these trajectories is monitored and current performance shared in Trauma Calls. Figures relate to period Aug '15 - May '18.



NELiE says...

High quality data is essential for planning, governing and funding trauma services

Poster prizes:

Mayur Murali and colleagues won 1st Prize for the Innovation Poster at the London Major Trauma Symposium, well done Mayur! For all the winners and runners up see <http://www.c4ts.qmul.ac.uk/conferences-and-meetings/lmts2018> more about LMTS on page 6

Silver Trauma New Simulation Course

This FREE* simulation-based course at Homerton University Hospitals recognises the increase in 'silver trauma' or 'geriatric trauma' emerging as a high risk population group. Designed by King's College NHS Foundation Trust and based on work from the Royal College of Emergency Medicine and Trauma Networks, this course aims to equip staff with the skills and knowledge required to improve survival and recovery and reduce the length of patients' hospital stay.



This course will benefit all professional groups including Physiotherapists, Doctors, Occupational Therapist, Nurses, Healthcare Assistants, Anaesthetists, Surgeons and Operating Department Practitioners who frequently provide care for patients over 65.

*FREE to Homerton staff

Register today — places limited

Contact us for details and to book
Email: huh-tr.simulation@nhs.net

Course dates: 13th July

Time: 08.30—17.00



Homerton University Hospital **NHS**
NHS Foundation Trust

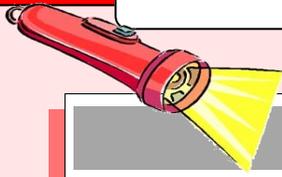
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Spotlight On... LSCIC

London Spinal Cord Injury centre (LSCIC) at the RNOH, Stanmore is one of 11 in the UK designated to receive and treat spinal cord injured patients. LSCIC provides a wide range of services to meet the needs of people with spinal cord injury, including urology, respiratory, psychology, psychiatry, physiotherapy, occupational therapy, sexual and fertility advice, reintegration planning, and the management of spasticity, pressure ulcers as well as other complications.

Patients are admitted on an urgent referral basis, predominantly from the south east of England. We are the linked SCIC to the Trauma networks around the Royal London and St Georges MTC's. Our aim is to admit patients as soon as possible following their injury. (Please refer on nww.spinalreferrals.nhs.uk). We have a multidisciplinary outreach team who aim to see all referred patients within 5 days of referral. Many pa-

tients require further visits whilst they wait for a bed within LSCIC. Unfortunately last year the average referral to admission time was 50 days.

The overarching philosophy of the multi-disciplinary team (MDT) at LSCIC is that rehabilitation is a journey that takes years and is best delivered through lifelong intervention. We aim to give our patients the initial skills to return to their lives as soon as possible, supported by re-admissions and outpatient services for maintaining health and ongoing skill acquisition. This service delivery allows us to offer optimal and timely intervention to in-

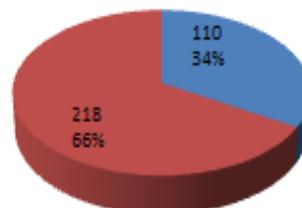
dividuals and supports us in offering our services to a maximum number of people.

The Centre currently has 40 beds comprising of 37 adult and 3 Children and Young People (CYP) beds. This further breaks down as follows:

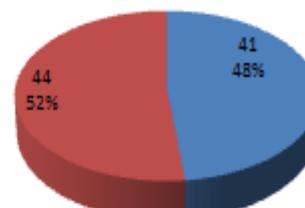
- 25 rehabilitation beds (which includes 5 respiratory)
- 2 acute beds
- 3 paediatric beds
- 5 rehab readmission / short admission beds
- 5 tissue viability beds

LSCIC has 4.7 beds per million catchment population, lower than any other centre and compares to the national average of 7 beds per million

**Trauma and Non Trauma Referrals
All Trusts
328**



**Trauma and Non Trauma Referrals
Royal London
85**



■ Trauma Referrals
■ Non Trauma Referrals

Figure 1. Referrals to LSCIC April 2017 to March 2018

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population. Last year a review was undertaken of SCIC services nationally and we await the outcome of that review to help support more beds nationally, including beds for ventilated patients, and ensure equitable access to SCIC's. Hopefully the time people wait for admission will reduce significantly.

In the year April 2017-March 2018 we received 328 referrals. 202 were from NELETN (with 85 from the Royal London Hospital) The majority of referrals are for people with non traumatic injury (Figure 1).

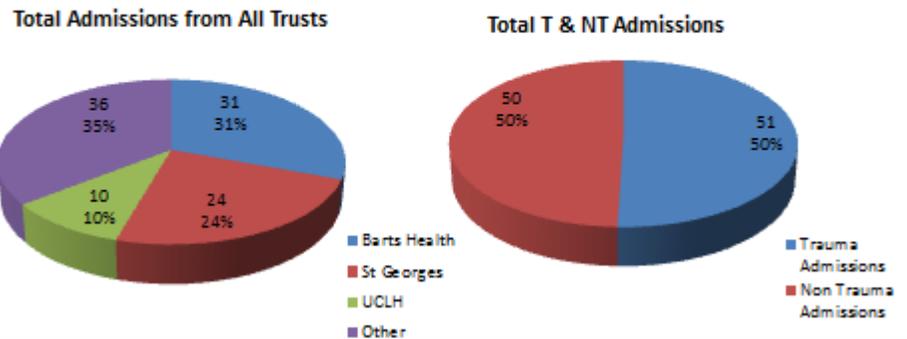
All referrals are discussed at a weekly admissions meeting and a plan agreed. We run the

rehabilitation beds at approx. 100% capacity with admissions planned exactly to coincide with discharges. Not all patients are admitted to the centre.

not accepted by the service. (Figure 3)

We are always happy to discuss individual patients with clinicians. We also have some

Figure 2. 101 Full Rehab Admissions to LSCIC April 2017 to March 2018



Last year we admitted 101 patients for full rehabilitation (Figure 2).

Some patients are seen in clinic and managed as out patients, or have a short planned admission, some referrals are

resources / guidance on our website that may be useful. <http://www.rnoh.nhs.uk/our-services/spinal-cord-injury-centre/lscic-outreach>

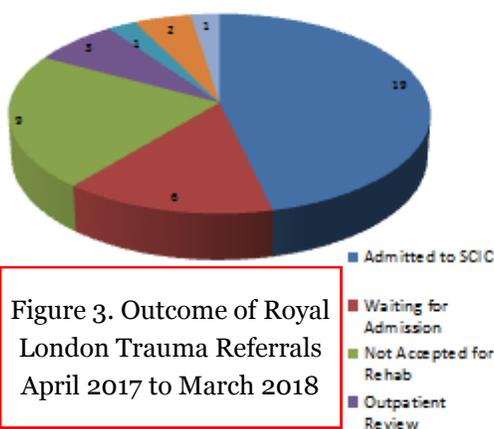


Figure 3. Outcome of Royal London Trauma Referrals April 2017 to March 2018

Reasons for NOT accepting:
4 = repatriated out of area
3 = cognitively impaired and unable to participate in the rehab offered at RNOH
1 = not entitled
1 = rehab not required

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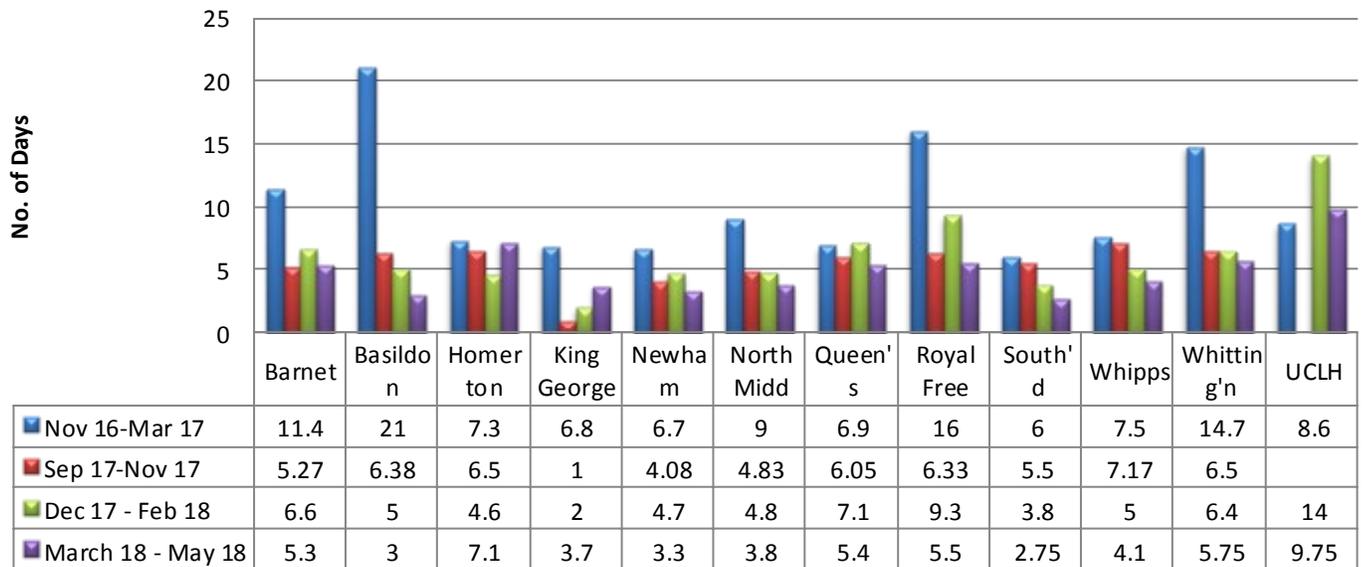
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Repatriations

The average wait continues on a downward trend for most however none of the TU's are hitting the 2 day target; keep going Southend, almost there! At the Royal London Hospital work is being done to improve the quality of documentation for repatriations leaving the MTC. A new site wide repatriation letter has been launched and we will continue to monitor how this impacts on the trauma repatriation times.

Repatriation Wait Times



Date: 27th July 2018

(Open to all members of the Trauma Team including Paramedics, ED Nurses, ED Doctors, Surgeons, Anaesthetists, Orthopaedics, and Plastics)

(facilitated by Dr Mashhood Qazi)

How to book this one-day course:

Please contact Dawn Zucker/ Surajat Sadiq at
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or 02085395522 Ext: 6538



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Peer Review 2018

Peer Review 2018 is now under way with the first evidence domain requested on 1st June. It is advised that you adhere to the submission timetable as late submissions could impact on the assessment of your services.

Below is the submission schedule and the proposed Q&A timetable; you can request to swap your Q&A slot but this will need to be finalized by 1st July:

	Request date	Submission date
Reception & resuscitation	1 st June 2018	22 nd June 2018
Definitive Care	25 th June 2018	6 th July 2018
Rehabilitation	9 th July 2018	21 st July 2018
Annual report, work plan & operational policy	1 st June 2018	21 st July 2018

Time	Day 1—03/09/18	Day 2—04/09/18	Day 3— 05/09/18
09.30-10.30	Homerton Hospital	Royal Free Hospital	Whittington Hospital
11.00-12.00	Basildon Hospital	Barnet Hospital	North Middlesex Hospital
13.00-14.00	Whipps Cross Hospital	Southend Hospital	Queen’s Hospital
14.30-15.30	Newham Hospital	UCLH & Queen’s Sq	

NELETN Meeting Schedule

If you have an event you want to publicise, get in touch with when, where and why.

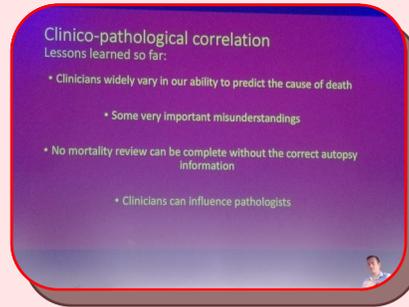
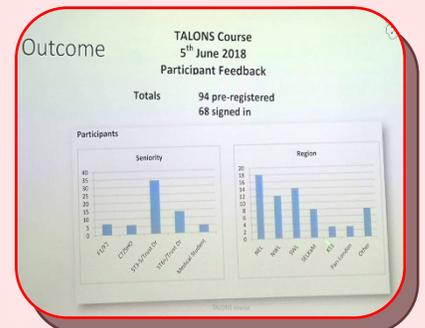
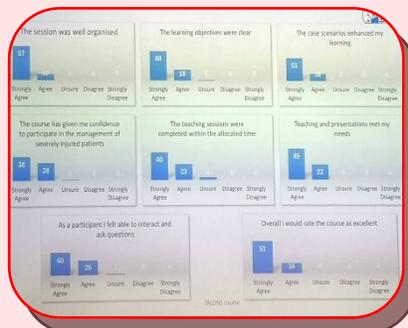
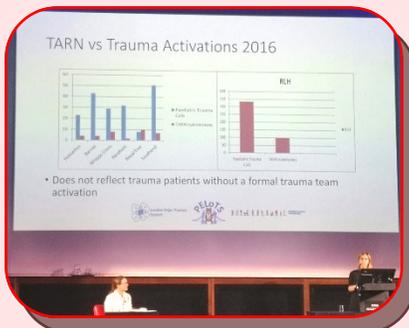
Trauma Directors - Don't forget your governance presentations!

Rehab Group		
Date	Location	Focus
07/08/2018	RLH	Teaching
06/11/2018	RLH	Governance/Case studies

NELETN Steering Group		
Date	Location	Governance to be presented by
27/07/2018	RLH	Basildon, Royal Free, Newham, Homerton & Whittington
28/09/2018	RLH	Barnet, Whipps, Queen's, North Midd
30/11/2018	RLH	Whittington, Southend, UCLH, Homerton

London Major Trauma Symposium

The LMTS took place on 12th June at the Royal Geographical Society in South Kensington. There was good attendance from across the London Trauma System, including all four networks and pre-hospital colleagues. It was a packed day of speakers with a range of topics from research, rehabilitation, education, service innovation and major incident preparedness and response. Positive stories for NELETN included having the most TU's submitting data for the PELoTS study and the highest number of attendees at the recent TALONS course for surgical trainees.



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