

A Uniform Approach

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This is an update for our project '**A Uniform Approach: what makes a good Acute Liaison Nurse and what support do they need to do a good job?**'

What is this project about?



We have written some Easy Read information telling you what the project is about. You can read it on our website: <https://changingourlives.org/a-uniform-approach/>



It tells you what an **acute liaison nurse** is



and what a **competency framework** is.

What have we been doing?



We have talked to **acute liaison nurses** around the country



We have asked them to send us stories of when they have made things better for someone with a learning disability in hospital.



We have asked them questions about how they work. We have asked them what support they need to do their job well.



We have put the questions online so that all **acute liaison nurses** can answer them if they want to.



We will use what they tell us when we are writing the **competency framework**



We are holding some workshops for groups of people with learning disabilities who are interested in health.



We will ask them what a good acute liaison nurse should be doing.



We are also holding some workshops with support staff who go with people when they go to hospital



We will use the information from the workshops to help us write the **competency framework**

What are we doing next?



We are writing the **competency framework**



We are working with our advisory group to decide what to include



We have a lot of information from all of our conversations and workshops.



We won't be able to include everything in the framework. We think this information is important and we want the right people to hear about it.

We are thinking about how we can do this.

How can you get involved?



You can contact us on ask@changingourlives.org