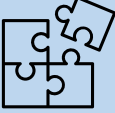









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An Early Language and Communication Improvement Story Board from NHS Lothian

Keys for Communication

 <p>The issue</p>	 <p>The team</p>	 <p>Our idea</p>
<p>Our Speech and Language Therapy targeted resource for early years settings was outdated and needed revamped</p>	<p>Speech and Language Therapists working in the area of early intervention and prevention from NHS Lothian working collaboratively with early years education staff</p>	<p>To produce an online resource that could be easily shared and used flexibly by staff in early years settings to support the communication development of the children in their settings</p> <p><u>'Keys for Communication'</u></p>
 <p>Tools & resources we used.</p>	 <p>What we did</p>	 <p>The impact</p>
<p>We reviewed the contents that we wanted to keep in our old resource Talking Time</p> <p>We created a new resource using Canva</p> <p>We used QR codes to link to videos on Vimeo within the resource</p>	<p>Met as SLTs together to come up with initial plan for the resource.</p> <p>Got SLT assistant to support us with its creation.</p> <p>Piloted it in approximately 10 early years settings.</p> <p>Gathered feedback and made changes accordingly</p> <p>Launched it in collaboration with Quality Improvement officers in local councils in Lothian</p>	<p>Has only just been launched.</p> <p>Plan to evaluate its impact in due course.</p>
 <p>Our learning & next steps</p>	<p>Realised the importance of working in collaboration with colleagues in early learning and education</p> <p>Next steps to share widely in NHS Lothian area and evaluate its impact.</p>	
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