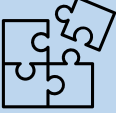









An Early Language and Communication Improvement Story Board from NHS Lothian

Online Health Visitor Training

 <p>The issue</p>	 <p>The team</p>	 <p>Our idea</p>
<p>We needed to update the training we offered to NHS Lothian Health Visiting Staff to reflect the changes in our SLT service to maximise working together</p>	<p>Speech and Language Therapists working in the area of early intervention and prevention from NHS Lothian working collaboratively with Health Visiting Staff</p>	<p>To design an online training session that could be accessed by as many health Visiting Staff from across NHS Lothian as possible</p>
 <p>Tools & resources we used.</p>	 <p>What we did</p>	 <p>The impact</p>
<p>Power point Teams Eventbrite booking system</p>	<p>Designed a training package that takes the emphasis away from the outdated medical model of referral to a specialist to raise HV understanding of the importance of universal and targeted supports</p>	<p>Positive feedback received from Health Visiting Staff. An increase in numbers of families being signposted to our Helpline for universal support</p>
 <p>Our learning & next steps</p>	<p>Importance of explaining changes in service provision and the rationale behind it to enhance collaborative working and shared understanding.</p> <p>Continue to provide a rolling programme of online training with a built in evaluation</p>	
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