TC flyer

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Introduction

Nau mai ki te katoa ki te 2022, welcome back everyone to 2022.

We are looking forward to another exciting year of collaboration to improve data quality and share the many benefits of TrendCare.

Our plans for the year include bringing further education and support in short interactive workshops, to improve understanding, increase data literacy and education for all teams utilising TrendCare.

What's New?

We welcome new TrendCare Coordinators from the following organisations:

- Northland – Elliot & Liza
- Counties Manukau – Nicola & Hannah
- Bay of Plenty – Sam
- Hawkes Bay – Liam
- MidCentral - Holly
- Hutt Valley – Tiana
- West Coast – Kate

At the beginning of 2022 we said goodbye to CP from Hutt Valley and Emma from CCDHB. This month we say goodbye to Jayne from Northland. Thank you all for your amazing work across the country, we wish you well.

What's on top

- Support continues for Waikato as they complete their implementation journey, including the Emergency Department module.

- We welcome Lakes District hospital Queenstown to TrendCare with their implementation in March.

- Nelson Marlborough Health will be implementing the Emergency Department module on both hospital sites in May.

National TrendCare Coordinators Day

This year, due to COVID, the workshop was delivered remotely with great attendance. Waikato shared their experience of, and recovery from, their 2021 cyber-attack. SSHW Unit presented on how TrendCare has had a positive impact for the DHB national CCDM programme, outlining how the increased visibility and transparency of staffing demand and workforce pressures is bringing the voice of nurses to the table.

Helpful Hints

Hospital Isolation Report

This report is used to:

- Locate all isolated patients in the hospital within the selected report period.
- Enable the infection prevention teams and Duty Managers to identify, and round on, isolated patients
- Ensure that the appropriate isolation type and protocols have been implemented.

Selection options provide:

- Ability to view Day, Evening and Night periods.
- Ward views give additional details.

Hospital Period Patients Selected Conditions Report
(New in 3.6.1)

The Conditions Bank is maintained by the site's TrendCare Coordinator in hospital maintenance. COVID isolation can be added as a condition to the list selection. The new report displays all patients assigned to the selected condition for the report period, enabling the tracking of COVID patients.

Workload Allocation

This function, within Allocate Staff screen, enables the shift leader to allocate workloads to an individual and/or staff teams. When staffing by acuity, it is important that there is a fair distribution of clinical hours available between staff, teams, and wards. Consideration should be given to the acuity/care requirements of individual patients, the ward skill mix and the clinical skills of each staff member.

Where in NZ is TrendCare?

TrendCare man is in Deborah Bay, Dunedin.
Thank you to Margot Love, Southern DHB