Using A Community Of Practice (COP) In Online Nurse Education

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1. Sharing Expertise with Students for Facilitated Online Learning

❑ Completing focus groups with expert clinicians to identify content of educational resources

❑ Identifying individual roles challenges and contributions in healthcare – using storyboards

❑ Using COP to devise partnership networks seen by World Health Organisation as a key activity in nurse education (WHO,2011)

❑ Designing frameworks to deliver a blend of associationist, cognitive, and situative learning

❑ Capitalising on new learning technologies
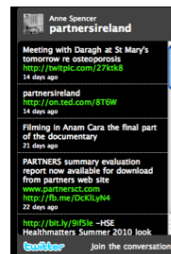
2. Translational Research

Research Question

Can resources, devised by a COP for a practice development initiative, be used in online nurse education to demonstrate translational informatics research?

Original Research Method

❑ Participatory action research approach

Project Outputs and Outcomes

❑ Web based resources to demonstrate practice development initiative (prototype discharge summary record for use across and between services)

❑ On line case based training module designed to accommodate re-use and re-purpose for example in online BNT top up degree.

❑ Web site disseminating information and resources relating to the project

❑ Use of social networking tools such as Face Book and Twitter

❑ Flexibility of material with students to capitalise on new learning technologies to view content including e.g. iPad

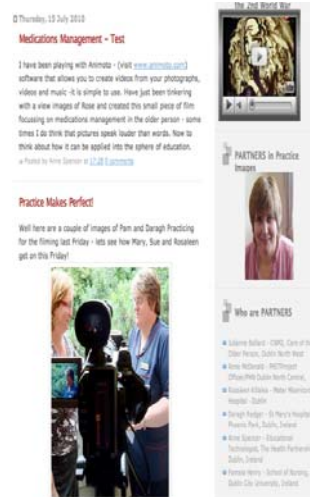❑ Providing the COP with a voice to communicate with students through the use of podcasts, blogs and a documentary

3. Learning as a Skill, Learning to Achieve Understanding & Learning as Part of a Social Practice

Making Connections - Using Virtual Patients

Anonymised case study Demonstrating Continuity of Care Across Service Boundaries

4. Community of Practice Telling their Story

People and Passions Rather than PowerPoint

I found the website development very good . Firstly its easy to look at and navigate through. It also gives the viewer a choice to subscribe and even easier through the social network as twitter and facebook. Well-done, the documentary is highly education and like xxx said, re-iterates the importance of communication between healthcare members. We also got to hear from the horse's mouth as they say the problem they encounter doing their job. In all PARTNERS is a great step in the right direction it enhances communication between all involved, saves times, and enhances patient centred care. I'm not good on the big words but I hope I passed my message across Response from student 1

Looking at a documentary like this gives you a better understanding rather than looking at pages of information. It re-iterates the importance of having effective communications between members of the Primary care teams and the secondary care teams. The PARTNERS website is very beneficial. I think it will be a great resource to people interested in this area and beneficial as these healthcare records are going to affect everyone working in the healthcare system Response from student 2

I agree with xxx that there is a strong visual impact from the documentary which strongly highlights the importance of shared care and the introduction of the national identifier number. I think that the partners group is a very exciting initiative and that the website has some useful links Response from student 3

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