

A Practical Guide to Applying and Monitoring Adherence to **The Duty of Candour**

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"Raising and responding to concerns needs to become a valued and normal part of working in the NHS. For an open and transparent culture to flourish in the NHS people need to feel safe to speak up, no longer fearing that their jobs could be put at risk. They must be confident that their concerns will be acted on in the interests of better patient care."

Dame Eileen Sills, National Guardian, Freedom to Speak Up & Chief Nurse, Guys & St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust

"Services are also more resilient when they have a culture that prioritises openness, learning and continuous improvement, supported by governance processes so that organisations and staff learn together"
Care Quality Commission, October 2015

The statutory duty of candour was introduced for NHS bodies in England (trusts, foundation trusts and special health authorities) from 27 November 2014, and to all other care providers registered with CQC from 1 April 2015. This conference focuses on applying and monitoring adherence to the statutory and professional duty of candour in practice, and ensuring the duty is not seen as an add-on but as an integral aspect of a culture of candour across the organisation. The conference will include an extended legal update and practical sessions focusing on training and supporting staff in disclosing unanticipated events in patient care, breaking bad news and improving communication skills in being open, developing and adopting an effective processes for ensuring candour and supporting staff, developing the new role of the "Freedom to speak up Guardian" and understanding how adherence to the duty of candour can be monitored at an organisational level and by the Care Quality Commission.

"The introduction of a statutory duty of candour is an important step towards ensuring the open, honest and transparent culture that was lacking at Mid Staffordshire NHS Foundation Trust. The failures at Winterbourne View Hospital revealed that there were no levers in the system to hold the "controlling mind" of organisations to account. It is essential that CQC uses this new power to encourage a culture of openness and to hold providers and directors to account." David Behan, Chief Executive, Care Quality Commission, June 2015

"Providers must promote a culture that encourages candour, openness and honesty at all levels. This should be an integral part of a culture of safety that supports organisational and personal learning. There should also be a commitment to being open and transparent at board level, or its equivalent such as a governing body." Care Quality Commission 2015

"Every healthcare professional must be open and honest with patients when something goes wrong with their treatment or care which causes, or has the potential to cause, harm or distress. Healthcare professionals must also be open and honest with their colleagues, employers and relevant organisations, and take part in reviews and investigations when requested. Health and care professionals must also be open and honest with their regulators, raising concerns where appropriate. They must support and encourage each other to be open and honest and not stop someone from raising concerns." Joint statement from the Chief Executives of statutory regulators of healthcare professionals

10.00 Chairman's Welcome and Introduction: Achieving a Culture of Candour

Representative

Action Against Medical Accidents

- creating the right environment for staff to speak up safely and share this best practice across the NHS
- how do we achieve a culture of candour in our organisations and services?
- how can we support frontline staff to implement the duty at the bedside?
- accountabilities and reporting requirements

10.40 Developing the role of the new Independent NHS Patient Safety Investigation Service (IPSIS)

Julian Brookes

Advisory Group Member

The Independent NHS Patient Safety Investigation Service for England and the Department of Health,
Deputy Chief Operating Officer, PHE
& *Member* Morecambe Bay Investigation Team

- ensuring there is an acknowledgement and responsibility for learning from error and seeking continuous improvement within organisations
- the role of the Independent NHS Patient Safety Investigation Service
- design, scope, governance and operating model for IPSIS
- the role of IPSIS in promoting transparency and openness

11.15 Question and answers, followed by coffee and exhibition

11.50 Training and supporting staff in disclosing unanticipated events in patient care

Elaine Spencer

Serious Incident Investigator

Brighton and Sussex University Hospitals NHS Trust

- training and supporting staff in disclosing unanticipated events in patient care
- the role of apologies
- working with patients and families when an incident occurs
- liaising with patients and families
- applying 'being open' principles
- our experience in Brighton and Sussex

12.20 Developing the role of the NHS Trust 'Freedom to Speak Up Guardian'

Neil Cockling

Consultant Lead Chaplain and Freedom to Speak Up Guardian
Northumberland, Tyne & Wear NHS Foundation Trust

- the role of the Freedom to Speak Up Guardian
- supporting the role at board level
- ensuring all staff within the trust feel able to raise any issues or concerns, or challenge any wrongdoing
- my experience in the role

12.50 Question and answers, followed by lunch and exhibition

14.00 EXTENDED SESSION INCLUDING ROLE PLAY: Breaking bad news to patients and developing the communication skills of frontline staff in being open

Role Play led by Becky Simpson and David Schaal

Playout

15.00 Developing/adopting an effective process for ensuring candour and supporting staff

Jo Hunt

Legal Services/Complex Case Manager
with Duty of Candour Facilitator

Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

- improving your incident reporting process and ensuring incident reporting forms support the recording of a duty of candour notification
- what level of harm should be trigger what level of response? triggers and thresholds
- the role of the Duty of Candour Facilitator

15.30 Question and answers, followed by tea

16.00 EXTENDED SESSION: Legal Update

Simon Robinson

Barrister

Five Paper Chambers

- the Duty of Candour: legal and professional responsibilities
- notifiable incidents: what are the thresholds?
- what are the consequences with regard to a breach of the duty of candour? Patterns in organisational behaviour and one-off breaches
- tips and advice for improving adherence in practice

17.00 Question and answers, followed by close

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