

A DAY IN THE LIFE OF – CLINICAL TEAM LEAD ROLE

My current role is that of a Clinical Team Lead. It includes all the clinical duties of a Nurse, when I arrive on the shift, I check that all the service users I am taking over are well and the environment is safe and acceptable.

A quick risk assessment is done as I walk around the Ward. Before the start of the shift, staff are reminded of the risks they need to look out for, I speak to staff about their experiences on the ward and how we can work together to make the shift safe for both staff and service users. I also find out about the staff competencies and if any staff need help to perform their duties exceptionally well. I enjoy catching up with both staff and service users, finding out how service users have been and how their stay on the hospital could be improved so that their recovery can be achieved.

Lastly it is amazing to watch the improvement in mental state of all the service users and have the conversations of their journey.