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Nurse education to improve knowledge and attitude towards patients with cognitive impairment on medical and surgical wards

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Registration date	**Overall study status**	[ ] Statistical analysis plan
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04/10/2011	Nervous System Diseases	[ ] Record updated in last year

Plain English summary of protocol
Not provided at time of registration

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Type(s)
Scientific

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Protocol serial number
N0155153517

Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives
Does nurse education improve knowledge and attitude towards patients with cognitive impairment on medical and surgical wards?

Ethics approval required
Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)
Not provided at time of registration

Primary study design
Interventional

Study design
Clustered randomised controlled trial with a crossover

Study type(s)
Not Specified

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied
Nervous System Diseases: Cognitive disorders

Interventions
The intervention is an education programme comprising of workshops to improve verbal and non-verbal communication skills, valuing independence and respecting personhood which is combined with routine clinical advice from the liaison service. This is compared to a non intervention group which will receive routine clinical advice from the liaison service only.

As of 04/10/2011 this trial has stopped due to a transfer of staff between intervention and control wards.

Intervention Type
Other

Phase
Not Specified

Primary outcome(s)
Knowledge and attitudes of general nurses

Key secondary outcome(s)
Not provided at time of registration

Completion date
31/10/2005

Reason abandoned (if study stopped)
Lack of staff

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria
Daytime group of nursing staff on 4 acute wards - 2 medical and 2 surgical.

Participant type(s)
Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed
No

Age group
Not Specified

Sex
Not Specified

Key exclusion criteria
The study is being conducted on four inpatient acute wards and the only exclusion criteria is refusal of consent to participate.

Date of first enrolment
01/10/2004

Date of final enrolment
31/10/2005

Locations

Countries of recruitment
United Kingdom

England

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Sponsor information

Organisation
Department of Health

Funder(s)

Funder type
Government

Funder Name
Pennine Acute Hospitals NHS Trust (UK), NHS R&D Support Funding

Results and Publications

Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

IPD sharing plan summary
Not provided at time of registration