Introducing Oxleas’ Older People Mental Health Services Directorate

From 1 April 2011, Oxleas has a new directorate to manage mental health services for older people across the trust.

Why?
- Dementia services and services for functional illness in old age are different from working age services.
- Require a uniform approach in line with good guidance
- Problems coordinating quality and care across three borough-based directorates

Key people in new directorate
Service director - Estelle Frost
Clinical director – Adrian Treloar
Psychology lead - Meg Rolleston
Lead Nurse - Helen Jones
Lead OT - to be confirmed
Inpatient service manager - Helen Jones
Community service manager - Anne Waterworth

Opportunities
- Better quality inpatient care
- Better links with primary care
- Better dementia services
- Enhance CMHTs
- Learn about advanced dementia care at home
- Acute hospital support across 3 districts with better discharges etc

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