

COASTThe Community Outreach and Alcohol Team 2023

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Rotherham was identified as an national optimum treatment site:

1 out of 4 sites Eligible to apply for NHSE funding Brief

- a) Non -nursing
- b) Specified patient group would have Alcohol & Mental Health problems.
- Model to evidence some positive patient outcomes & showcase same

Identifying Patients

- All patients would consent when offered the extended care option
- Identified current patients known to be high users of services and Frequent attenders to A&E
- Patients in crisis
- In-patients as assessed for need



Community Based Approach

Patient Identified

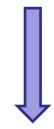
Patient Assessed by Specialist Nurse

Patient
Discharged with
option of
Community
Support



Community Outreach and Support Team for Alcohol and Mental Health

Acute Alcohol Care and Mental Health Services Identify Caseload via HIUG and FF Forums



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x 4 Non Nursing Community & Life Skills Mentors

MDT approach out into Community

All relevant services involved in Care planned approach



Community Substance Treatment Providers

Social Care

Safer Policing Teams

Community Mental Health Teams

Housing

Citizens Advice

Social Prescribing

Inpatient Detox Facilities

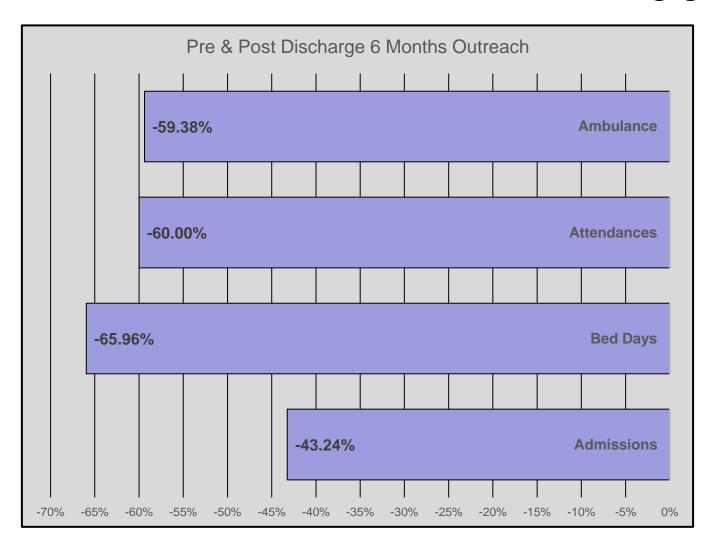
Voluntary Organisations e.g. Age UK

Named GP & Community Pharmacist

DWP / Benefits



Results for Rotherham Patients who engaged with Outreach Team



- 29 Patients have completed care under the Outreach Team during this time period
- 2 Patients (7%) had no admissions or attendances in the 6 month period before discharge
- Ambulance use 64 pre / 26 post
- UECC Attendances 85 pre / 34 post
- Bed Days 188 pre / 64 post
- Admissions 37 pre / 21 post



Improved Outcomes

- Community Partnership Approach
- Joint initiatives and a shared vision...no longer stand alone Inc. commissioning
- Greater Understanding of the 'bigger picture'

- Shared investment and collaborative MDT working
- Consideration to Improvements within the wider Community
- 'Living well for Longer'-Harm to Hope & Suicide prevention