



# A multi model delivery approach via the Tyneside Integrated Musculoskeletal Service (TIMS)

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ESCAPE PAINTEGRATED MUSCULOSKELETAL SERVICE

## HISTORY

#### **JANUARY 2018**

Unsuccessful bid to deliver Escape Pain through Sport England

#### **APRIL 2018**

Discussions with AHSN and Health works to explore other models of service delivery for Escape pain

#### OCTOBER 2018

Opportunity to deliver Escape Pain as part of an integrated MSK pathway in TIMS

1<sup>st</sup> Escape pain cohort delivered by Health works in the West End of Newcastle

#### FEBRUARY 2019

**Escape pain in Deckham Village Hall** 

#### **MARCH 2020**

**Escape pain is fully integrated in the TIMS service across Newcastle and Gateshead** 

# **CURRENT SITES**

NEWCASTLE

GATESHEAD

Mollineux health centre

Deckham Village Hall St Josephs, Blaydon

**Freeman Hospital** 

**West End resource centre** 

## SUPPORT NETWORKS

#### **AHSN**

Crucial at the outset to support conversations with potential partners and stake holders

Funded and provided training for Health Works staff, TIMS associate practitioners and TIMS clinicians

**Escape pain resources – leaflets/posters/banners/video/ teaching resources** 

Funding – 1 year payment for Deckham Village Hall rental

### **Health works**

Provided staffing and room free of charge for 8 months (asked for charitable donation from patients)

## **Older Peoples Assembly**

Supported TIMS with room rental at a subsidized fee at Deckham Village Hall

# **DELIVERY MODELS**

Leisure staff delivering in leisure facility

Leisure staff delivering in village hall

TIMS staff delivering in clinic- community and hospital

TIMS staff delivering in a village hall

# **CHALLENGES**

Engagement of physiotherapists

- •LL pathway met with Escape pain team
- Cascading of information at staff meetings and IST
- •Regular communication with staff via e mail/sharing outcomes and positive stories
- •Band 5 to attend escape pain training

Gaining commitment from patients

- Providing escape pain leaflets
- •Sharing positive stories from previous participants
- Providing additional sites with variety of times to offer more patient choice

Educating staff re appropriate referrals

- Direct feedback to individual staff re appropriate referrals
- •Feedback in staff meetings

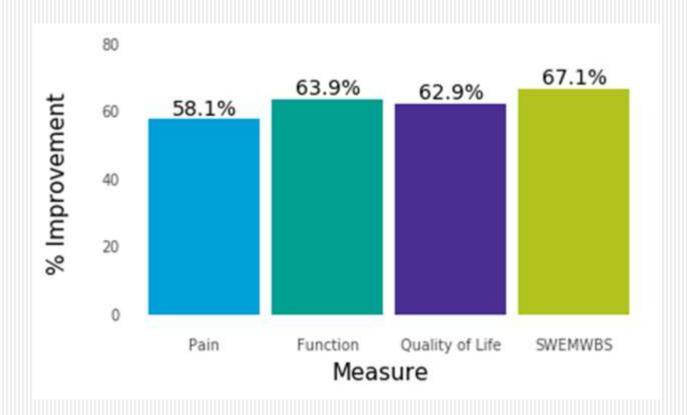
# **STATS**

Figures from Oct 2018- Dec 2019 for Newcastle/Gateshead

Participants who completed ESCAPE- pain programme	65
Number of cohorts	13
Average retention rate	74%
Cost saving	£98,280

(in health and social care sector over 2.5 years based on the number of completers in Newcastle and Gateshead)

#### PROPORTION OF PATIENTS WHO IMPROVED AFTER COMPLETING ESCAPE PAIN PROGRAMME



# **FUTURE**

Self referral of patients into ESCAPE pain

Develop information on TIMS website:- video, patient stories, class information

**Training for band 5 staff to deliver escape pain** 

## PATIENT'S COMMENTS

- Well run programme, fun and educational. Instructor was very knowledgeable, friendly and encouraging. Beneficial to my confidence and mobility."
- "For the past 6 weeks my confidence and knees improved 100%. Many thanks for support and motivation."
- "I have already recommended this service to some of my friends. It has helped me a great deal, my pain has not gone away but is a lot better. I manage the stairs much better, not going one stair at the time now. This alone is a big step forward for me."
- "I have watched the group around me grow in confidence and ability to complete the activities and take on new challenges. It has been a very friendly group and we have helped each other. The facilitator was firm but very fair, explaining each challenge and activity, giving alternatives and encouraging us as a group to question and challenge ourselves."
- "Well facilitated course. Useful ideas about exercise. Enjoyed being in the group. Learned useful information regarding my condition."
- "Pleased to have attended this course. Teacher was very patient, understanding and encouraging. I achieved some improvement and am glad to have opportunity to carry on with exercise elsewhere."