

Key aspects of role:

- Helping NHS staff and students to acquire the skills needed to access the knowledge base of health care with competence
- Promotion of library and knowledge services to health professionals by all appropriate means, including talks, seminars and promotional visits to community and primary care premises.
- Designing training sessions and materials for health professionals, creating learning objectives, lesson plans and online or printed training materials.
- Delivering sessions on advanced literature searching, critical appraisal, digital literacy or study skills such as reference management and note taking to library users on a 1-2-1 and group basis either in the library or in the workplace.
- Establishing and maintaining robust mechanisms for evaluating training so that feedback can be used as part of a continuous quality improvement process.

Impact of role:

Information Skills Trainer helps NHS staff to develop professionally

The Information Skills Librarian provided training on how to search effectively to find research and best evidence and provided assistance with academic writing skills and referencing.

"I feel much more confident to share my practice with others...this would not have been possible without the support that I received"

Health Visitor, Lynfield Mount Hospital.

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