

Trust Board meeting in Public: Wednesday 8 July 2020

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Title	A Patients Story (Film)- Care during a Pandemic (Covid 19)
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Status	For Information
History	A patient's story has been developed into a documentary film detailing his experience of his care as well as interviews with staff who involved in his complex care needs due to Covid 19

Board Lead(s)	Sam Foster, Chief Nursing Officer			
Key purpose	Strategy	Assurance	Policy	Performance

Executive Summary

1. This paper accompanies the film created by OMI and OUH AICU Team presented to the board on the experience of a patient of the Trust cared for during the Covid 19 pandemic.
2. The patient required a 13 day admission to the John Radcliffe AICU department, making a full recover. The patient is currently receiving follow up care at as an outpatient.
3. The film details the patients experience of his care and interviews with AICU Staff who cared for him during his stay and developments in care pathways that were adapted to combat the Covid 19 pandemic
4. This film will form part of an extend documentary to be completed in August 2020 to further inform staff and also to be used as an education.

5. **Recommendation**

The Board is asked to review the film and note the contents, observations and recommendations

Patient Story - Care during a Pandemic

1. Background

- 1.1. A patient who spent nearly three weeks in hospital battling COVID-19 has taken part in a film produced by Oxford University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust thanking the teams of staff for saving his life. This film has been created in conjunction with OMI, AICU staff and the Chief Nursing Officers Team.
- 1.2. The film was created to share his story and to be used as a recognition of staff and also to be used in future for education.
- 1.3. KW was cared for at the John Radcliffe Hospital in Oxford for 19 days after being rushed to hospital with a high temperature and difficulty breathing.
- 1.4. The 60-year-old received ventilator treatment on the Intensive Care Unit (ICU) for 13 days, and his two daughters were put on compassionate leave to support his wife, Helen.
- 1.5. KW condition improved and he was moved to the COVID-19 recovery ward. He was well enough to be discharged following an occupational health assessment and review of his home living situation.
- 1.6. The patient from Abingdon has recovered well however, he still requires significant amounts of rest, and is receiving support from an ICU counsellor after experiencing nightmares and disturbing hallucinations.
- 1.7. The patient, who lost around 12kg during his stay in hospital, praised the nurses and doctors at the Trust who cared for him, thanking them for saving him and giving him a second chance at life.
- 1.8. The film focuses on the patient story, his recollections and also interviews with staff who cared for him during the Covid 19 Pandemic
- 1.9. The film highlights the patient's view of his care and the complexities of his condition resulting in adjustments to individual care of patients, management and adaptation of the equipment used in the care environment and the environment / care setting itself.

2. Recommendations

- 2.1. The Board is asked to:
 - Review the film and note the contents, observations and recommendations.

Sam Foster
Chief Nursing Officer

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Links:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p4zPH50cuR0>

<https://shared-assets.adobe.com/link/2fae4aca-aff9-4c08-4a11-ee93ce48e448>