



Who's your Clinical Audit hero?

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Nomination form

Reveal your #AuditHero and tell us what they do



Andrew Pearson is our #AuditHero. He is the Clinical Audit Manager at Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children NHS Foundation Trust.

Why are they an audit hero?

Andrew is an audit hero because for all the years I have worked with him, he is passionate about clinical audit being effective in the Trust. The key aspects of his heroic audit management are:

- Support to staff undertaking audit, above and beyond the call of duty, including supporting them with their measures, databases, and write ups when people are struggling.
- Ensuring excellent audit process to yield reliable results, including clear initiation forms, progress report requests, closure documentation, and dissemination-of-learning support
- A focus on disseminating knowledge to ensure that audit results *actually* improve practice, through the Trust's safety team processes and through additional forms of reporting, both formal and informal
- Puts processes in place to reduce unnecessary variation and improve quality of data and care
- Active interest in the use of quality improvement methodology to make audit a source of improvement in clinical care. Encouraging co-working with Quality Improvement colleagues
- Interesting and meaningful contributions to the Quality Report, every year, to lift reporting beyond the basic requirements

Andrew's efforts that have brought about improvement include: discharge summaries, clinic letters, neonatal jaundice, complaints learning, safeguarding, and WHO Checklists.

The above was written by Meredith Mora. Amanda Kelsey adds her additional thoughts below:

Having worked with Andrew for over four years, he fully deserves the title of 'Audit Hero.' There are many reasons why Andrew deserves this, some of which have been mentioned by my colleague above. Andrew really cares about clinical audit and always strives to ensure that clinical audit is well represented in our **Trust**.



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He works tirelessly to ensure that clinical audits in the Trust are of the highest standard and excellent quality. Andrew is extremely knowledgeable and is always willing to meet and share his knowledge with others. He tries to be innovative with his work and ensures that audit results are communicated throughout the Trust via a variety of methods and also in an engaging and thought provoking manner.

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