

Society Personalized Healthcare: “All teach, all learn !”



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Background

Current healthcare is governed by guidelines, resulting in highly standardized treatment plans per disease. However, healthcare is more effective and much more appreciated when attuned to individual needs, preferences and values of patients e.g. personalized healthcare. To deliver personalized care, reflection is needed at the individual and team level (microsystem level) and at the mesosystem and macrosystem level¹. There’s “no one size fits all”, our Society is on a collaborative learning journey.

The Society Personalized Healthcare unites healthcare professionals, patients, and other stakeholders in the healthcare system with the ambition to spread and develop personalized healthcare throughout the Dutch Healthcare system by storytelling, sharing relevant data and reflection: “dialogue/ reflection such as at Speakers’ Corner”.

Methods

- Share state-of-the art examples of personalized care² and best practices in co-production
- Offer inspirational principles to help hospital leaders implement proven personalized care applications and interdisciplinary learning
- Feature applied success stories based on evidence, easy to copy and adapt
- Stimulate readers to reflect on clinical practice and better address patient needs, preferences and values effectively and efficiently
- Suitable for medical schools’ MSc Medicine curriculum and post-graduate masters

Multidisciplinary reflection sessions

Personalized care in oncology surgery [B van Leeuwen; E von Meyenfeldt; june 2021]

Personalized care in geriatrics [M Harkes; A Stiggelbout; october 2021]

Proactive care planning [A vd Padt-Pruyssen; A Stiggelbout; october 2021]]

Patientparticipation [in coproduction with Planetree: L Spinnewijn; I Griffioen; Jasper Brands, Roos Trooster; march 2022]

Personalized care: from head neck oncology to hospitalwide use [R Batenburg de Jong; april 2022]

Practical wisdom [M Bontemps; may 2022]

Personalized care in rheumatology with real time data [M Kok; D Lopes Bareto; A Weel; october 2022]

Transition of care children & diagnose en treat vulnerable pregnant women [coproduction with Albert Schweitzer Hospital; L Siebelt; B Akerboom; V Buijs; S van den Aardwegh; T Gielen; december 2023]

Reflection paper on Personalized Care [work in progress > february 2023]

Personalized care for cancer survivors [in coproduction with Radboud UMC; J Loonen; J Claessens; A Bongaerts, A.Gockel; april 2023]

Discussion

- Clinical leadership is imperative in implementation and sustain personalized healthcare.
- Our society contributes to the collaborative & shared learning by organizing multidisciplinary reflection sessions

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