

Who Can Enter

Any multidisciplinary PICU/LSU team that is a fully paid member of NAPICU.

The Idea:

If you have an idea of a way to improve the lives of services users on your ward or a project which will enhance the service user experience, support outcomes or encourage engagement, we would like to hear about this innovation. We are offering a prize of £1000 to support the implementation of your idea.

How to Enter

Describe in no more than 1500 words:

What your unit is, the population, resources, staffing, and any current projects.

Describe your idea and the possible impact of its implementation, what you need the £1000 for and most importantly, why the Dragons' should support your idea and award you the money.

In addition, how you will measure the impact of your idea, what outcomes you expect and how these will be measured/recognised/evaluated.

State whether or not the idea is related to or informed by a local, regional or national initiatives/policy/standards or guidelines.

Judging Criteria

Judges will shortlist teams upon written entries. The short listed teams will be asked to present to the Dragons' during the conference and to respond to questions/scrutiny about their respective initiatives. The winning idea will be announced at the NAPICU Conference Dinner and receive £1000 to spend on their idea.

Each entry will be judged on objective evidence of the following criteria:

- Realistic and achievable
- Innovation
- Practicality
- Use of resources
- Measurability
- FUN!

Please send four copies of the entry to:

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Please also send an electronic copy to: info@napicu.org.uk

Closing Date for receipt of entries is **Friday 30th July 2010**

A multidisciplinary panel of judges will consider the written applications and contact short listed applicants by **Friday 13th August 2010**