DAYCARE QUALITY STANDARDS

Core Function	Strategic Outcome	Standards	Outcome Indicator	Sources of evidence	Source of Standard
Assessment	4/7	Prospective service-users will be provided with sufficient information to allow them to make an informed choice about attending the day centre	100% of prospective service- users receive a home-visit to discuss the service	Data base report Visit checklist in file	
		Certife	100% receive written information (brochure) about the service before commencing at the centre	Brochure Visit checklist	
			100% prospective users state satisfaction with the information given on home visit	Questionnaire	
	4	Prior to the day service commencing, service users will be offered some choice in the way the	Days:100% all users will be offered a choice of days to attend.	Checklist	
		service is provided	100% of service users will have their choice of days accommodated within 1 year	Checklist, database and transport request forms	
			Meals:100% users will have choice of menu	Checklist, menu, individual menu selection documents	
			Activities: 100% users will be informed of activities available.	Checklist (covered by providing brochure)	
			75% of service-users who cannot communicate choice have their preferences promoted through use of personal "life history" information.	Russia Lane: Life History records (e.g. Memoraid)	

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2	Service-users can expect day care to improve their quality of life	100% satisfaction that attendance has improved their lifestyle	Questionnaire				
		85% of service users are satisfied that attendance has promoted their independence.	Questionnaire				
		75% of Day Opportunities service-users have made significant progress towards their stated goals	Day Opps Case record audit (outcome measures)				
4	Services users will be offered choice and control over how they experience the day centre	Accessible information about choices is provided	Brochure, activity program. Menu choice.				
		100% service users express a view that they are given choices.	Questionnaire.				
		100% of meals accommodate cultural needs.	Menu selection				
5	Service users will receive day care services in a way that is free from discrimination	100% of service users who do not speak English will have the offer of access to an interpreter (as needed) 100% of service users report their cultural needs and other personal preferences are accommodated by the service.	Questionnaire Users notes Budget expenditure				
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		All service users' main religious festivals will be observed	Diary record Mins of User Group meetings Photo	
		100% of (Muslim) service users know about and can access prayer / ablution facilities	Questionnaire	
1	Service users will receive day care services that promote their health and wellbeing	80% of service users report satisfaction that they have access to culturally appropriate media and entertainment	Variety of culturally appropriate newspapers, magazines, internet, radio etc	
			Questionnaire	
		All service users that are referred to the service will be admitted within 10 days of the initial referral (discounting client delay)	Database reports	
		Nutrition: 100% of service users will be offered a nutritious meal	Menu selection Healthy eating groups, etc	
		All service-users will have access to exercise activities to promote health and wellbeing	Activities programme, exercise groups, outings, user notes	
		100% of service-users have access to health-related services (e.g. optician, chiropody) if not otherwise available to them	Diary, user notes, record of visits from health related services	
			Questionnaire	

7		100% of service users with difficulty maintaining personal hygiene will have access to activities designed to promote personal hygiene, grooming and positive self-image	User notes (sample audit), photo's , letters, e-mails to/with family & S/W Questionnaire
	All service-users will be treated with dignity and respect	100% of service users feel they are treated respectfully	Questionnaire
		100% of service-users are satisfied that assisted personal care tasks are available from same sex, trained staff	Questionnaire
		100% of day care workers have achieved or are working toward NVQ level 2 or higher.	Training profile, Course membership or certificate

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Monitoring and Review	1, 7, 4, 2	Service-users will be monitored for concerns about health, safety and safeguarding.	100% of service users will have a named key worker displayed in the centre	Database report Key Worker board. Home visit check list		
			100% of service users with capacity would be confident approaching staff with concerns.	Questionnaire		
			Safeguarding concerns raised at handover meetings are recorded in Service User file and referred on within 24 hours.	File Audit		
			100% of carers are confident that the service-user is safe at the day centre	Questionnaire. Carer group min		
	3	Service-users will feel they contribute to the way their day service is provided	The day care service holds at least two user / carers groups per year as appropriate	Minutes of meeting		
			90% of service users believe they have been properly consulted about how their daily services are provided.	Questionnaire		