



#allofusimprove

Quality and
improvement
the South West
Yorkshire Partnership
Foundation Trust way



South West Yorkshire Partnership NHS Foundation Trust's quality improvement (QI) approach, also known as '#allofusimprove' is a systematic and consistent approach to QI.

Our QI team provides support to individuals, teams, and care groups seeking to carry out improvements. Tools like the model for improvement and a six-step process are available to everyone. The board has received training on QI, with data and measurement, and has identified progress to embedding the five components of NHS IMPACT including areas for improvement.

A tailored training offer is open to everyone and over 500 colleagues have been trained on QI. We also have an improvement network and an online platform called 'I Hub' for sharing ideas and collaboration, working to integrate QI into one-to-one discussions, supervision and appraisals. QI is part of everyone's induction.

Successes have included a 59% reduction in restrictive practice and a 69% reduction in physical restraint. Creative practitioner work has increased staff wellbeing and capacity, and a low-level community time-limited pathway has reduced formal Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service referrals – with none of the individuals re-presenting within the following 12 months.

We are proud of the #allofusimprove approach and offer to our staff as a vital part of our mission to be relevant today and ready for tomorrow.