Encompass

SOUTH EASTERN TRUST 6 MONTHS POST GO LIVE

Lessons Learnt- Preparations

- Schedule appointments 6-8 weeks in advance
- Clinic Templates
- Make the most of your 'Go- Live' Team- patient letters, standardised notes prepared in advance, reporting
- Ensure equipment is compatible for electronic transfer/storage

Advantages of Encompass- Clinical

- Online Triage
- Referrals accessible
- View relevant medical notes/ scans etc
- Audiograms loaded electronically
- Shared professional information

Advantages of Encompass- Admin

- DAR- Function to see all patients attending the unit
- Overview of referrals including DAC & ENT
- Patient letters can be individualised
- Centralised booking- calendar clashes identified prior to booking
- MyCare App
- Demographics maintained more frequently

Challenges

- Inadequate Training
- Interface issues between AB and Encompass
- Additional layers of complexity maintaining dual systems
- Placing Orders (WQs & Admin)
- Work Queue's (WQ's)
- Ongoing Monitoring/ Validation/ Governance
- Staff Morale