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Lessons learned from the Lived Experience Network:

Partnership, Practice, & Impact













Development of LEN



- July 2012 Meeting to assess need to develop a national network
- December 2012 First meeting at Leeds Institute of Medical Education.
- Key moments
- ✓ Jools Symons agrees to chair the network
- ✓ Group proposes and votes for name of group
- ✓ LEN goes live!



Values and Principles:





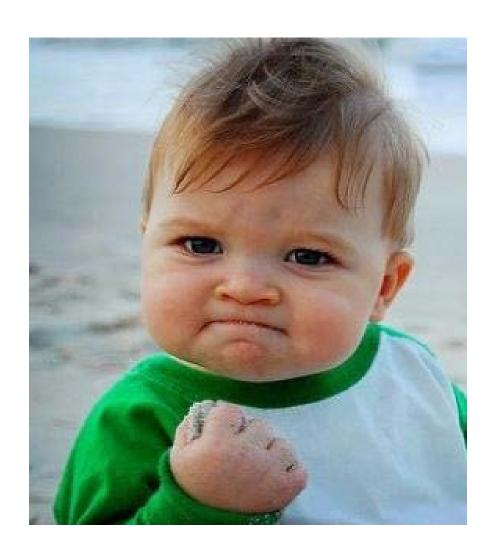
Non-hierarchical





Celebrate & showcase our work TLENT







Can-do attitude



Share and learn from each other







Informal, fun, 'battery charging' atmosphere!

LEN Statistics:



- 175 Members
- 78 Institutes
- Across the UK
- 10 Showcases/meetings
- 5 more showcases booked
- International members welcome!

Showcase Themes:



- 1. Bradford Working Group Forming
- 2. Leeds Identity
- 3. Lancashire Working Group Developing the network
- 4. Southampton Staff recognition and empowerment
- 5. Bradford Developing the strategy
- 6. Liverpool Collaboration
- 7. Surrey Extending the scope
- 8. Sheffield Payment
- 9. Oxford Challenging the boundaries
- 10. Huddersfield Routes of communication



Our take home messages in LE



- Christine Strength to carry on
- Jane Sharing practice, power in partnership
- Dawne Inspiration, putting the patient & carer at the heart of the picture
- David Friendship
- Jools Fun

Thank you