



The Wessex Emergency Surgery Network

The network will connect staff with an interest in **Emergency Surgery; building relationships to share, learn and influence in order to improve safety for our patients.**

The network is open to staff of all grades working across the **Emergency Surgery** pathway. This includes surgeons of all specialities, anaesthetists, theatre nurses and ODPs, ward and Quality Improvement (QI) staff, including trainees and students.

We welcome individuals and teams to the network which we anticipate will meet 2-3 times a year.

The network aims to:

- ◆ **Support improvement in patient safety, care and outcomes**
- ◆ **Connect staff and build relationships**
- ◆ **Share intelligence, ideas, challenges, experiences and progress across Wessex**
- ◆ **Increase the speed, support and spread of best practice**
- ◆ **Work across the **Emergency Surgery** pathway, from hospital admission to discharge**
- ◆ **Encourage standardisation and reduce variation and duplication**

Network members will have the opportunity to join the Wessex Community of Safety and Improvement Practice (CSIP) and have access to LIFE, an IT platform designed to support connection and QI projects.

Network Meeting 1

Wednesday 13th December 2017

2.30-4.30pm

(optional networking light lunch at 2pm)

First Floor, Innovation Centre, 2 Venture Road, Chilworth, SO16 7NP

[Eventbrite registration link](#)

It is essential that all attendees book a place via Eventbrite.

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/wessex-emergency-surgery-network-1-tickets-37871993151>

For more information about the events or registration please contact the PSC team at:

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Network meetings may include:

Sharing local intelligence—projects, challenges, successes and learning

Human Factors and Quality Improvement

Research: Current and future opportunities

Time for networking and peer support

Horizon scanning for innovation

Development of network materials and processes

Data review for Quality Improvement

Connecting and sharing across Wessex to improve patient safety