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# Title: Staging evidence: the implications of clinical mindlines for knowledge mobilisation



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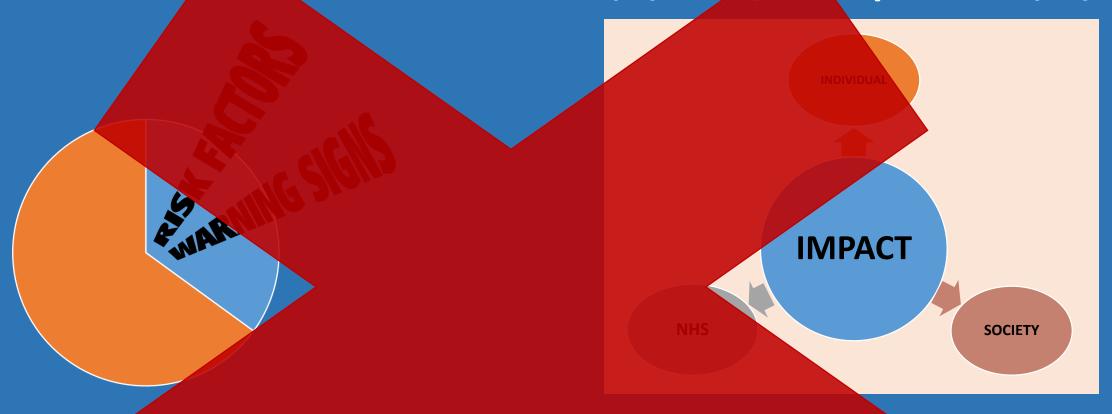
Broken bodies troubled minds: the psychological impact of unintended injury



## 30-40%

- Depression
- PTSD
- Anxiety disorders
- Substance use disorders

What else research tells us about the psychological impact of injury



The most effective means to mitigate the psychological impact of injury are:

- screening for symptoms
- psychological first aid: promoting a sense of sarety, calm and hope, connectedness, self and community-efficacy
- avoiding or mitigating known psychological stressors with the care experience
- monitoring and knowledge of warning signs
- early intervention and targeted support
- stepped collaborative care initiated in acute services has the best potential population effect



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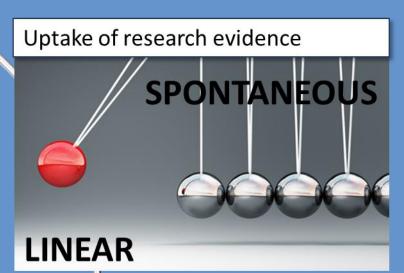
The knowledge required for effective practice



Poses a number of dilemmas, and can lead to unforeseen consequences

Despite £ annual experience on health research, it 17 years for evidence to impact on practice takes or

Scientific evidence obtained using reductionist research methods as the basis for human healthcare?



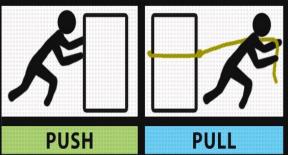


#### Factors inhibiting NHS practitioners and services from opening 'Pandora's box' containing injured patients emotional needs from EPPIC Patient Practitioner Advisory Group collaborative analysis of multi-disciplinary trauma practitioner focus-groups Is this a 'normal' stress It's not a medical What's it got to do Talking about it could I've got too much reaction or not They don't fit priority with the provision cause mental health to do without We need to our criteria of medical care? problems sitting and talking How do I get the What if there's nothing I can patient out I'm not trained recognise How much in mental health there's a do? will it cost? I have no continuity problem? Professional There's no Organisational @ with patients they've targets to gone in a flash meet Someone else We have no What would I will do it resources, other Hierarchy and do about it? Is screening and services will do it medical elites We treat psychiatric intervention What service illness not mental effective? are there? There'll be a distress mental health I don't see it. I'm epidemic Societal.º desensitised by over-exposure It's a physical Will I say the injury right thing Will I be able to **Attitudes** Individual + Pandora's box Keep the cope? towards mental floodgates shut health It's my coping It's a trendy new Limits to funding mechanism, I might get Injured adults thing, people Who looks after emotional overload for mental emotional used to cope me? health needs 00 I might make The concern is: once open will we know what things worse to do, have the resources to do it or ever be

able to shut it again?

Strategies used to address these dilemmas and close the 'Implementation gap'





These are all necessary and important but possibly not enough?

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In their ethnographic research John Gabbay & Andree Le May: 2004 & 2011 found that practitioners' decisions and actions are governed by their individual or collective 'clinical mindlines'

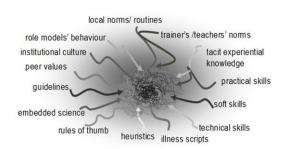
### **Practitioners mindlines:**

- go beyond explicit guidelines
- combine evidence from multiple different sources
- provide rich internalised evidence for real world practice
- are developed, refined and modified through social processes within practitioner 'Communities of Practice' (CoP).
- equip practitioners with the 'contextual adroitness' to manage healthcare's multiple complex competing demands
- Evidence needs to be transformed into 'knowledge-inpractice-in-context' or usable practical information before use
- Mindlines (and CoP's) can sustain poor practice and rigid boundaries between different settings.

#### Practitioner mindlines sources



#### Practitioner mindlines content



John Gabbay & Andree Le May: 2011

The question remains: how can we purposively influence practitioner mindlines so they can in turn improve practice?

Gabbay and le May's work suggests: effective practice requires rich varied reliable evidence and opportunities to learn using social means.

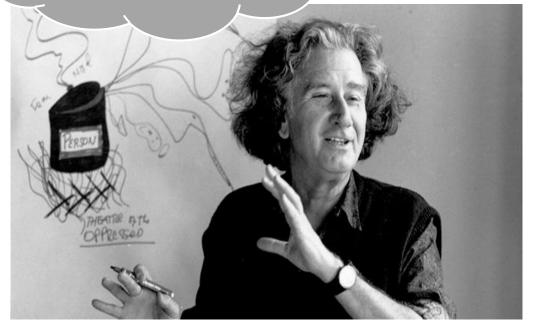


Maybe the challenge in improving practice is to provide these things?



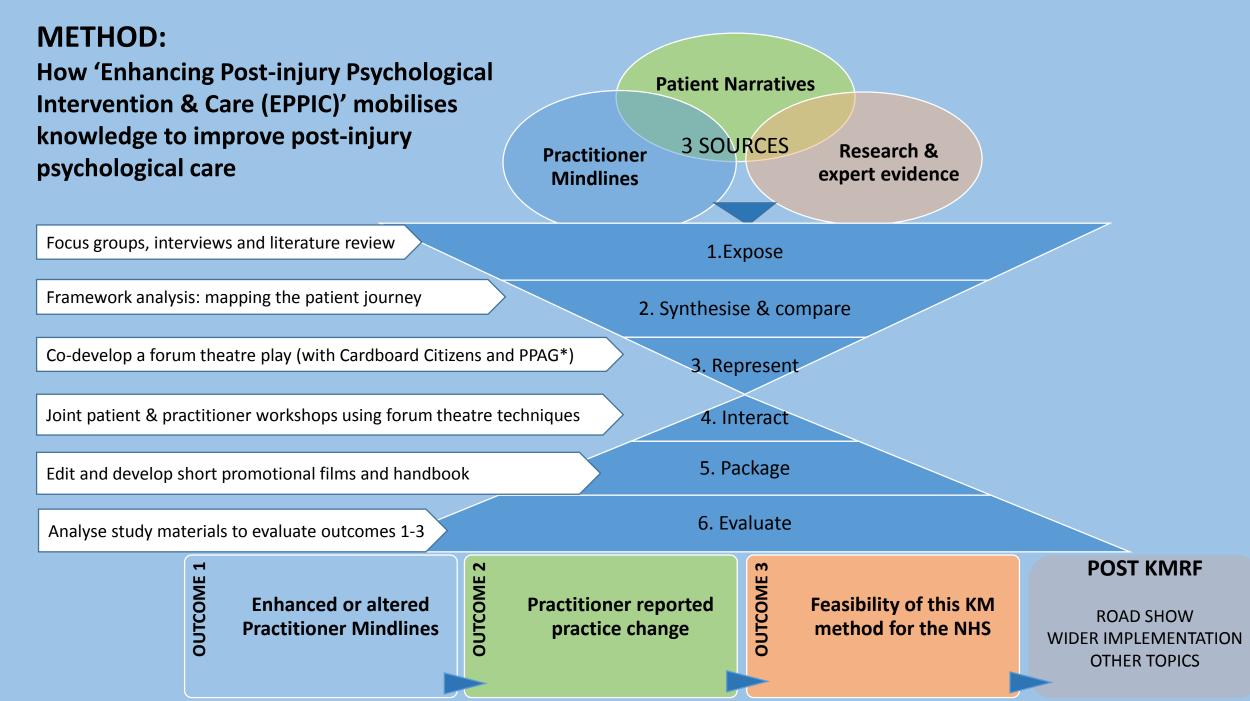
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Could
Augusto Boal's
Forum Theatre method
work?



#### **Advantages of Forum Theatre:**

- represents diverse perspectives on difficult social issues in a participatory performance
- creates a social milieu in which to debate and safely test out new ideas
- engages people and helps them creatively apply their own and others' knowledge to solve difficult problems in real life.
- melds theoretical research evidence with emotional, practical and organisational realities
- is fluid, not fixed in time and place
- speaks to the rational and emotional self, resonates with the audiences' experience
- could be fun and challenging and lead to practice change?
- theoretical fit provides a vehicle for enhancing practitioner mindlines?



Does the notion of clinical mindlines resonate for you - or help?

Do other stakeholders (e.g. patients) have their equivalent of mindlines? If so, how do different stakeholder mindlines interact?

How, in the busy NHS context can we ensure practitioners have opportunities to share knowledge and modify their mindlines?

How can we purposively influence the content of practitioner mindlines?

How can we ensure mindlines sustain good rather than poor practice?

Taking mindlines into account, how do we ensure consistent effective practice?





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