

### Forum Project Completion and Evaluation Form

<b>Project name:</b> Update of Mouth Care Matters: Resource guide for patients and relatives	
Date project started: Jan 2022	Date project completed: June 2023
Forum(s):	Pain & Palliative Care
Project Lead:	Suzanne Monks
Name of Professional Lead: Carolyn Doyle/Deb Evans	Name of Project Coordinators: Abi Habeeb/Margaret Ojo
<b>Outcomes/Outputs:</b>	
Provide a brief description of the project and reasons for development:	A Facebook group was created (620 members) from health and social care including RCN members. This group fed back that a resource for patients and relatives was required to improve oral care at end of life. Research supports this theme and highlights lack of knowledge, understanding and awareness of recommended tools used in oral care for those at end of life. The resource will act as a guide for patients and relatives to enable them to understand tools used in oral care and advice on how to use them and taste for pleasure at end of life. This is one part of a wider project to help increase knowledge skills and attitude of health and social care workers.
How did the project link to the wider Nursing Department and RCN objectives?	Yes, to Enhance our member offer and services.
What were the key lessons learnt in the development of the project?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Collaboration with multi-professionals representing the four countries in various care settings strengthened the resource and it's worth to members and partner organisations (Marie Curie) and promoting this resource</li> <li>• From stats taken from the RCN website there have been 479 views by 378 users. This may indicate users come back to this resource and use it a number of times for people in their care</li> <li>• Piloted with partner organisations in care home setting</li> <li>• We undertook considerable consultation with a wide variety of professionals and service user forums which strengthened the resource</li> </ul>
<b>Evaluation</b>	
How will the project be evaluated, and information shared?	Dissemination will simultaneously take place electronically & be hosted in conjunction with Marie Curie via the Pain and Palliative care forum web, through events & networks. Use of blogs, as well as social media; Twitter and FB & across the 4 countries. Share with interested educationalists/Uni's.
Is there any feedback or initial evaluation that you would like to share with FGG?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• They have produced a simple and accessible guide</li> <li>• A good and comprehensive leaflet.</li> <li>• I think all documents are very informative and meet the intended purpose to demonstrate what to do around mouthcare when an individual is at end of life.</li> </ul> <p>For future :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• There is a lot of good content in the videos that is not replicated in the document, I think you should review and include this in the document. The videos are very informative and follow a logical structure.</li> </ul>

**Please return the completed template to the project coordinator.**

Professional Lead sign-off/Date:	Deb Evans September 2023
Project Coordinator sign-off/Date:	Margaret Ojo /July 2023