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## The Trust Libraries Newsletter

### Merger of Pembury and Kent & Sussex Trust Libraries

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Pembury library at Woodlands House has now closed, and all the books moved to Kent and Sussex, making the combined collection a fantastic place to source all things to further your medical knowledge.

After much 'weeding' the books are now up to date in all subjects, with new books being continually added.

It gives an idea of what will be available in the new hospital library when we move there in July 2011.

In the meantime, apologies to our Pembury readers for any inconvenience, but you can still request items from the rear of Choices restaurant, at any time they

are open, by filling out request cards, which will be collected when library staff attend. Those times are as follows:

Mondays 10am-11am

Wednesdays 12noon-1pm

Thursdays 9am-10am

Arrangements can be made for collection, delivery, or posting of items to individuals.

Training opportunities are still available. All you need to do is contact Alison Millis on her mobile 07500 814120, or email her on

[alison.millis@nhs.net](mailto:alison.millis@nhs.net).

Athens searching and study skills are her specialities, but IT learning can be tailored to suit.

Also at Choices there is a computer for general use, and you can 'browse the bookshelves' by going to the on-line catalogue at [www.southeastlibrarysearch.nhs.uk](http://www.southeastlibrarysearch.nhs.uk) and, using your PIN, you can order articles and books direct.

We look forward to supporting all aspects of your learning needs.

Stella Coulson  
LKS Facilitator  
Tunbridge Wells



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### The Library, Academic Centre, Maidstone

The Library on the Maidstone Site (first floor of the newly enlarged Academic Centre) reopened in April. It has been redecorated and re-carpeted and along with the large stock of books and journals and new on line Library Account and Catalogue facilities,

it now has 15 PCs for Trust staff and students to use. They are all connected to the Trust Intranet/internet and have full MS Office suite and printing/scanning facilities.

The PCs are in the new part of the enlarged library—ALL staff are enti-

led to use the services. You do not need your own Novel log-in to use the Library PCs.

Why not come over and take advantage of a clean, bright, quiet environment with experienced staff on hand to help you with your IT queries?

## WORKING IN THE NEW LIBRARY

At the beginning of the summer 2009, the builders arrived. Little did we know what the next year would bring. We have survived floods, drilling, workmen walking over our desks and tiles falling off the ceiling, it seems to have taken forever.

However, now it is finally finished, has it been worth it? The answer is YES.

If you haven't been over already, come and take a look. We have a lovely new computer area with 14 computers and the book shelves have much more room around them. Our office space is bigger and all open plan.

We have printers, a photocopier and scanner. Our book stock is constantly being updated. We are here to help with all your study needs from researching for resources to binding your finished essay. It is easy to join the library and we guarantee a warm welcome.



By Karen Dodd and Judith Strutt - LKS Facilitators Maidstone

## GRAND OPENING OF ACADEMIC CENTRE, JUNE 10<sup>th</sup> 2010

At last after all the noise, dust & upheaval all is well at the new Academic Centre, a revived Postgraduate Centre. The Grand Opening started at 5.30pm and finished around 8.30pm after the celebrations had finished. Apart from the celebrities and current members of staff two former members of the Library staff also dropped by to view the new facilities. Geraldine Procter, Head Librarian responsible for getting us into the PGC and Anita Thompson, who worked with us until fairly recently and some of you may remember. We started the grand tour with the Library (of course!); our newly refurbished department and the computer room brought forth exclamations of delight. Then it was round the corner and into the new Laparoscopic Training room where we were lucky enough to find Mr Amir showing off his "training torsos" to a visitor. We watched him insert the wand into the torso and then endeavour to pick up a bean (slippery & small), an almond (slightly larger but awkward) and finally a sugar cube (larger but inclined to crumble if squeezed). Once picked up and put into a pot they then had to be picked up again and put back in their piles! What fun but not for the faint hearted. After that it was downstairs to read the story of the build on Celia's story board and then onto the finale – the Lecture Theatre. By this time their vocabulary was down to just a few words "amazing", "fabulous" and "brilliant" and this from two usually very articulate ladies.

Eventually it was time to try out the seats in the Lecture Theatre and we settled down to a couple of entertaining speeches by Dr Thom and Mr Amir. After that Dr Thom handed over proceedings to Helen Grant, the newly elected Conservative MP who said a few words and then unveiled the plaque in the entrance while those present with a camera indulged in a photo-shoot. Then it was time for a final chat with various friends and colleagues and to partake of a very tasty evening supper complete with champagne, a very pleasant way to celebrate the unveiling of our new facilities. So if you used to be a regular visitor and have not been near us recently or have never been over take the time to wander our way, admire the facilities and see if we can help you with your assignments or research.

By Susan Vicary - Senior Facilitator Maidstone

## TAILORED KNOWLEDGE SERVICES

We now offer fully tailored knowledge services, pulling together key textbooks, e-journals, websites and articles into one integrated website.

The content can be made entirely to suit the needs of individual departments, and will serve as a one-stop knowledge and information service. We can email you to let you know when updates have been made.

To view a pilot of this Knowledge Bulletin service, please visit:

<http://www.mtw.nhs.uk/library-and-information-services/knowledge-bulletin--eyes-vision.asp>

A bulletin for Anaesthetics is also available, although not yet complete.

If you would like to discuss how we can make something like this work for you, please contact

Emma Aldrich ([emma.aldrich@nhs.net](mailto:emma.aldrich@nhs.net))

Emma Aldrich - Knowledge Manager

## E-RESOURCES NEWS

### New E-journals available:

The Trust Library Service has purchased the following e-journals to add to its growing collection of e-resources:

BRITISH JOURNAL OF PSYCHOTHERAPY

INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF EATING DISORDERS

JOURNAL OF CLINICAL ULTRASOUND

TRANSFUSION

These e-journals are accessible with an NHS Athens account and links to them, as well as ALL the e-journals available to you, can be found on the library catalogue at [www.southeastlibrarysearch.nhs.uk](http://www.southeastlibrarysearch.nhs.uk)

### Trial to BMJ Case Reports:

The Trust Library Service has arranged a 30 day free trial to BMJ Case Reports, commencing on 23<sup>rd</sup> August. BMJ Case Reports is an online community that enables junior doctors to take their first steps in having their case reports and research published. It also contains over 1,500 articles which have been peer reviewed.

Access will be via <http://casereports.bmj.com> with an NHS Athens account. Feedback on this resource would be greatly appreciated. Remember, if you find it useful, we might purchase it! Feedback can be emailed to [gm.e.mtw-tr.library@nhs.net](mailto:gm.e.mtw-tr.library@nhs.net) or please feedback to any member of Trust Library staff.

Thank you!

Becky England - E Resources Librarian

**BMJ Case Reports**

## TEAM NEWS

Library and Knowledge Services restructuring has now been completed. **Becky England** has begun her work as **E-resources librarian**, recognising the challenges that the growth of e-journals, e-books and other resources presents in ensuring robust access by NHS staff. **Ann Foreman** has been appointed **Systems Librarian** leading our work with the Library Management System and changed working practice that the system encourages, and also leads the management of the library PC networks. Ann and Becky will also head our marketing work. **Jane Beeley** takes on the new role of **Operations Manager**, providing high level co-ordination and management across all areas of library work.

**Alison Millis** has been appointed a full member of the Chartered Institute of Library and Information Professionals (MCLIP). She becomes a Chartered Librarian, following the submission of an extensive portfolio of evidence and detailed scrutiny by assessors.

Our congratulations to all of them.

**Emma Aldrich** and **David Copsey** both gave presentations at the bi-annual Health Libraries Group national conference. Emma spoke about the work she is doing in conjunction with the observatory team at the SHA in finding and analysing evidence for community acquired MRSA. David spoke about the national templates he has been compiling with colleagues from other SHAs to cost and price library and knowledge services. Both these areas of work are important in future trends for NHS library work.

### Document, Data and Compliance Management

Significant work is required for the Trust to have a consistent approach to Document, Data and Compliance Management, so that files can readily be found and used. It is not always easy to find and then update the latest version of documents and data, particularly when they have been created by another department. Time is therefore not well spent re-creating similar work for external quality monitoring from a variety of organisations. This is a large piece of work that is being led by the Knowledge Management Network Group, and there are tight timescales. A project plan is in place. If you want to contribute to this work, or to find out more, please contact [david.copsey@nhs.net](mailto:david.copsey@nhs.net)

David Copsey - Head of LKS

## NEW GIRL JOINS THE TEAM

My name is Sarah Tully and having graduated in 2009 with a BSc (Hons) Degree in Sports Education, I joined the bank staff and found myself working in the 3 Trust Libraries from November 2009. I enjoyed this work and so applied for the permanent Library Facilitator role and was put in post in March 2010. Since then I have taken on more responsibilities and have also developed my personal interest of healthy lifestyles by designing several display boards covering topics from childhood obesity to winter health. I have also taken on the role of publicity developer for the merger of Kent & Sussex and Pembury libraries which I enjoy as it allows me to be creative which it a great hobby of mine.

Sarah Tully - LKS Facilitator Kent & Sussex and Maidstone

## NEW BOOKS

Here is a selection of recent purchases:

### Cardiology

2010 Title: Evidence-based cardiology/ edited by Salif Yusuf, John A Cairns, A John Camm et al

Class Mark: WG 100

2010 Title: Acute cardiac care: a practical guide for nurses/ edited by Angela M Kucia and Tom Quinn

Class Mark: WG 100.1

2010 Title: An introduction to cardiovascular physiology/ by J Rodney Levick

Class Mark: WG 102

2010 Title: Feigenbaum's echocardiography/ by Harvey Feigenbaum, William F Armstrong and Thomas Ryan

Class Mark: WG 141.5

### Leadership

2010 Title: Effective people: leadership and organisation development in healthcare/ by Stephen Prosser

Class Mark: WX 200

2009 Title: Evidence-based clinical supervision: principles and practice

Class Mark: WX 408

### Mental health

2009 Title: Primary care mental health/ edited by Linda Gask, Helen Lester, Tony Kendrick et al

Class Mark: WM 43

2010 Title: State of the art in clinical supervision/ edited by John R Culbreth and Lori L Brown

Class Mark: WM 60

2010 Title: Self-management of depression: a manual for mental health and primary care professionals/ by Albert Yeung, Greg Feldman and Maurizio Fava

Class Mark: WM 171

2009 Title: An introduction to mental health nursing/ edited by Nick Wrycraft

Class Mark: WM 100

### Nursing

2010 Title: Advancing nursing practice in pain management/ edited by Eloise Carr, Mandy Layzell and Martin Christensen

Class Mark: WL 704.1

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### **Nursing**

2009 Title: Advanced cardiac life support: a guide for nurses/ by Phil Jevon

Class Mark: WG 205

Class Mark: WG 205.1

### **Patient Safety**

2009 Title: Radiological atlas of child abuse/ by Amaka C Offiah and Christine M Hall

Class Mark: WS 160

2010 Title: Avoiding common nursing errors/ edited by Jeannie Scruggs Garber, Monty Gross and Anthony D Slonim et al

Class Mark: WY 100

2009 Title: Practical patient safety/ by John Reynard, John Reynolds and Peter Stevenson

Class Mark: WX 154

### **Pharmacology**

2010 Title: Medical pharmacology and therapeutics/ by Derek G Waller, Andrew G Renwick and Keith Hillier

Class Mark: QV 4

2010 Title: Adverse drug interactions: a handbook for prescribers/ by Lakshman Karalliedde, Simon F J Clark, Ursula Collignon et al

Class Mark: QV 38

### **Urology**

2010 Title: Glenn's urologic surgery/ edited by Sam D Graham, Thomas E Keane and James F Glenn et al

Class Mark: WJ 168

2010 Title: Supportive care for the renal patient/ edited by E Joanna Chambers, Edwina A Brown and Michael J Germain Class Mark: WJ 300

### **Trust Library and Knowledge Services**



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