

From the Manager:

Welcome to the new quarterly newsletter from the Case Management Service (CMS) of Rehab UK. There have been many changes to the teams staff and service over the past year as well as planned expansion and development for the year ahead. I have tried to keep you all up to date with relevant issues, but am aware that the message doesn't always reach everyone. I hope that via this newsletter you will be informed of any changes to our service as well as other CMS Rehab UK 'news' the team think may interest you. I hope you enjoy the contents and would appreciate your feedback or suggestions for later editions.....*Carole Murray*

New Website

We launched our own website in March 2007. If you have not had an opportunity to view it go to: www.cmsrehabuk.co.uk to access an overview of all our services, staff profiles, location coverage and testimonials.



Hot News

Congratulations to.....

Carole Murray – Manager of the Service who has become an Advanced Member of BABICM and has been asked to sit on the Committee.

Did you know....

That besides acquired brain injury the Case Manager's are able to support individuals with:

- ✓ *Cerebral palsy*
- ✓ *spinal injuries (including brachial plexis)*
- ✓ *complex orthopaedic injuries.*

If you would like to refer such a client please contact us for more information.

On your Dragonboats...Get Set..Go!

Rehab UK's Case Management team, family, friends and clients joined forces with many local companies taking part in this years Annual Fundraising Event on behalf of *The British Heart Foundation*. We would like to thank everyone including Delaware Communications PLC and Malthouse Engineering in helping raise money for this worthwhile local charity which works across the city to fight heart and circulatory disease.

	<p>Dragonboat Festival Saturday 30 June 10am - 4.30pm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Dragonboat racing- Chinese themed activities and entertainment- Face painting- Live music- Activities for all the family  <p>Registered charity number 225971</p>
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If you wish to make a further donation please email your pledges to casemanagement@rehabuk.org

Occupational Therapy

The new OT service offered by Rehab UK has been a great success. As with all of our services statutory provision is sourced where possible but this is often scarce due to the specialist nature of our clients needs.

A full assessment is carried out following referral where clients needs are identified and recommendations made for intervention. Once these are approved by the client and referrer active therapy is undertaken to maximise independence and improve quality of life.

Clients are in control of their treatment at all stages and programmes are tailor made to suit individual needs and circumstances. To succeed in rehabilitation clients need to be motivated and empowered, this is the key to successful intervention.

We will keep you posted as to our progress and developments in this area!

Case Management
Occupational Therapy
Immediate Needs

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Immediate Needs

The new Immediate Needs Service offered by Rehab UK identifies an injured party's medical, social and occupational needs following an accident and makes any appropriate recommendations for treatment and/or further intervention. The assessment can be undertaken in the client's home or while they are in hospital, dependent on their situation at the time of instruction. The assessment does not involve physical examination.

Rehab UK Immediate Needs Manager's ensure that the client is the central focus and will always investigate the availability of proposed treatment via the NHS or Social Services, but in the event that treatment is unavailable or waiting list times are excessive, costing will be provided within the assessment report for utilising the private sector.

All our reports are in accordance with the Rehabilitation Code

Client Corner



After sourcing a volunteer role for one of our long term clients his company nominated him for their local volunteer of the Year awards. We are pleased to announce that he was awarded the title 'Volunteer of the Year' by his local newspaper.

Brain Bats.....

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Answers: 1. Up to no good 2. Scrambled Eggs 3. Long underwear 4. Red hot 5. Slow down

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