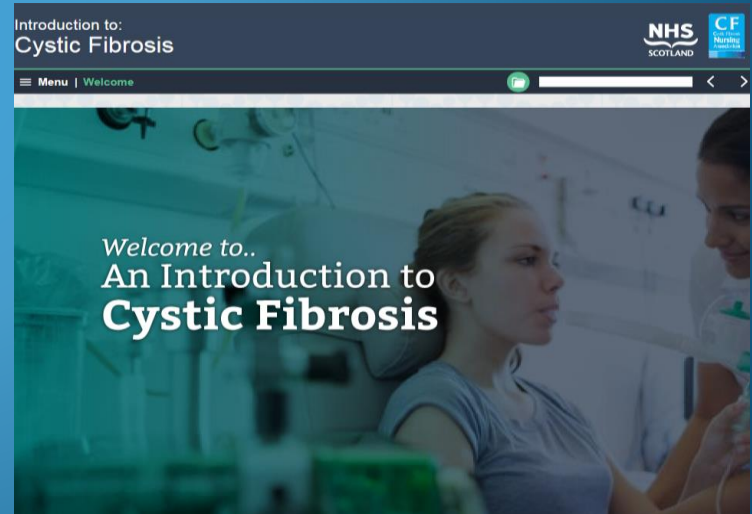


The use of an online learning module (LearnPro NHS) to educate and assess staff working in Cystic Fibrosis Care

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Introduction

- Ward level staff training and education always a challenge
- Training sessions poorly attended
- Difficult to tailor education needs to different disciplines
- Study days costly and time consuming to organise
- Move throughout the NHS towards online education
- Need for ongoing and up to date training and education

Aims and Objectives

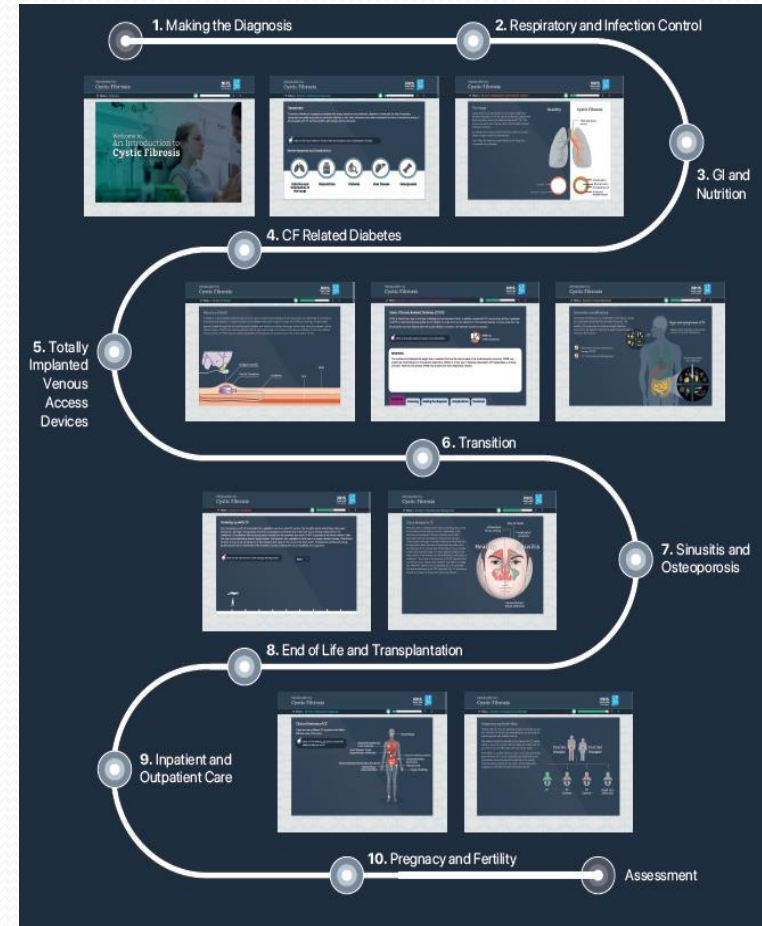
- Increase knowledge and understanding of staff working in Cystic Fibrosis (CF) care in non-specialist roles
- Promote safe, high quality care
- Alternative to traditional education
- Easily accessible
- Convenient
- Cost effective
- Transferable
- Adaptable and updateable

Points for discussion

- What staff training and education (if any) do you currently offer as CF nurse specialist?
- Do any of your staff or colleagues currently use online education?
- Would you use the module in your area?
- Would you have to adapt the module?

Content

- Learning split into 10 sections
- Each with interactive component
- Fully accessible links to CF related documents and guidelines
- Questions at end of each section to challenge the learner



Conclusion

- Initial feedback very positive
- Reduced need for staff to travel to study days
- Widely accessible
- In some areas module mandatory
- 736 individuals across 13 NHS Scotland boards signed up to module
- 49% completion rate (n=359)