



The 11 to 25 hub – why, what, who and where?

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Imagine a childhood lived with a chronic condition, cared for by a dedicated children's healthcare team. There is a count-down timer on this team's care. One day, usually at the age of 16 years, the children's healthcare teams have to say good-bye and the adult healthcare teams take over.

Imagine having to make this change without support. Imagine falling into the gap.

The 11to25Hub has been developed to help support these changes and is for young people, their families, their healthcare teams, their teachers, managers and friends.



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Healthcare Transition is a period of change and learning for young people and their supporting network, e.g. friends, family, education, healthcare teams. During this period, health and social care shifts from being 'done by others' to being done by the young person themselves.

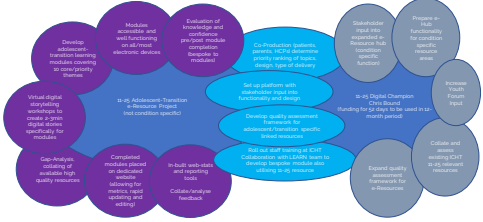
Depending on how ready the young person is, it starts around the age of 11 to 13 years and young people focussed care should ideally continue until early adulthood at around age 25 years.



As at school, the topics of 'self care and self advocacy' have to be understood by the supporting network who will teach and encourage the young person as they learn and practice the new skills.


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What could we do? 




 



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Why include stories? 

'Storytelling is the mode of description best suited to transformation in new situations of action.'

Schön 1988



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Valuing stories 

Cumulative numbers of hits on story pages – young people projects

Project	Hits
Imperial College Healthcare Allergies patientvoices.org.uk/t/allergies.htm	71469
Imperial College Healthcare mixed conditions www.patientvoices.org.uk/t/mixed.htm	40603
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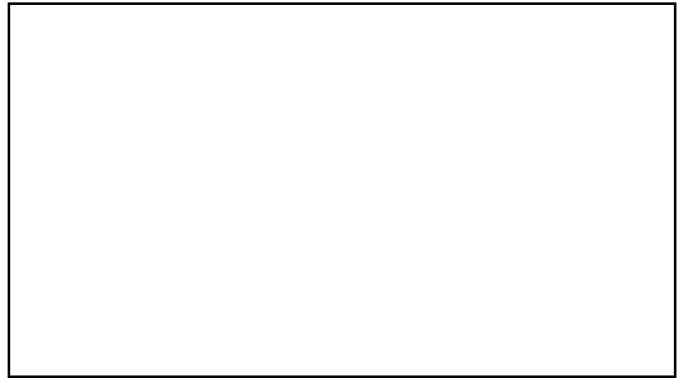
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