Nursing Leadership – Head Above the Parapet

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Back ground to UHCW....

- 1200 beds
- Serves a population of over 1,000,000
- 800,000 episodes of care per year
- Major Trauma Centre
- Tertiary Centre
- Teaching Hospital allied to Warwick/Coventry Universities
- Medical take approx 100 patients per day
Head above the parapet?
Clinical Lead Acute Medicine JD

- Doctor (stated on the person spec)
- Responsible for the department - AMU, Short stay ward, AEC
- Organisation of medical rotas
- Monitoring of performance
- Clinical Governance lead
- Service delivery organisation.
- Strategic planning
- Financial planning and reporting
Thinking outside the box
Thoughts......

• Do you need to be able to do everyone else's job in order to lead them?

• Is it time that there were more nurses in senior clinical roles such as this? Or are they already out there?
Thank You for Listening.

Any Questions?