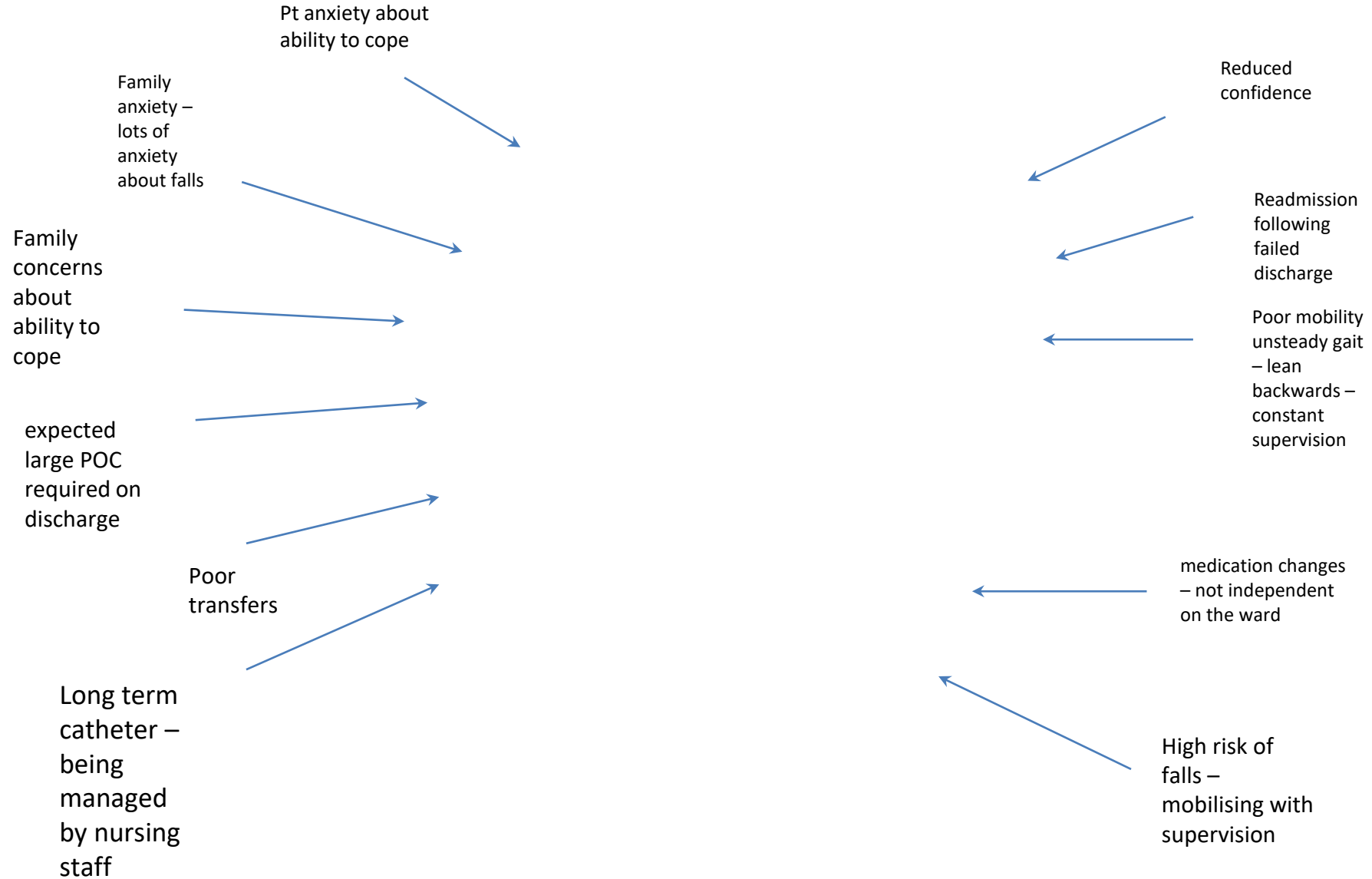


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Supportive Discharge
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Mr Admitted Patient- a real case study



Service Aims

- 20.7% of population over 65 in Harrogate District
- 16.7% National average over 65
- AHPs into action
- D2A model
- SDS
- OT, Physio, Nurses and Multi-disciplinary assistants

What does our service offer?

- Reduced Complication
 - Early referrals
- Avoid lengthy admission
 - Community ready
 - Shared risk taking
- Home environment
 - Patient the expert
- Joined up assessment
 - Communication

The difference our service made for Mr Admitted Patient

- Still at home months later
- No more significant falls
- No readmissions onto base wards
- Functioning confidently



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From July 2017 – September 2018

- 908 referrals
- 724 of those were appropriate for the service
- Saved 2.2 bed days per patient
- 1751 bed days overall

How did we do it?

- Therapy led service
- National guidelines and local initiatives
- PDSA
- Crossing boundaries
- Data collection
- Outcome measures

The service going forwards

- Substantive team
- Strengthening partnerships
- SDS plus-Virtual ward



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Any Questions?

Further Reading

- South Warwickshire Discharge to Assess model
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