THE MONTHLY LINKAGE

RESEARCH SPOTLIGHT – CHRISTOPHER MUELLER

This month's research spotlight focuses on a research study by Chrisopher Mueller, that looks into – retrospective analyses of patient flow in mental health services in South London during the Covid-19 pandemic.

The study aims to investigate patient flow in and out of community mental health services for older adults during the first and second wave of the covid-19 pandemic.

The Full research paper link: A retrospective analysis of patient flow in mental health services for older adults in South London during the COVID-19 pandemic | International Psychogeriatrics | Cambridge Core

In this retrospective analyses of mental health services, they used caseload, referrals and discharges from March 2019 to February 2021 using data from the Clinical Record Interative Search (CRIS) system.

CRIS provides researchers access to more than 500,000 anonymised mental health and dementia records for patients under the South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust (SlaM) and has full approval for secondary analysis by the Research Ethics Committee C.

10 YEARS LATER

This year marks 10 years since the Clinical Data Linkage Service was founded. To see a full timeline of CRIS events. See our CRIS Timeline below: CRIS: a timeline (nihr.ac.uk)

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UPCOMING MEETINGS

The next meeting will be held on 06th October 2022. The agenda for this meeting will be sent closer to the date.

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