ESTHER Improvement Coach Virtual Network Launch Event 21.10.20: Co-design of Network by ESTHER Coaches

What do you need or want from the virtual network?

- Clear parameters and expectations for the Coach role, clarity on what is allowed and not allowed.
- How the Coach role is relevant in multi-disciplinary meetings.
- A toolkit to work with, for reaching out and being able to advise and support colleagues, including those in other organisations.
- Positive examples of working with ESTHER to share and learn from, to cascade to support wider learning eg the use of KARA by KCC Adult Social Care.
- Opportunity to meet and connect with other Coaches and use website and other digital technology in between events to stay connected and informed.

What do you bring to the virtual network?

- Insight into what matters to ESTHER bigger than personalised care and support
- A broad range of skills, that can be shared and swapped. Coaches can utilise their skills on behalf of others where their expertise would benefit ESTHER.
- Positive mindset regarding rebooting the Coach network.
- Negative examples and case studies, to reflect on and share learning on how practice and delivery can be improved.
- Share examples that are the opposite of the ESTHER Philosophy of Care, to bring things back to how they should be for ESTHER.
- Case studies to reflect what has happened recently and impact for ESTHER.
- Highlighting policies and practices that are not working, reflection and potential solutions.
- Updates on how Med students are engaging with the ESTHER Philosophy of Care

What do you need or want from the ESTHER Team?

- More workshops and delivery that refocuses on ESTHER and ESTHER Coaching.
- More opportunities to connect, so that Coaches are not on the backfoot.
- More opportunities to see faces that connect with the ESTHER Philosophy of Care.
- More facilitation from the ESTHER Team, creating space that focusses on the needs and wants of ESTHER and the professionals that work with ESTHER.
- Facilitate Are You Ok? Groups.
- New CPD opportunities and to refresh and re-energise.
- Opportunities to top up Coaching skills, refresh methodologies and learn new methodologies and change management theories that can be applied with ESTHER Coaching.
- Use high level links to feedback what Coaches are highlighting, at an organisation and system level.
- Utilise ESTHER improvement cycle methodology as part of network events and feedback on what has been achieved/progress.

Views on frequency, duration and future agenda content

- Three monthly network events feels right at this point.
- Duration to depend on the subject matter but up to 1.5 hours.
- Content to be short and to the point.
- Coaches to lead on different subjects, depending on their expertise and preferences.
- Explore the links with International ESTHER what can we learn from ESTHER sites abroad, what can they learn from us?
- Agenda not all about the 'big stuff', sometimes it's the small things that matter to ESTHER.