The End of Life: An Overview of Issues and a Project to Optimise Care in Huntington's Disease Patients

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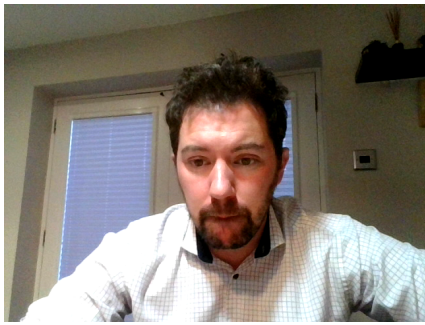

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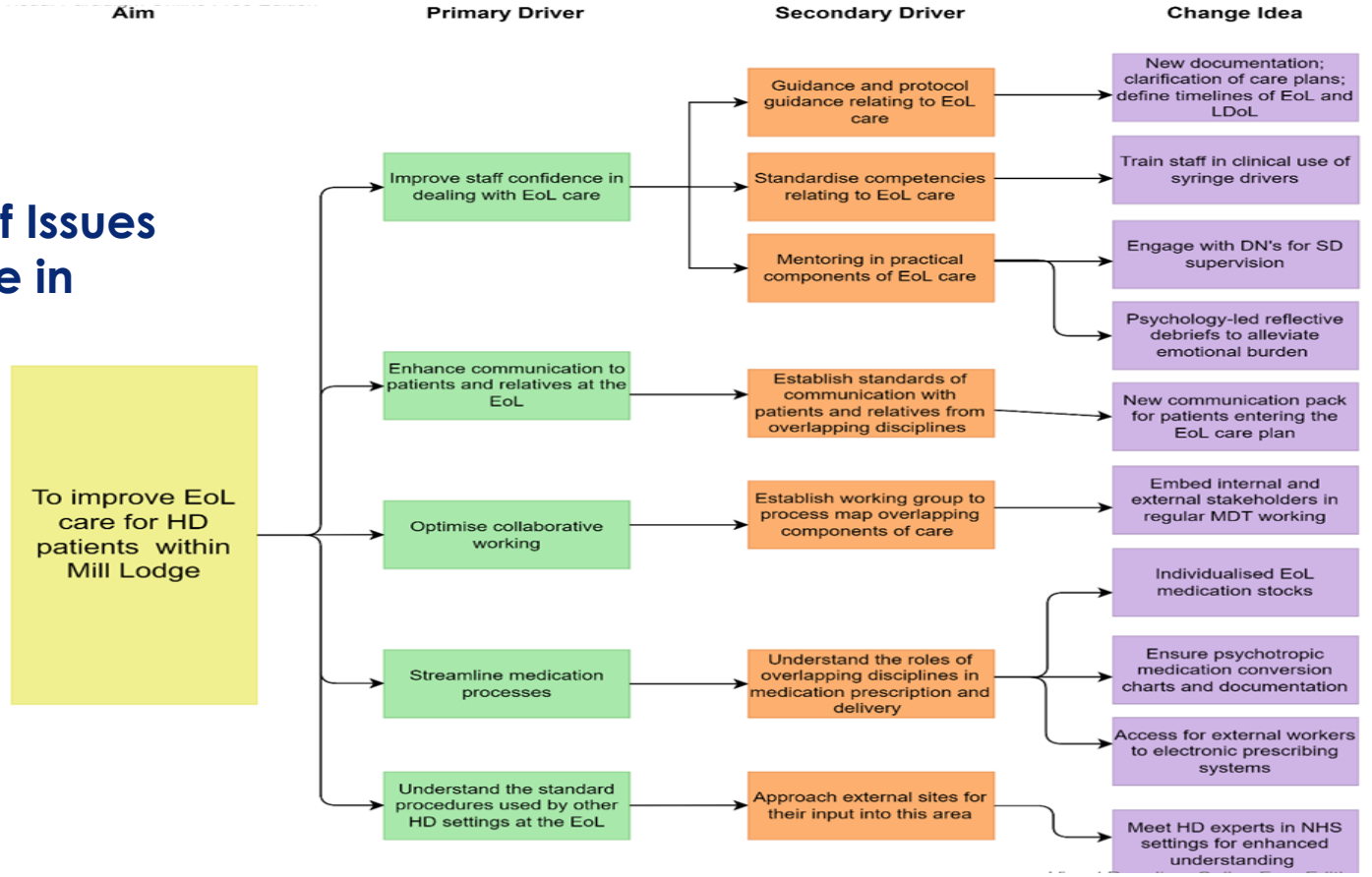
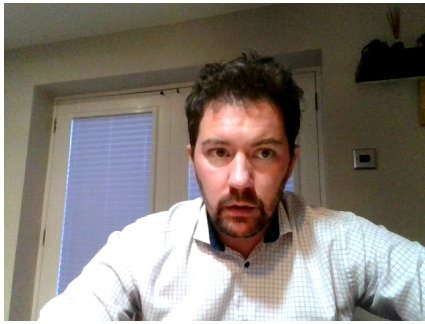
AIMS
- To improve EoL care at Mill Lodge

METHODS
- planning and delivery of an educational event on EoL care specific to HD
- open forum where we were able to identify barriers and facilitators to optimal care
- QI framework





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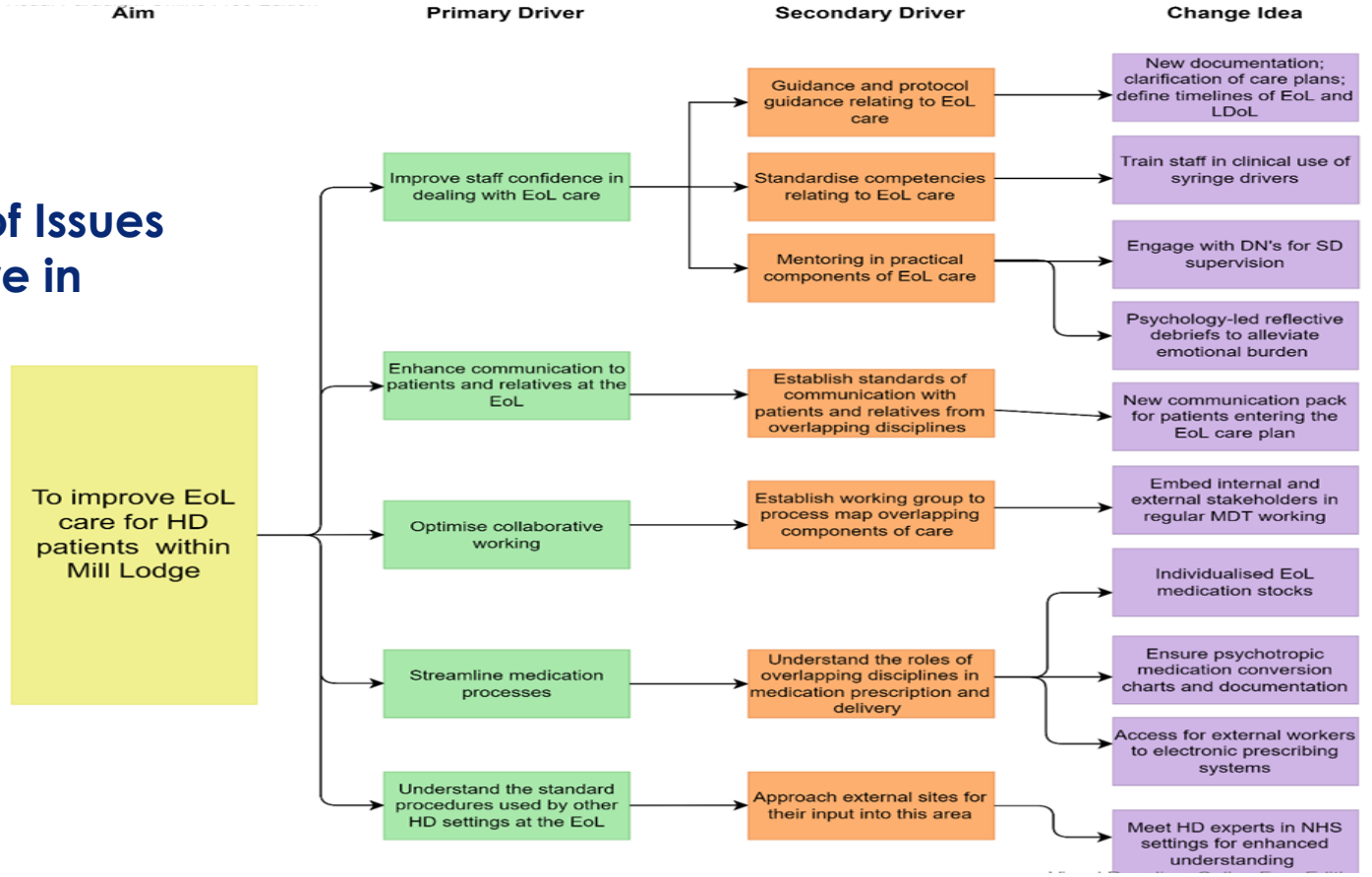
RESULTS

- staff confidence in dealing with EoL care was low
- care-planning; medications; communication barriers; and when to refer for specialist help were key reasons for this



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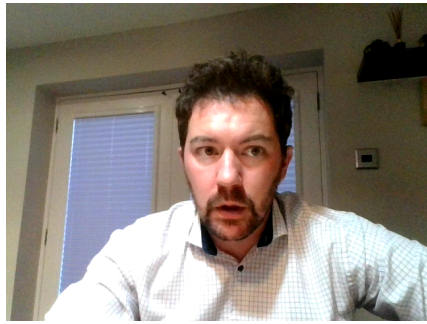
- **It is possible to provide collaborative care from a confident team.**