Activity for Dementia Support worker Apr 13- Oct 14

Summary

- Two-thirds of people living with dementia who received support were women.
- But women made up over 70% of carers.
- Over half of the referrals to the support worker were from the Memory Clinic/Consultant while a quarter were self-referrals.
- Over 50% of dementia clients required support for up to 3 months and a quarter were supported for less than a month. A small minority required support for over 6 months.
- Over 70% required support for only 3 hours at a time.
- 126 cases were completed with outcomes met.

Age group of referrals in period	Person with Dementia		Carer of Person with Dementia		
	Female	Male	Female	Male	
Unknown	3	3	80	30	
85+	40	15	1	1	
75-84	32	20	3	2	
65-74	13	7	0	0	
0-64	6	3	4	0	

New referrals

Referral Source	Person with Dementia	Carer of Person with Dementia	Total
Community Mental Health Team	2	0	2
Community Psychiatric Nurse	1	0	1
Consultant	20	21	41
Dementia Specialist Nurse	1	2	3
Family/Friend	3	2	5
GP	0	1	1
Internal Referral	3	7	10
Memory Clinic	59	40	99
Other	5	6	11
Practice Nurse	1	0	1
Self Referral	28	37	65
Social Worker / Care Manager	4	2	6
Unknown	2	1	3
Voluntary Organisation	13	2	15
Total	142	121	263

Referral Outcome	0-3 days	4-6 days	7-13 days	Unknown	14+ days	Total
Case Opened	43	23	59	11	68	204
Not Eligible (Referred on)	1	0	0	0	4	5
Service Declined (No further action)	2	0	0	0	4	6
Not Eligible (No further action)	0	0	0	0	1	1
Total	46	23	59	11	77	216

Open Cases All Activity	0-1 month	1-3 months	3-6 months	6+ months	Total
<3hours	44	81	16	10	151
No Activity	8	9	2	3	22
3-10 hours	3	21	6	4	34
10+ hours		0	0	1	2
	1				
Total	56	111	24	18	209

Closure Reason	unknown	6+ months	1 -3 months	<1 month	3-6 months	Total
Service no longer required	40	10	6	4	1	61
Case complete - outcomes met	15	6	69	23	13	126
Service user moved into full time care	1	0	2	0	0	3
Service user or person cared for deceased	4	0	1	0	0	5
Referred to another service	2	3	2	0	0	7
Person no longer eligible for service	9	1	3	10	3	26
Temporary Suspension	2	0	5	1	0	8
Person Declined Service	6	0	12	6	2	26
Service closed	0	0	2	1	0	3
Service user moved out of area	0	0	1	0	0	1
Total	79	20	103	45	19	266