

Name:	Peer interview conducted by:	
Date:	Chart ID:	

The following work sheet can be used to guide physiotherapists/physical therapists to examine in detail the clinical care provided to a patient. A 'trusted' peer can pose the questions and record the information in the boxes provided. Please take some time to dialogue about the overall care, highlighting areas of strength and opportunities for improvement.

Using peer interviews to reflect on practice is one way in which physiotherapists/physical therapists can promote their ongoing continuing competence, and can include this worksheet in the mandatory professional portfolio.

Questions	Comments
General	
 Briefly (in a couple of sentences) can you tell me a little bit about this patient, their presenting condition and the reason for any physiotherapy intervention. 	
Patient Assessment/Communication and Interdisciplin	nary Practice
2. I see you collected [this history and background] information.	
What other information did you gather from team members involved in the patient's care?	
Could you describe the relevance of the information and the impact on the physiotherapy care provided?	
3. Describe how you obtained informed consent from the patient for any assessment and treatment plan. What was discussed with the patient?	

Clinical Impression and Intervention Planning	
4. Review the physical/objective assessments that were performed.	
Based on the results of the assessments, what was your overall clinical impression?	
What other information might have been relevant?	
5. Please explain how the results of the assessment led to the delivery of the described treatment plan.	
Were other alternative courses of action or treatments considered?	
6. Describe any discussions you had with the patient (or authorized representative) and/or health care team with respect to how the patient's goals and expected outcomes were established and could best be achieved.	
Patient characteristics sometimes influence decision making (e.g. psychosocial issues, compliance, past medical history, support systems, employment).	
Was there anything unique about this patient that required a new or different approach to establishing goals and expected outcomes?	

Implementation and Evaluation of Physiotherapy Inter	vention
7. What measures did you use to monitor the patient's condition?	
Was the treatment effective, why?	
8. Did you assign any components of treatment to support staff?	
If so, what factors or risks were considered when assigning	
components of care?	
How did you monitor this assigned care?	
9. How did you decide how often to see this patient and for what duration?	
(a) How did you communicate the plans for completion of the physiotherapy intervention?	
(b) What steps did you take to assist in community integration or communication with other care providers?	
(c) Did you communicate any recommendations for post discharge or self management or education?	

Reflection on Practice	
10. Take a moment to reflect back on this patient's case.	
(a) How did the patient condition progress compared to what you had expected? What factors were considered?	
(b) Should any other professional have been involved to benefit this patient? Please describe.	
11. When treating patients with this or a similar type of condition:	
(a) Can you describe any issues you have met in practice that have prompted you to consult with peers?	
(b) Please share any learning opportunities you may have identified arising from the management of this patient's condition.	
How could this new learning influence future management of patients presenting with similar conditions?	
Risk Assessment The following questions apply to individuals who are on th	e roster to perform one or more authorized activities.
 Please describe how you assessed and then identified any possible: 	
(a) risks, (b) benefits,	
(c) side effects,that may apply to this patient in relation to performing	

Advers	se Consequences
	ase describe any adverse consequences that may
aris	e in your practice related to the performance of
if the	ase describe the course of action you will follow e treatment administered results in an adverse
	come for the patient during, or following, a treatment?
Are	these actions described in any policy or protocol?
Collab	orative Care
	re other health care professionals involved in patient's care?
	scribe how you facilitated a coordinated approach care and appropriate, timely communication.
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