

# Quality Network for Veterans Mental Health Services

## WHO WE ARE AND WHAT WE DO

The Quality Network for Veteran's Mental Health Services (QNVMHS) was established in collaboration with the Contact Group in 2020 to support in the quality improvement of veteran mental health services in the UK. It is one of over 20 quality networks within the College Centre for Quality Improvement (CCQI) within the Royal College of Psychiatrists.

## OUR AIMS

We work with services to:

- Improve the experience for service users, staff and service planning
- Celebrate the achievements of veterans mental health services and assure their quality
- Facilitate the sharing of ideas and expertise through a quality network

## MEASURING PERFORMANCE AGAINST STANDARDS

Our standards have been developed from recommendations in key literature, research and in consultation with a range of stakeholders. Care has been taken to ensure that the development of these standards has taken into consideration a wide range of sources, including research, policies, NICE Guidelines and the views of professionals working in veteran mental health services.



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You can access a copy of our standards [here](#):

## KEY MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS



**Improvement Process:** The CCQI has a huge wealth of experience in supporting and improving mental health services.



**Membership:** There is also a range of additional membership benefits such as free training and event opportunities; newsletters; discussion group etc.



**Networking:** You will gain access to our online discussion platform called Knowledge Hub, which you can use to share policies, documents and ask questions to other members.

## SIGNING UP TO QNVMHS

As a first step, we would recommend contacting us so that we can find out more about your service and send you some more information, including a joining form.

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