Appendix 1

Showing how the strong leadership methodology is being used to drive improvements

An example of an initial (2012) hazard analysis from the Reablers team in Social Services (local perception of their position)

- Column "A" lists the locally identified hazards associated with the work that the team does.
- The red cells in column "D" indicate a local recognition that there is a significant lack of systems in place for the identified hazard
- The red cells in Column "C" indicate a the local perception of where there is a significant level of risk of injury
- The red cells in column "B" indicate where there is a locally perceived high risk of enforcement action if the regulators become involved

Column A	B	С	D
Hazard identification and RAG analysis			
	For target condition - hover in box		
List of identified hazards	Exposure to enforcement action	Risk of injury	DCC systems in place
Moving & Handling of people			
Lone Working			
Stress			
Personal Protective Equipment			
Slips, Trips and Falls			
Aggressive or Unpredictable Behaviours			
Hazardous waste - clinical/medical/general			
Food Preparation			
Animals / Pets			
Medication			
Room Temperatures			
Enviroment			
Weather			
Hoists			
Display Screen Equipment			
Fire			
Infection Control			
Driving			
Locations			
Manual Handing of objects			
Smoking			
Telecommunications "black spots"			

The same hazard analysis in late 2013 from the Reablers team

- This updated example shows how safety management systems have been improved. (This is the local perception of their position)
- A large amount of H&S awareness and risk assessment training has taken place with managers and staff
- The main focus in Social Services areas has been on general H&S compliance and lone worker safety
- Manual handling of objects training is part of the CH&S team training portfolio. Social Services have a moving and handling of people trainer
- However good our systems are, there will always be a residual risk associated with our activities.

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Initial GAP analysis (2012) for the same team

	Self assessment questionaire - GAP analysis	
	Section \ operational level - standard questions	
1	Is the relevant H&S policy statement readily available for your team to read?	
2	Do team members know where they can see a copy of the policy?	
3	Are there risk assessments for the tasks \ activities that you and your team do?	
4	Were you or your colleagues and operatives involved in their development?	
5	Are there SSoW for the work that you do?	
6	Were you or your colleagues involved in their development?	
7	Do you and the team work the way described in the SSoW?	
8	Do you and team members know where to find H&S guidance on any specific	
0	subject? (Documentation or competent advice)	
9	Are all of the specific areas of H&S legislation related to your work covered in	
9	your risk assessments and SSoW?	
10	Have you and your team been trained to carry out your work activities?	
11	Is there a current training record?	
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13	recorded on a regular basis?	
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14	Are there any consequences for not following your working procedures?	
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16	Where PPE \ RPE is provided is it always used?	
17	Is the PPE $\ RPE$ provided for free and replaced whenever needed? (E.g.	
	damage or change in conditions)	
18	Do you know where to get first aid assistance if you need it?	
19	Is there someone to go to if you or the team are in doubt, need support or think	
	something is wrong?	
20	Are there any routines carried out by your team? (workplace checklists, vehicle	
20	checks, equipment checks etc)	
21	Is there a copy of the HSE's Health and Safety Poster displayed in the	
	workplace?	
22	Is there a copy of the current employers liability insurance certificate displayed in	
	the workplace?	

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subject? (Documentation or competent advice)	
Are all of the specific areas of H&S legislation related to your work covered in	
your risk assessments and SSoW?	
Have you and your team been trained to carry out your work activities?	
Is there a current training record?	
Is the way the team works ever assessed \ checked? (supervised \ monitored)	
Are your risk assessments, SSoW, competence requirements reviewed and	
recorded on a regular basis?	
Are there any consequences for not following your working procedures?	
Is PPE \ RPE that you need provided?	
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