

Improving Communication Around Delirium Status through a newly established Critical Care ANP Service: a Retrospective Audit (Qualitative)

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Introduction

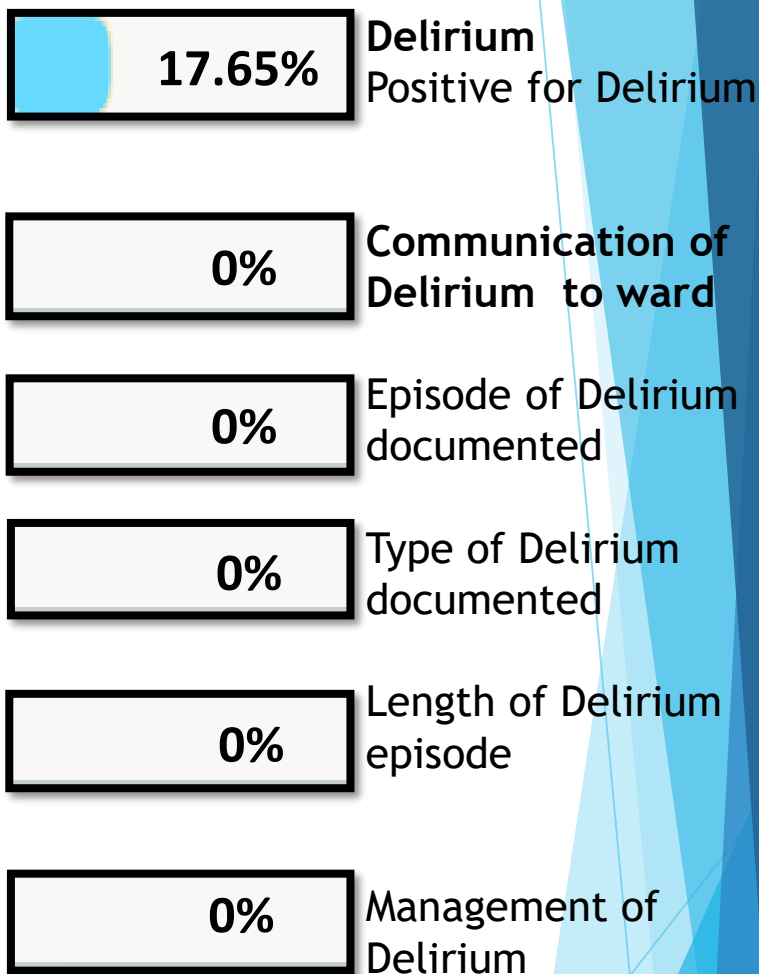
Is there a communication gap around delirium when transferring patients from Critical Care to the ward?

Method

- ✓ Single ICU 12-beds & HDU 16 beds
- ✓ Ireland
- ✓ 1 month study
- ✓ n=68 patient notes reviewed

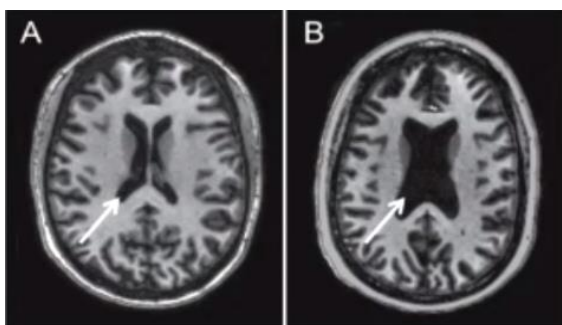
Results

n = 68 patient notes reviewed



Conclusion

Yes!
No communication regarding delirium = potentially detrimental patient outcomes. ANPs can play vital role in bridging this communication gap!



(A) 46 year old, no delirium (B) 42 year old, 12 days of delirium