

#MakingPoolsDoMore

### CASE STUDY: Castle Centre, Southwark





- A leisure centre based in Elephant & Castle, Southwark, London
- Started delivering Good Boost in October 2021
- Good Boost has been delivered in collaboration with King's College Hospital Physiotherapy Department to create supported self-management sessions in the community
- There has been highly positive feedback from participants and the King's College Team with the ambition to grow the programme in 2022









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Data over <u>5-months</u> from launching Good Boost between October 2021 – April 2022

31.82%

15.91%

#### Age Distribution



High proportion of participants aged 60-80 years old

#### **Deprivation Index**

Average Index Multiple Deprivation (IMD) Score=

32.2

**80.5%** of all participants were in the 4<sup>th</sup> of 5<sup>th</sup> lowest income quintile 

 Quintile group
 IMD score range

 1
 ≤ 8.49 (Least deprived)

 2
 8.5 - 13.79

 3
 13.8 - 21.35

 4
 21.36 - 34.17

 5
 ≥ 34.18 (Most deprived)

#### Ethnicity





Ethnically diverse service, with majority of participants being black, Asian and mixed ethnicity

Almost 50% of participants live with another long-term health condition

#### Baseline - Water Confidence Baseline - Physical Activity Level



1/3<sup>rd</sup> are non-swimmer or poorswimmer, highlighting that low water confidence is not a barrier 55% are inactive, highlighting that no-to-low level of exercise at baseline is not a barrier and the aquatic service is appealing to inactive populations

55%



Sedentary

Moderate

High

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### CASE STUDY: THE CASTLE CENTRE- CHANGE





Participants outcome measure reporting at baseline (registration) and every 4-weeks

#### Global Rating of Change Score

Functional Change

(Patient Specific Functional Complaint)



66.67% report improvement in symptoms Average of 23 % improvement in function from baseline to last measure

### **CASE STUDY: THE CASTLE CENTRE- CHANGE**





Participants outcome measure reporting at baseline (registration) and every 4-weeks



Average of 22 % improvement in pain from baseline to last measure

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### **CASE STUDY: PRE-SESSION REGISTRATION**



Participants using Good Boost's waterproof tablet computers to register and sign-in prior to a session in the pool



### CASE STUDY: GROUP AQUA SESSION



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Participants in the pool using Good Boost tablets to follow their aqua exercise session and provide on-going feedback into the A.I. technology

### CASE STUDY: TESTIMONIALS & FEEDBACK







#### Bibi

"Made me feel like a brand new person"

"I can walk better"

"I feel it's gonna improve my health in a huge way"



#### Dawn

"Most exercise like squats and lunges are not doable on dry land" "The sessions have been really wonderful and the exercises work you out"

"The exercises matched my needs, two weeks in, my back was a lot better, and my walking was a lot better and I can sit for longer in a sitting position, where as before I had to lay flat"

"My mental state has been that I'm having less panic attacks, doing the sessions helped my mental state"

"I'm more mobile, I'm doing more at home, I'm much stronger, I'm less falling over"

"I feel [returning to independent swimming] is more possible now because of this course"

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#### Flo

"I found [the sessions] absolutely brilliant, I've really, really enjoyed them"

"Exercises that I could actually do, and I've found all of them really good"

"Plus there's some really nice people in the group"

"The exercises progressed harder [over 6 weeks] which has been good, because if you can do it [it's too easy] then you loose interest"

"It's a social gathering, and it's nice to see so many people, and we've become friends, and I have improved, I really have improved [knee pain] considerably"



#### Angela

"It's been very helpful, 've had a stroke, and it's given me the confidence to build up my walking outdoors" "It's helping with my mobility" "When I'm in the water my balance is great" "It's nice to come together as a group, it's nice to come together at the end of a session and socialise"

### CASE STUDY: KCH CLINICIAN FEEDBACK



"I've been referring patients post hip and knee replacement to 'Good Boost' at The Castle since the programme started in October 2021. At the moment there is quite a delay in accessing rehabilitation for some of these patients so it's fantastic to have Good Boost available as an option. Many of the patients I see live in Southwark, so The Castle leisure centre is easily accessible to them.

Patients seem very keen to try water-based exercise, especially those who are a bit isolated, struggling with land-based exercise and who don't feel confident to go to a gym or a swimming pool independently. The programme provides a bridge between hospital-based treatment and swimming or aqua aerobics in a more public setting and having that sort of steppingstone in place has been really positive.

Feedback about the programme has been great. Patients seem to really enjoy the social setting and atmosphere and they don't seem fazed by using the technology to create their exercise programme, which I was surprised about. They feel supported and the programme gives them confidence and competence. They realise 'I've done this. I could continue doing this."

#### Nicky Underdown, Clinical Specialist Physiotherapist, Department of Orthopaedics, King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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The programme is proving to be very popular! Patients gain confidence and ability very quickly through Good Boost, and it is great fun, which I think contributes to people wanting to keep coming. It is a fantastic resource, which I hope we will be able to expand in the future."

Dr Nicky Wilson, Consultant Physiotherapist, King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

### CASE STUDY: BUSINESS CASE FOR THE CASTLE



The delivery of Good Boost in The Castle Centre presents a revenue and membership generation for the venue for an underutilized pool space during off-peak hours.

KCH is providing a staff member to deliver and run the Good Boost sessions at The Castle Centre, requiring no Everyone Active staff resource/time. The learner pool is not fully utilized and can be delivered

**Existing:** Friday's in the learner pool – 10 participants x  $\pounds$ 3.90 per session =  $\pounds$ 39.00 per session.

Planned: - 2 x 45 minute sessions (back-to-back) on a Friday = 20 participants x £3.90 = £78.00 per Fri

**2022 Plan**: Include a Tuesday & Wednesday session, 4 x 45 minute sessions (back-to-back) = an additional £156.00 per Tues & Weds

There is a waiting list of patient who are ready to sign up to sessions. There will be high utilisation of the Good Boost sessions and expected to be 100% full at the 6 x sessions per week.

This would generate  $\pounds$ 234.00 per week at the Castle Centre, assuming 50/52 weeks a year =  $\pounds$ 11,700 revenue There is the opportunist for the Castle Pool to generate more income with the Good Boost equipment/ service through delivering additional sessions for personalised aqua rehab, aqua fitness, aqua natal or land exercise.

### CASE STUDY: BUSINESS CASE FOR KCH



The delivery of Good Boost in The Castle Centre creates a community accessible services via KCH for supported self-management. This overcomes the existing waiting times and burden on MSK services, aligns for the NHS 10 Year Plan of prevention, delivering services in the community and care closer to home and promotes greater self-management, reducing reliance of formalised primary and secondary care services.

 $\pounds$ 46 per service user contact hour (Philips et al, 2012), assumed to average 30 minutes per appointment at KCH =  $\pounds$ 23 per appointment.

Castle Pool sessions = 4 x sessions per week, 10 participant per session, 50 weeks per year = 2,000 appointments per year.

 $2,000 \times \pounds 23 = \pounds 46,000$  savings compared to 1-2-1 Physiotherapy appointments. This is expected to be an average of approximately 200 individual service users accessing an average of 10 sessions each.

Assuming 5% of participants (10) avoid entering into a course of Physiotherapy through supported selfmanagement = £1,150

Assuming 1% of participants (2) avoid a hip or knee arthroplasty = further saving of **£14,600** of avoided primary and secondary care costs.

Total projected savings = £ 61,750

Cost per f2f appointment taken publication by Philips et al (2012). These numbers have not been adjusted based on Physiotherapist salary increase and increase in clinical delivery costs, as a result the savings are greater than the figure shown.

Philips C, et al. (2012) The cost effectiveness of NHS physiotherapy support for occupational health (OH) services. BMC Musculoskeletal Disorders volume (13)29

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