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*** 1hr WARNING*** #OTalk this week will be hosted by @RCOT_OP and discussing Working with older people through Covid-19 Read the introductory post here: <https://t.co/pjnrBQ1I6B>



RCOT Older People @RCOT_OP

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Yes that's us... see you in an hour @OTalk



OfficialCAHPR @OfficialCAHPR

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The latest #OTalk gets underway at 8pm. PS - welcome back ;)



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Time to grab a drink, read the blog and settle in for this weeks #OTalk hosted by @RCOT_OP discussing Working with older people through Covid-19 <https://t.co/pjnrBQ1I6B>
<https://t.co/sdHKSdOk5u>



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Catherina Nolan-Ruffle @NolanRuffle

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#OTalk 29th June 2021 – Working with older people through Covid-19 – OTalk
<https://t.co/XnZwj6G9W4>



Catherina Nolan-Ruffle @NolanRuffle

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Dr Naomi Gallant @naomi_gallant

19 days ago



Dr Naomi Gahan @naomi_gahan

I'm looking forward to hearing OTs experiences and learning from working with [#OlderPeople](#) during [#Covid19](#)

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Hello my name is Jim @OT_Jim

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Good evening all, who is here for [#OTalk](#) ? @Helen_OTUK on the account this evening. Do say hi even if you plan on lurking. Please give our host this evening @RCOT_OP a warm welcome.

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Hello my name is Jim @OT_Jim

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@OTalk_ @Helen_OTUK @RCOT_OP Here! Definitely not lurking tonight! [#OTalk](#)

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RCOT Older People @RCOT_OP

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Ed Sum Occupational Therapist 🇧🇪❤️🇬🇧 @musedNeuroOT

19 days ago

@OTalk_ @Helen_OTUK @RCOT_OP Hey up! Multitasking this evening [#OTalk](#)

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Welcome one and all. A polite reminder to all of the [#OTalk](#) House Rules.... 1. All codes of conduct apply 1. Be respectful . Enjoy. <https://t.co/sLZAgwnSW1>

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19 days ago

@AWilliams_OT @Helen_OTUK @RCOT_OP Hi Alison welcome, just 1 T in [#OTalk](#) Any questions just shout!

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RCOT Older People @RCOT_OP

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Lovely to see people tuning in for our [#OTalk](#) about working with older people through Covid-19!

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Sherlyn 🤔⭐ @sherlynmelody

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RT @NolanRuffle: [#OTalk](#) 29th June 2021 – Working with older people through Covid-19 – OTalk <https://t.co/XnZwj6G9W4>

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Sherlyn 🤔⭐ @sherlynmelody

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@RCOT_OP [#otalk](#) I'm here can't wait. I love working with older people ❤️

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**Bethany** ❤️ @BethjmOT

19 days ago

@OTalk_ @RCOT_OP @Helen_OTUK Hiya everyone! Made it in time tonight- Looking forward to joining the discussion this evening 🙌 #OTalk

**RCOT Older People** @RCOT_OP

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Let's get the discussion started - 1) Are OT's using a clinical frailty score in screening and initial assessments of patients with Covid-19? #OTalk



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**Laura NQOT** @Laura_Does

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@OTalk_ @Helen_OTUK @RCOT_OP A little late but I'm here and interested to see people's answers tonight :) #OTalk

**Hello my name is Jim** @OT_Jim

19 days ago

@RCOT_OP #OTalk 1) the frailty score was the baseline for assessment of potential for escalation if someone contracted Covid in wave 1-3, tbh I found it a very negative approach that screened out the older population.

**Sherlyn** 🤔⭐ @sherlynmelody

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@RCOT_OP #otalk I work in adult care services. I've not worked with anyone with covid, but have seen people who have had covid and are recovering. Not used a frailty score either.

**Ed Sum Occupational Therapist** 🇬🇧❤️🇬🇧 @musedNeuroOT

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@RCOT_OP I had to use the Rockwood Clinical Frailty Score when I was redeployed to a discharge team last year - not very sensitive #OTalk

**Sherlyn** 🤔⭐ @sherlynmelody

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@Laura_Does @OTalk_ @Helen_OTUK @RCOT_OP #otalk yeah I'm hoping to learn tonight 🤓

**Dr Naomi Gallant** @naomi_gallant

19 days ago

We've been using @Krockdoc Rockwood Clinical Frailty Score - combining dependence with accumulation of deficits to understand where people were before getting covid #OTalk

**Laura NQOT** @Laura_Does

19 days ago

@RCOT_OP From my recent placement experience, I believe so. They get a score at the front door (from doctors or nurses) and when they're seen by an OT it's reviewed and if it needs updating they'll do that. It's on the CGA in the trust I was in #OTalk





Hello my name is Jim @OT_Jim
 @musedNeuroOT @RCOT_OP I felt the same #OTalk

19 days ago



Carolyn OT @CeeCeeOT
 @RCOT_OP #OTalk I haven't used a clinical frailty score, I'll look into that...

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RCOT Older People @RCOT_OP
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Sherlyn @sherlynmelody
 @musedNeuroOT @RCOT_OP #otalk I've heard of this but not used it. Tbh this would not be useful in my setting I don't think as I don't think our OTs/SW/care agencies/patients/service users would be familiar with the terminology.

19 days ago



Hello my name is Jim @OT_Jim
 @naomi_gallant @Krockdoc That sound a more positive approach than the general scoring on dependency levels #OTalk

19 days ago



Ka Yan Hess @KhessOT
 @RCOT_OP Just curious if there is difference depending on where you work eg acute vs community? #OTalk

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RCOT Older People @RCOT_OP
 Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment is such an important tool #OTalk

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Ed Sum Occupational Therapist @musedNeuroOT
 @CeeCeeOT @RCOT_OP It's one of those crude scales that does not reflect Occupational Therapy practice that others like to use for data. Not useful if someone has delirium #OTalk

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Ka Yan Hess @KhessOT
 @Laura_Does @RCOT_OP Did you get to do one and if so how did you find it as a student? #OTalk

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Sherlyn @sherlynmelody
 @Laura_Does @RCOT_OP #otalk I guess in my setting this info would come from the hospital to social care. It's never been highlighted in notes. I'm not sure if our hospitals are using rockwood or any score for that matter. I see patients walk into hospital and hoisted out 🙄

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#HelloMyNameIs Sadie @ot_sadie

19 days ago



Anonymous Users [@OT_Sadie](#)

[@RCOT_OP](#) [#OTalk](#) CF scale is covered by the physiotherapists in the setting I'm in for all our patients



RCOT Older People [@RCOT_OP](#)

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[@sherlynmelody](#) [@musedNeuroOT](#) Any particular terminology that would be considered problematic? [#OTalk](#)



Helen OTUK [@Helen_OTUK](#)

19 days ago

Also NHS or social care? [#OTalk](#)



Sherlyn 🌟 [@sherlynmelody](#)

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[@OT_Jim](#) [@musedNeuroOT](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) [#otalk](#) this is interesting. I'll have to have a look - why is it not sensitive?



OT_Expert 🌟🌈 [#StopTheShock](#) [@OT_Expert](#)

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RT [@RCOT_OP](#): Let's get the discussion started - 1) Are OT's using a clinical frailty score in screening and initial assessments of patient...



RCOT Older People [@RCOT_OP](#)

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Anyone had similar experiences? Wonder if a combination of [#frailty](#) approaches is required as part of CGA - what other tools have people used?



Bethany 💙 [@BethjmOT](#)

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[@RCOT_OP](#) In the community and within transitional care beds we use Edmonton Frail Scale (EFS) as part of our initial holistic assessment [#OTalk](#)



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RT @Helen_OTUK: Also NHS or social care? #OTalk <https://t.co/bNtZghGZcQ>



Hello my name is Jim @OT_Jim

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@RCOT_OP It is, however I would argue that they aren't very "OT" in the language or assessment, there is a huge potential for understanding the persons needs, however it is either incomplete or if it is, it lacks the detail needed for rapid assessment and support of Dx home #OTalk



OT 🤖 @CeeCeeOT

19 days ago

Whoops, thank you! #OTalk



Laura NQOT @Laura_Does

19 days ago

@KnessOT @RCOT_OP Yep, I did lots. I found it easy because there's the CFS app (Clinical Frailty Score) that I had on my phone. Sometimes it doesn't fit everyone - they might be between 2 scores - but overall it helped us prioritise and see the difference between now and their normal #OTalk



Carolyn OT 🤖 @CeeCeeOT

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@sherlynmelody @Laura_Does @RCOT_OP Urgh reconditioning :(#OTalk



OT_Expert 🌈 #StopTheShock @OT_Expert

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RT @RCOT_OP: Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment is such an important tool #OTalk <https://t.co/U3czzQRoUt>



OT_Expert 🌈 #StopTheShock @OT_Expert

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Sherlyn 🌟 @sherlynmelody

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@KnessOT @RCOT_OP #otalk I think so. As I see people once they have left hospital. Covid -ve normally is because they need double handed care so I'm reviewing. Never asked the hospital for a frailty score though. Maybe NHS community therapist would use this more?!



Laura NQOT @Laura_Does

19 days ago

@sherlynmelody @RCOT_OP Definitely agree that hospital stays can be really detrimental to patients. Identifying if they are frail shows where we need to work extra hard to get them out of hospital ASAP - something the CFS helps to do :) #OTalk



RCOT Older People @RCOT_OP

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Some interesting points and different opinions of Clinical Frailty Scales! Whatever the scale: 2) Have people seen a change in score as a result of Covid? direct or indirect! #OTalk



Ed Sum Occupational Therapist 🌈 @musedNeuroOT

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@sherlynmelody @OT_Jim @RCOT_OP You only get 9 categories and cover many dimensions - when you look at it quickly you can see why it isn't sensitive. As Occupational Therapists the vast

majority of our work is arguably in categories 6 to 9 (may be category 5 also) [#OTalk](#)



Sherlyn 🧐🌟 [@sherlynmelody](#)

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[@musedNeuroOT](#) [@CeeCeeOT](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) [#otalk](#) would you say it's more to label someone then?



Hello my name is Jim [@OT_Jim](#)

19 days ago

[@sherlynmelody](#) [@musedNeuroOT](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) I found it focused on dependency levels, rather than a strengths based assessment of what the person can do, it starts and closes the conversation on what they can't do. [#OTalk](#)



OT_Expert ✨🌈 [#StopTheShock](#) [@OT_Expert](#)

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[#OTalk](#) Question 2

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Laura NQOT [@Laura_Does](#)

19 days ago

[@sherlynmelody](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) We would write their frailty score on their referrals but that info is screened by the discharge team and probably not passed on to social care OTs. Might need to look at that in future [#OTalk](#)



RCOT Older People [@RCOT_OP](#)

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RT [@Laura_Does](#): [@sherlynmelody](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) Definitely agree that hospital stays can be really detrimental to patients. Identifying if they are...



Ka Yan Hess [@KhessOT](#)

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[@Laura_Does](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) Wow that's great to have such experience. Does it (or can it) get used as outcome measure? [#otalk](#)



Ka Yan Hess [@KhessOT](#)

19 days ago

[#otalk](#) yes it would be really interesting to compare notes....



Sherlyn 🧐🌟 [@sherlynmelody](#)

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[@Laura_Does](#) [@KhessOT](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) [#otalk](#) so it's guess if you know the person in the beginning and stay with them until the end, you can see the change/improvement in frailty??



Ed Sum Occupational Therapist 🌈❤️🇬🇧 [@musedNeuroOT](#)

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[@OT_Jim](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) We were using it as an after thought for statistics and was sometimes missed [#OTalk](#)



Helen OTUK [@Helen_OTUK](#)

19 days ago

Agree, although I only used them for a short period myself, I often see the 'scores' from hospital

reports and wonder if it is the same person I am assessing at home? [#OTalk](#)



Dr Naomi Gallant [@naomi_gallant](#)

19 days ago

I think it's about using it with other knowledge of [#frailty](#) and as part of the Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment to build a picture and focus on where rehab goals could be focused [#OTalk](#)



Hello my name is Jim [@OT_Jim](#)

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[@RCOT_OP](#) Yes, but I personally feel we have to acknowledge that the NHS operation policy that came out last August has changed practice, to the point we are Dx earlier with higher Frailty scores, that aren't linked to having Covid [#OTalk](#)



Lauren [@Lauren_OT](#)

19 days ago

[@RCOT_OP](#) We don't use it directly, although it is discussed within our MDT's and is within our documentation but the score usually comes with the patient from the admission areas. I think it's something we need to look at using more directly [#OTalk](#)



Sherlyn 🤔⭐ [@sherlynmelody](#)

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[@RCOT_OP](#) [@musedNeuroOT](#) [#otalk](#) not sure if it would be problematic, just not common practice for it to be appreciated as one may not be familiar with the scoring etc. It may be seen as jargon if that makes sense. My written Ax's go to service users & care agencies.



Laura NQOT [@Laura_Does](#)

19 days ago

[@sherlynmelody](#) [@KhessOT](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) You can but hopefully the aim would be to get them out of hospital before they're even technically admitted. That's what the team I was in aimed to do. We worked in A&E etc and got people back home within 24 hours. CFS could then be checked at home but not sure it was [#OTalk](#)



Dr Naomi Gallant [@naomi_gallant](#)

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[@sherlynmelody](#) [@musedNeuroOT](#) [@CeeCeeOT](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) Not at all! It's about identifying ongoing needs and rehab goals, and focusing interventions on reducing hospital or covid acquired dependence [#OTalk](#)



Ed Sum Occupational Therapist 🏳️‍🌈❤️🇬🇧 [@musedNeuroOT](#)

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[@sherlynmelody](#) [@CeeCeeOT](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) The purpose was for data on services, so yes. Was not used for clinical decision making. Other services may have uses for it [#OTalk](#)



Hello my name is Jim [@OT_Jim](#)

19 days ago

[@NolanRuffle](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) It was hugely administered in the "now" not how they were pre-crisis. Totally agree training would have made this a better tool to use... [#OTalk](#)



Sherlyn 🤔⭐ [@sherlynmelody](#)

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[@CeeCeeOT](#) [@Laura_Does](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) [#otalk](#) that's the one!! 🙄



RCOT Older People [@RCOT_OP](#)

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Sounds like the Covid crisis mode perhaps took away from some of the whole-person thinking to consider history and potential?



Emma [@EMurray459](#)

19 days ago

RT [@RCOT_OP](#): Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment is such an important tool [#OTalk](#)

**Laura NQOT** @Laura_Does

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@musedNeuroOT @sherlynmelody @CeeCeeOT @RCOT_OP I guess we need to know how it's used as seems it means different things to different teams/professions? #OTalk



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**Carolyn OT** 🤔 @CeeCeeOT

19 days ago

@sherlynmelody @Laura_Does @RCOT_OP Oops I meant deconditioning #OTalk
#flamingAutocorrect

**HCOP Therapy Team** @nottmhospitals @HCOPTHERAPY_NUH

19 days ago

Interesting #OTalk happening right now! @RCOT_OP hosting 'Working with Older People through Covid 19' #teamHCOP #HCOPTOT #Frailty <https://t.co/yrjJlFook8>

**Sherlyn** 🤔⭐ @sherlynmelody

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@NolanRuffle @Laura_Does @RCOT_OP #otalk I agree. Maybe I should start raising safeguardings when my clients return home with a hoist 🙌🙌

**RCOT Older People** @RCOT_OP

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@Laura_Does @musedNeuroOT @sherlynmelody @CeeCeeOT Mixed reviews and purposes it seems! #OTalk

**Laura NQOT** @Laura_Does

19 days ago

@esmewood1 @KnessOT @RCOT_OP All my team did. The questions helped. I assume they create more inter-rater reliability of the scale. #OTalk

**RCOT Older People** @RCOT_OP

19 days ago

Stimulating discussion about different frailty scores so lets make it more Occupation focused for Question 3! #OTalk

**Sherlyn** 🤔⭐ @sherlynmelody

19 days ago

@musedNeuroOT @OT_Jim @RCOT_OP #otalk I will be sure to take a look 👍

**Hello my name is Jim** @OT_Jim

19 days ago

@RCOT_OP Tbh, yes Covid played a part in this "culture" however we should not ignore the effect the NHS Hospital Operation policy had and the shift to D2A with right to reside had on these assessments #OTalk

**Sherlyn** 🤔⭐ @sherlynmelody

19 days ago

@OT_Jim @musedNeuroOT @RCOT_OP #otalk I see 🤔

**RCOT Older People** @RCOT_OP

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Q3) Have people seen a change in function as a result of Covid-19?

**Hello my name is Jim** @OT_Jim

19 days ago

@NolanRuffle @RCOT_OP The bandaid approach to care... #OTalk

**Laura** **NQOT** @Laura_Does

19 days ago

@sherlynmelody @NolanRuffle @RCOT_OP There's lots of research into the detrimental effects of hospital stays especially in frail older people, and has been work towards changing that but it's still not enough. It's a team effort. Can't just be OTs making the changes #OTalk

**Helen** **OTUK** @Helen_OTUK

19 days ago

@NolanRuffle @sherlynmelody @Laura_Does @RCOT_OP agreed, but we tend to strengths based assessments in social care. All my referrals at this time are via hospital discharge so they will have had the formal screening via NHS as directed? #OTalk

**Sherlyn** 🌟 @sherlynmelody

19 days ago

@Laura_Does @KhesOT @RCOT_OP #otalk ok we have a team called prevention of admission. But they tend to be in the community not in A&E they try and stop people getting to the hospital doors. So many teams out there 🙄

**Laura** **NQOT** @Laura_Does

19 days ago

@RCOT_OP I haven't mainly because the team I worked in on placement aimed to get people out of hospital before they were technically admitted, so I didn't see covid patients. #OTalk



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#OTalk Question 3.

**Laura** **NQOT** @Laura_Does

19 days ago

@sherlynmelody @KhesOT @RCOT_OP So many teams 🙄 but all doing great work. Just wish we could all be connected and have better communication so patient journeys are smoother and care is better! Hopefully one day 🙏 #OTalk

**Hello my name is Jim** @OT_Jim

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@NolanRuffle @RCOT_OP #OTalk D2A has a huge potential for good, but you are correct in how it was applied, I feel like the NHS was Sid from Toy Story, when we needed Andy.... #ToyStory

**Laura** **NQOT** @Laura_Does

19 days ago

@esmewood1 @KhesOT @RCOT_OP The app just takes you through the questions to get the correct frailty score so it was more an aid. We still put all data in patients notes #OTalk

**Ellen Martinez** @ElmoSE24

19 days ago

@OT_Jim @RCOT_OP In Community Rehabilitation, there has been an increase in frailty scores for patients with COVID19 or not due to Increased isolation, lack of exercise, services and support which scaffold older people's lives. These factors would usually mitigate poor health and frailty #OTalk

**RCOT Older People** @RCOT_OP

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How do OTs feel this has impacted their practice directly? #OTalk

**Hello mv name is Jim** @OT_Jim

19 days ago



@RCOT_OP Not function as such, it has been more a shift in practice. We work differently with a younger cohort, we are seeing more frailty in the 50+ rather than the 70+ age groups [#OTalk](#)



Helen OTUK [@Helen_OTUK](#)

19 days ago

[@RCOT_OP](#) [#OTalk](#) Q3. Yes, but also seen in those who have not had COVID themselves, but have 'suffered' the effects.



Dr Naomi Gallant [@naomi_gallant](#)

19 days ago

[@RCOT_OP](#) It's easy to forget the effort and time that has gone into challenging this culture already before Covid was even a thing! Sometimes feels we've take significant steps backwards [#OTalk](#)



Sherlyn 🌟 [@sherlynmelody](#)

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[@Laura_Does](#) [@KnessOT](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) [#otalk](#) 100% we are all so disjointed which leads to duplication and often confusion for my clients 🤔



Laura NQOT [@Laura_Does](#)

19 days ago

[@NolanRuffle](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) I'd love to know how my patients are getting on now. Would be great to see that data. What sorts of results are your students getting? [#OTalk](#)



Hello my name is Jim [@OT_Jim](#)

19 days ago

Excellent point about the impact of the "prevention measures" [#OTalk](#)



RCOT Older People [@RCOT_OP](#)

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RT [@ElmoSE24](#): [@OT_Jim](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) In Community Rehabilitation, there has been an increase in frailty scores for patients with COVID19 or not d...



#HelloMyNamels Sadie [@ot_sadie](#)

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[@RCOT_OP](#) [#OTalk](#) depends - for some, it appears brain fog has affected their underlying dementia, and others have returned to their baseline function.



Laura NQOT [@Laura_Does](#)

19 days ago

[@sherlynmelody](#) [@KnessOT](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) Yep! Hate that duplication! As a patient myself, and as an OT. Such a waste of time [#OTalk](#)



RCOT Older People [@RCOT_OP](#)

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[@OT_Jim](#) A wider impact of Covid-19 [#OTalk](#)



Ellen Martinez [@ElmoSE24](#)

19 days ago

[@OT_Jim](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) We have seen this too and are assessing for frailty in the younger people too. Many people living with multiple comorbidities and not functioning well at a younger age COVID19 has highlighted a lot of health disparities [#OTalk](#)



Ka Yan Hess [@KnessOT](#)

19 days ago

[@sherlynmelody](#) [@Laura_Does](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) Well I think not just our clients get confused, I wonder sometimes we also get confused ourselves trying to keep up with new teams new names of teams etc [#otalk](#)

**Dr Anita Atwal** @anita_atwal

19 days ago

Just wonder if we should agree on definition of frailty and recognise that scores can be completed by MDT .

**Laura NQOT** @Laura_Does

19 days ago

@KhessOT @sherlynmelody @RCOT_OP Exactly, and we are all for making the NHS a sustainable system to prevent it becoming privatised, so I don't know what's holding the people in charge back 🙄 #OTalk

**Sherlyn** 🤔🌟 @sherlynmelody

19 days ago

@RCOT_OP #otalk I met one gentleman who had c19 he is also a stroke survivor. He experienced a lot of fatigue and this would really fluctuate. Physically and mentally. He slept a lot more since c19.

**Laura NQOT** @Laura_Does

19 days ago

@NolanRuffle @RCOT_OP Looking forward to it #OTalk

**RCOT Older People** @RCOT_OP

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Great to hear some feedback around impact on cognition - can be a big part of #frailty - have others anything to add? #OTalk

**Ellen Martinez** @ElmoSE24

19 days ago

@RCOT_OP Yes definitely people of all ages not functioning as well, some have not been out of their homes for a year! Lots of Occupational deprivation! Also lots more referrals for patients who need complex moving and handling. #OTalk

**Hello my name is Jim** @OT_Jim

19 days ago

@RCOT_OP I am definitely interested how "winter pressures" are going to look post Covid, the D2A model has been doing the rounds for 10 years +/-, but enshrining it in <https://t.co/AotoyZo0vX> policy has definitely increased the application #OTalk Covid just sped it up

**Dr Lyn Williams DBA MScOD, RMN, Q member** @lynwilliams10

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RT @RCOT_OP: Let's get the discussion started - 1) Are OT's using a clinical frailty score in screening and initial assessments of patient...

**RCOT Older People** @RCOT_OP

19 days ago

@ElmoSE24 Great point! The disease has gone far beyond the immediate impact on acute care and people who had it #OTalk

**Hello my name is Jim** @OT_Jim

19 days ago

@ot_sadie @RCOT_OP Are you also seeing an increase in new onset Delirium on Dementia? #OTalk

**Sherlyn** 🤔🌟 @sherlynmelody

19 days ago

@KhessOT @Laura_Does @RCOT_OP #otalk yep 100% that team I mentioned used to be called Rapid response! They change their names like...even I'm like 🤔 I still refer to my team as social services to my clients because I think they know what it is rather than adult care services 🤔

**RCOT Older People** @RCOT_OP

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Dr Kim Stuart ❤️❤️❤️ @KimStuartOT

19 days ago

Ahhhhh! Interruption to planned engagement tonight and looks like I've missed a great one 😞 on my favourite subject #frailty #OTalk



Dr Naomi Gallant @naomi_gallant

19 days ago

@OT_Jim @ot_sadie @RCOT_OP Massive increase! I was working on a frailty ward which became a covid ward - at least 3/4 of the ward with delirium secondary to covid #OTalk



Ka Yan Hess @KhessOT

19 days ago

@sherlynmelody @Laura_Does @RCOT_OP But yet the thing is someone somewhere saw a point of the change through..... I can't help but to think what is really going on? #otalk



Dr Anita Atwal @anita_atwal

19 days ago

I think this is so important and then how we manage the recovery process with rehabilitation such a scarce resource .



Lauren @Lauren_OT

19 days ago

@RCOT_OP Yes, and not just in patients who have had it. Just the general and overall impact of being isolated from loved ones and confined to their homes has seen huge changes in function for a lot of our patients. #OTalk



Helen OTUK @Helen_OTUK

19 days ago

@ot_sadie @RCOT_OP I have not been keeping numbers, however have 'many' narratives of isolation yes 14 days then needing to return to hospital for a few hours... another 14 days isolation! Being away from home / family for extended periods, not able to return home due to vulnerable relatives #OTalk



Sherlyn 🌟 @sherlynmelody

19 days ago

@KimStuartOT #otalk not too late. Keep scrolling - it's really interesting 😎



Hello my name is Jim @OT_Jim

19 days ago

@NolanRuffle @RCOT_OP It has the potential, I just find in my experience, it hasn't been used to it's full potential, also the lack of application from a strengths based approach will add a bias to the score #OTalk



Bethany ❤️ @BethjmOT

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#OTalk @OTalk_

19 days ago

#OTalk Q4

**Ka Yan Hess @KhessOT**

19 days ago

This is a really important question... what have we all seen? [#otalk](#)**Emma Keeling @emke**

19 days ago

[@RCOT_OP](#) I think there has been a shift in occupational balance which in turn has affected function [#OTalk](#)**RCOT Older People @RCOT_OP**

19 days ago

[@OT_Jim](#) [@NolanRuffle](#) Is it a systems issue of who takes responsibility to administer it? [#OTalk](#)**Ellen Martinez @ElmoSE24**

19 days ago

[@OT_Jim](#) [@NolanRuffle](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) I agree, if you follow the original Rockwood Frailty model then patients should have a Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment but in lots of settings the frailty scale is used as a tick-box exercise . What about the person and [#What](#) matters to me? [#OTalk](#)**Hello my name is Jim @OT_Jim**

19 days ago

[@RCOT_OP](#) [#OTalk](#) so again with the fragmentation of pathways and services, I don't think follow up is the right term. Services are rapidly handing over to convalesce beds or rehab at home. The process of Ax is restarted rather than progressed or followed up**Ka Yan Hess @KhessOT**

19 days ago

Again I am curious... is it the same or different before [#covid](#) or after, the kind of follow up that is provided? And does setting again okay play a role in this too ? [#otalk](#)**#HelloMyNameIs Sadie @ot_sadie**

19 days ago

[@OT_Jim](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) Quite difficult for me to judge against pre pandemic as I qualified during! It's definitely a question I'll be asking my colleagues though 😊 [#OTalk](#)**Sherlyn 🤔🌟 @sherlynmelody**

19 days ago

[@RCOT_OP](#) [#otalk](#) I'm not sure if they do follow up. I know they do a phone call called a 'welfare check' "Mr Bloggs said he was fine care package meeting needs - passed to locality team" Once they are back home the responsibility moves to - social care depending on need.**RCOT Older People @RCOT_OP**

19 days ago

[@emke](#) Can you expand on this? [#OTalk](#)**Dr Kim Stuart 💙💙💙 @KimStuartOT**

19 days ago

[@ElmoSE24](#) [@OT_Jim](#) [@NolanRuffle](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) Absolutely this [#otalk](#)**Hello my name is Jim @OT_Jim**

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[@RCOT_OP](#) [#OTalk](#) I'm still working with people from the pre Covid Dx cohort, they are still stuck in res homes awaiting the next phase etc. It is maddening to think, [#OTalk](#)**Dr Kim Stuart 💙💙💙 @KimStuartOT**

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[@sherlynmelody](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) Is there also a roll for digital follow-up with ICS level integration and



shared summary records, this should reduce variation and duplication. [#OTalk](#)



Hello my name is Jim @OT_Jim

19 days ago

[@RCOT_OP](#) [#OTalk](#) better integration of pathways, especially across health and social care. The sharing of good practices such as single handed care assessment. [#OTalk](#)



Dr Anita Atwal @anita_atwal

19 days ago

Is this from acute phase then this question should be how much therapy is available and for how long. Acute care OTs need to do more than just discharge planning with all frail patients



RCOT Older People @RCOT_OP

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[@OT_Jim](#) So the "follow up" as such is being picked up by another team? [#OTalk](#)



Dr Kim Stuart ❤️❤️❤️ [@KimStuartOT](#)

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[@OT_Jim](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) Is it integration or managing the grey areas between 🧑 one to ponder on for me [#otalk](#)



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[@RCOT_OP](#) [@NolanRuffle](#) [#OTalk](#) that has to be a factor,



#OTalk @OTalk

19 days ago

Wowzer, time has flown by this evening with only 5 minutes of the 'official' hour left.... What are your [#OTalk](#) take away thoughts? <https://t.co/t7C6GzJeX3>



Ellen Martinez @ElmoSE24

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[@OT_Jim](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) Earlier discharge from hospital is good, however D2A services are often only very short term and this pushes long term issues onto depleted community services [#OTalk](#)



Ka Yan Hess @KhessOT

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[#otalk](#) it has been wonderful tuning in this event. If you happen to be going to the [#rcotconference](#) the next two days and what to connect with [@RCOT_OP](#) I will be around and happy to chat!



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19 days ago

[@OTalk](#) Do not answer the door at 7.55pm to a neighbour 🧑 [#otalk](#)



Emma Keeling @emke

19 days ago

[@RCOT_OP](#) People have been isolated, stuck in their own environments, so not experiencing new things or social interactions so become more anxious about doing these activities. This leads to less confidence & reducing being risk adverse at home. That equals reduction in function [#OTalk](#)



RCOT Older People @RCOT_OP

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**Sherlyn** 🤔⭐ @sherlynmelody

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@KimStuartOT @RCOT_OP #otalk digital follow up? ICS? Shared summary records - 😂😂 we all work on different systems I never know what nhs/mental health are doing coz we all use different records 🙄 therefore duplication 🙄

**Dr Kim Stuart** 💙💙💙 @KimStuartOT

19 days ago

@ElmoSE24 @OT_Jim @RCOT_OP Do you think the UCR funding will help? #otalk

**Sherlyn** 🤔⭐ @sherlynmelody

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@RCOT_OP @OT_Jim #otalk I feel this is the case where I am.

**Ka Yan Hess** @KhessOT

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@OT_Jim @RCOT_OP 🤔🤔🤔 #otalk

**#OTalk** @OTalk

19 days ago

Well that was a very stimulating chat, thank you so much to @RCOT_OP for hosting this evening, and to the #OTalk community for making it so interesting. @Helen_OTUK signing off the account as I have another appointment. But thank you! <https://t.co/tu5l6NwGyg>

**OT_Expert** ✨🌈 #StopTheShock @OT_Expert

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@KhessOT @RCOT_OP #otalk I'll be there. Looking forward to seeing you 😊👋

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@KimStuartOT @OTalk_ 😂😂 #otalk

**RCOT Older People** @RCOT_OP

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It's been great to be involved in such a valuable discussion - seems to have raised a lot more questions. Perhaps one to take away as we say goodnight - how can we address some of the issues raised and how can our profession assist #ValueofOT #OTalk

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@RCOT_OP More like drop and pick up, follow up to me implies joint working or agreement. That hasn't been my experience, it's more crisis management than a flow. If that makes sense? #OTalk

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@KimStuartOT @RCOT_OP Definitely, but those grey areas are getting bigger.. **#OTalk****Sherlyn** 🤔🌟 @sherlynmelody

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@OTalk_ @RCOT_OP @Helen_OTUK Yes it was wonderful **#otalk****Dr Kim Stuart** 💙💙💙 @KimStuartOT

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@ElmoSE24 @OT_Jim @RCOT_OP The ageing well programme rolling out the urgent community response services nationally **#otalk****Laura NQOT** @Laura_Does

19 days ago

@KimStuartOT @sherlynmelody @RCOT_OP @DavidAttwood12 It appears we must move to Devon 😊 hopefully it makes headway everywhere soon! **#OTalk****Dr Kim Stuart** 💙💙💙 @KimStuartOT

19 days ago

@Laura_Does @sherlynmelody @RCOT_OP @DavidAttwood12 Oh if only! Wish list **#otalk****Sherlyn** 🤔🌟 @sherlynmelody

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@KheSSOT @RCOT_OP **#otalk** I will do 😊**Laura NQOT** @Laura_Does

19 days ago

@KimStuartOT @ElmoSE24 @OT_Jim @RCOT_OP I've not heard of this, is it something that acute OTs need to be aware to to refer to for hospital dc's? **#OTalk****Hello my name is Jim** @OT_Jim

19 days ago

@KimStuartOT @ElmoSE24 @RCOT_OP There is the counter question that do we need more or bigger teams? The funding will help, but it's the strategic use I would question. **#OTalk****Ed Sum Occupational Therapist** 🌈💙🇬🇧 @musedNeuroOT

19 days ago

@OT_Jim @KimStuartOT @RCOT_OP The more you look the more you notice differences... even within the same organisation **#OTalk**

within the same organisation [#OTalk](#)



Ellen Martinez [@ElmoSE24](#)

19 days ago

[@KimStuartOT](#) [@OT_Jim](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) Yes we have urgent community response services where we are which are good but reactive and focus on admission avoidance. We need to provide services in prevention and health promotion to prevent the crisis situation [#OTalk](#)



Sherlyn 🤔⭐ [@sherlynmelody](#)

19 days ago

[@Laura_Does](#) [@KimStuartOT](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) [@DavidAttwood12](#) Oh my sister lives there very hilly I must say. It did occur to me that if you got too frail down there you would need a stairlift to get to your front door 🙄 [#otalk](#)



Dr Kim Stuart 💙💙💙 [@KimStuartOT](#)

19 days ago

[@anita_atwal](#) How long have you got for that one, feels like an unanswerable quest 🙄 I would say (frailty delivery hat on here) that there is recognition all professions can assess frailty. For me though it so what, the next step is vital, what does it mean. what's the personalised plan [#otalk](#)



Hello my name is Jim [@OT_Jim](#)

19 days ago

[@RCOT_OP](#) [#OTalk](#) great chat thank you.



Dr Kim Stuart 💙💙💙 [@KimStuartOT](#)

19 days ago

[@ElmoSE24](#) [@OT_Jim](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) That's so true and conversation we have been leading forward in the system I work in. [#otalk](#)



Allison Sullivan [@_allisulli](#)

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Dr Kim Stuart 💙💙💙 [@KimStuartOT](#)

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[@musedNeuroOT](#) [@OT_Jim](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) That is why occupational therapist make fabulous system leaders [#otalk](#)



Laura NQOT [@Laura_Does](#)

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Great first chat back with [#OTalk](#) - ts been a while! Thank you [@OTalk](#) and [@RCOT_OP](#) for hosting 😊 You know anything about older people's care will reel me back in! [#OTalk](#) Looking forward to the Big Conversation on 8th July, too! <https://t.co/QIRWpovN4a>



Dr Naomi Gallant [@naomi_gallant](#)

19 days ago

[@KimStuartOT](#) [@OT_Jim](#) [@NolanRuffle](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) Yes!! OTs have so much to offer in leading these approaches and decisions making in the MDT! [#OTalk](#)



RCOT Older People [@RCOT_OP](#)

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[@Laura_Does](#) [@ElmoSE24](#) [@OT_Jim](#) [@RCOT_OP](#) It is indeed, should be an integrated delivery model. Check the ageing well platform. If you are NHS you can request join. Also keep a look out for NHS elect webinars [#cpd](#) [#otalk](#)

**RCOT Older People @RCOT_OP**

19 days ago

Great to see the conversation carrying on - signing off for the night! Keep chatting and changing the world piece by piece! #OTalk <https://t.co/F7Yw4UesTh>

**Nicola Oakley @noakleyOT**

19 days ago

RT @RCOT_OP: Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment is such an important tool #OTalk

**Bethany Bate @bethany_bate1**

19 days ago

@RCOT_OP In our team we use the the Rockwood Clinical Frailty Scale with every single patient as part of our initial assessment. Although it's not perfect it gives everyone a nudge to acknowledge frailty syndromes. #OTalk

**Katrina Baldry @KatrinaBaldryOT**

19 days ago

@RCOT_OP Great #OTalk...observed from the sidelines tonight as it's been a bit of a day 😭 LOVE the #OT / #AHP community on here and the ability to constantly learn and reflect ❤️

**Laura NQOT @Laura_Does**

19 days ago

@KimStuartOT @ElmoSE24 @OT_Jim @RCOT_OP Ah brilliant, will do. Thank you :) #OTalk

**Laura NQOT @Laura_Does**

19 days ago

@KhesOT @RCOT_OP Missed this tweet amongst all the others, sorry. I'm not sure if it is used as an outcome measure officially, but it can be used as a guide to see improvement /worsening of ability. Like @OT_Jim said it's not really 'OT'. It's main aim is to identify frailty for further ax #OTalk

**Kirstie @Kirstie_OT**

19 days ago

@Keirwales Usually when conference is in person you have people travelling & arriving the day/night before & tweeting along the way. We #OTalk gang usually arrange a dinner 4 people to meet up & get 2 know each other ahead of the few days as well. None of that lead up with virtual #RCOT2021

**Helen Cartwright @HellsHellsbells**

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RT @RCOT_OP: Lovely to see people tuning in for our #OTalk about working with older people through Covid-19!

**#OTalk @OTalk**

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**Kelly M @OTontheTracks**

19 days ago

Def missing the face to face social build up to conference this year... But some interesting sessions on the programme so will be joining from the sofa with snacks this year. #RCOT2021

**Kirstie @Kirstie_OT**

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Looking for a unique CPD opportunity? Look no further! Why not host an #OTalk chat on a topic of interest? Gather views, learn from our community or share some recent learning. Lots of options. Get in touch to find out more. #ValueofOT #RCOT2021 #CPD

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**Ruth Hawley @Ruth_Hawley**

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Been considering hosting an #OTalk but not yet been in touch?.... Do it now as there are spaces available for July and August. 😊 It's a fun and enjoyable way to generate momentum and discussion on an area of passion to you so why not give it a go?

**Becky Keating @BeckyKeating2**

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**LecturerMish 🇬🇧 🇪🇺 🇬🇧 She/Her @LecturerMish**

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**Dr Kim Stuart 💙💙💙 @KimStuartOT**

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Those that took part in #otalk #olderpeople last night this thread resonates of why my mindset is so hopeful @DavidAttwood12 insight into possibilities #integration and new post to lead

**Carolina C 🌈 @colourful_ot**

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**Ms Rachel Booth 💚 @OT_rach**

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Dee @OTinretirement

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Cheryl Davies @CherylDavies22

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RT @NolanRuffle: #OTalk 29th June 2021 – Working with older people through Covid-19 – OTalk <https://t.co/XnZwj6G9W4>



Dr Naomi Gallant @naomi_gallant

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@OT_Jim @RCOT_OP Sounds like a good suggestion is that true follow up is implemented rather than drop and pick up from another service? #OTalk



Hello my name is Jim @OT_Jim

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@naomi_gallant @RCOT_OP #OTalk I love the idea of a formulaic approach, the assessment starts in the community ➡ flows into acute ➡ flows back into the community. One continuous living formulation @dr_robbrooks @MOHOSpark recent book may be influencing me a bit 😊



Dr Naomi Gallant @naomi_gallant

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@OT_Jim @RCOT_OP @dr_robbrooks @MOHOSpark That would be great, needs to move from conceptual to what it practically looks like, particularly in urgent care areas - lots of work needed to build communication and relationships between inpatient and community services. What is the book? #OTalk



Hannah Spencer @hspenceruk

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@naomi_gallant @RCOT_OP @dr_robbrooks @MOHOSpark Definitely agree the repairing of the communication between services is a priority to progress from the conceptual to practical #OTalk <https://t.co/8A4jW9uCGi>



OfficialCAHPR @OfficialCAHPR

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**#HelloMyNamels Sadie @ot_sadie**

18 days ago

#RCOT2021 interesting plenary from @SallySingh_ regarding Post COVID effects on cognition and mental health. Relevant to @OTalk_ last night **#OTalk** <https://t.co/svMNjA8klz>

**RCOT Older People @RCOT_OP**

18 days ago

Really timely to be listening to the Leeds post **#COVID-19** rehabilitation pathway after our chat on **#otalk** last night. Who else is there from last night? **#rcot2021**

**Professional Adviser Gen @RCOT_Gen**

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NELFT AHP @NELFT_AHP

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