MANCHESTER NEEDS TOOL FOR INJURED CHILDREN (AND YOUNG PEOPLE) (MAntic)



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Why measure needs?



- World Health Organisation Rehabilitation 2030 Call to action.
- "to draw attention to the increasing unmet needs for rehabilitation throughout the world";
- "to highlight the role of rehabilitation in achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) proposed by the United Nations"
- "to call for coordinated and concerted global action towards strengthening rehabilitation in health systems"
- Availability of robust evidence for rehabilitation.



Unmet rehabilitation needs in Children's trauma



Acute Rehabilitation

- Service specification
- Major Trauma standards
- Rehabilitation Prescription
- Rehabilitation & Trauma Co-ordinators



Community Services

- Inadequate, inequitable, inaccessible, delayed
- Short LOS needs develop after hospital
- ??Monitoring





Patient
Reported
Outcome
Measure
(PROM)

Patient Reported Needs Measure

Methodology of their development is the same

Patient
Reported
Experience
Measure
(PREM)



MANTIC Development Gold standard methodology



Co-production with injured children & families

STAGE 1: Validity

Interviews with injured children and parents

(Generate MANTIC questions)

STAGE 2:

Interviews with parents to test questions

(Test questions: clear/easy to understand)

STAGE 3:

Completion of questionnaire by target population

(144)

(test if feasible & acceptable)

STAGE 4:

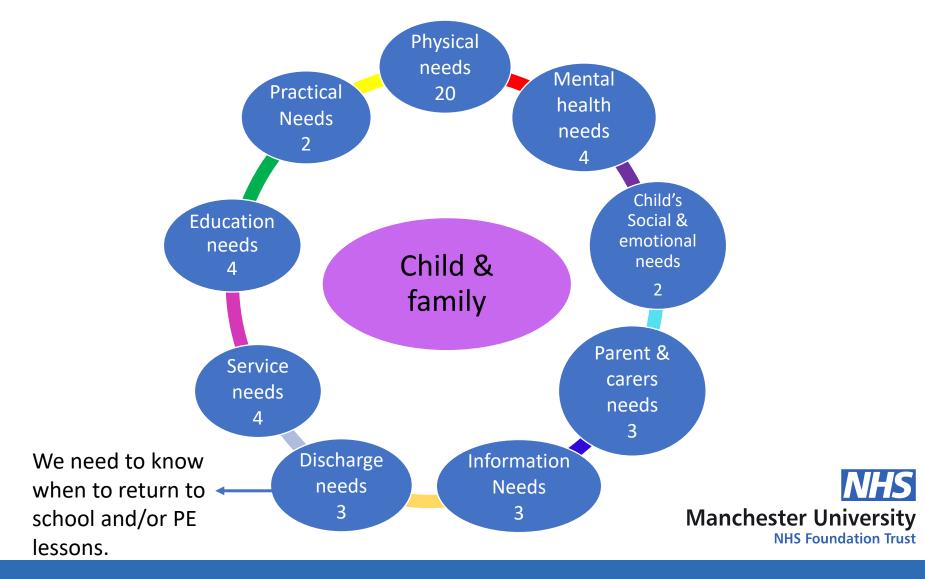
Psychometric analysis!!!

(Statistical tests to determine most important questions to keep for the final MANTIC)

Patient and public involvement



Mantic: Measure the 'holistic' needs of the child and family (9 dimensions of need)



Mantic completion: Format

A2. We need advice about managing pain, comfort and/or headaches.					
Strongly	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Not applicable	
disagree					

For each statement, please circle/tick the word which best describes your needs at the moment.

Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree)	Strongly agree	Not applicable

- 5 Point Likert scale
- No neutral response
- Forces an answer (avoids defaulting to neutral response)
- Source frustration
- Consistent format



Mantic completion: how?

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disagree					

For each statement, please circle/tick the word which best describes your needs at the moment.

Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Not applicable

- Circle or tick
- N/A: to ensure can be used for all injuries
- N/A scored zero
- Strong disagree- strongly agree scored 1 to 4
- Higher score stronger need

Mantic completion: who?



(Parent/Guardian and child/young person)

Parent only

Child unable (Severe injuries)

Too young

Child (with parents consent)

Sufficient comprehension/age



Mantic completion: who?

Majority of questions framed as **WE**

A5. We need support to identify a	alternative activities, whilst activities are restricted.
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Strongly	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Not applicable
disagree				

Emotional questions differentiate between parent/carer

D1. I (parent/carer) need help for mental health problems (e.g. anxiety, panic attacks, post-traumatic stress disorder, flashbacks, low mood).

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree	Not applicable
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D2. I (child/young person) need help for mental health problems (e.g. anxiety, panic attacks, post-traumatic stress disorder, flashbacks, low mood).

Strongly disagree Disagree Agree Strongly agree Not applicable



Mantic completion: who?

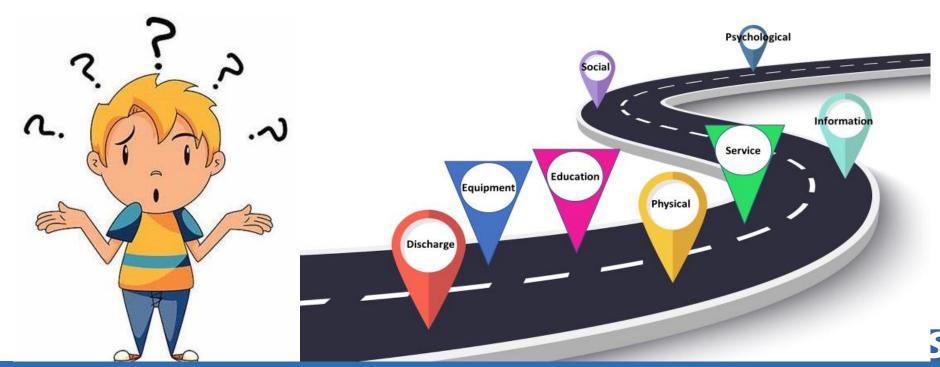
- Children/infants aged 2-16 years
- Any type of major trauma injury (Questions designed to cover all injuries)
- Isolated injury
- Multiple injuries





Mantic completion: when?

- At any point in the child's recovery
- Once hospital discharge discussed & throughout recovery
- How frequently? (optimal points for data collection)



Mantic: where?



Hospital inpatient



Follow up in the community



Outpatient clinic visits

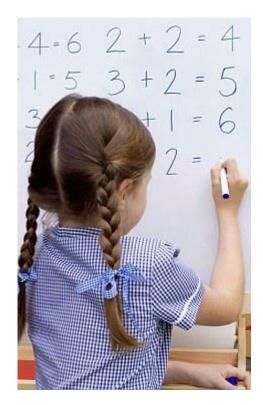


Post? (??explanation and follow up)



Mantic completion: scoring?

- Not intended to be summated (total score) to provide an indication of the overall severity of the need
- Identify needs (type and frequency)
- Complete individual sections





How will the MANTIC help patients?

- Holistic assessment (throughout recovery)
- Helps patients to think about their needs
- Self Report: strengthens patient voice
- Ask for help
- Monitor needs throughout recovery
- Timely signposting to services
- Basis for shared decision making



How will the MANTIC help rehabilitation professionals & services?

- Address gap in evidence (post acute/longer term data)
- Gap analysis
- More targeted use of resources
- Identify services which need further development
- Remodelling of rehabilitation
- Critical timeframes to assess needs
- Your ideas?





Mantic: where to find it?

- Clinical Rehabilitation (Open access)
- https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/36
 872874/
- Supplementary material



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