The Facts

Each and Every Need
Transition to Adult Services

27.4% patients were in transition or had transitioned who had a transition plan.

Transition takes longer for young people with cerebral palsy than for those without.

A third of organisations providing paediatric inpatient care had a written transition protocol.

Variation in age definitions of child, adolescent/young person and adult.

Poor evidence of documentation of inclusion of patients in discussions and decision-making.

Where the care of adolescents occurred:
- 79 in paediatric pathway
- 28 in adult pathway
- 21 in specific adolescent pathway

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