

# Library in-a-box



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## aims

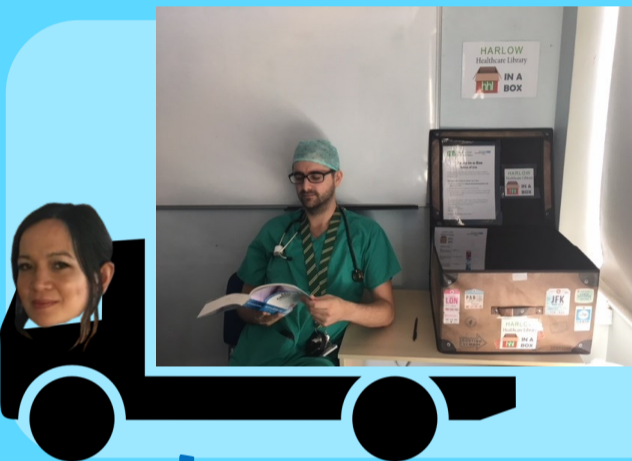
The aim was to help staff who find it difficult to get to the library because of their working patterns and location. The library-in-a-box service was developed to provide immediate access to the content of current and relevant books at staff's convenience.

Important factors are the level of our stock, the cost of the resources, and the availability of a suitable space for the book box.



## delivery

We provide this service currently to two different departments which are Critical Care and Quality First. Each department receives a collection of 10 books that is delivered and set up in an allocated space. Books are kept within their department.



## route

Every 2 to 3 months, we replace the current collection with new, refreshed contents, which can also include previous books if by popular demand. This is a great way of making use of our available resources. We also like receiving feedback and recommendations which helps point us in the right direction.



*"The library-in-a-box is a wonderfully engaging way to bring the library to the people. With this initiative, the library team are better empowering us with knowledge, insight and an evidence-base to inform the changes we want to achieve for benefit of our patients, people, performance, places and pounds."*

**Robert Ayers**

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