

Week 3

The patient view of multidisciplinary care

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Start by watching this short video introduction from Sally Mercer, which outlines the focus of this week's learning.

Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hhCRbAl169o>

Recommended reading

People receiving health and social care want safe, effective and reliable support that reflects their individual needs, values and preferences. Person centred care places the individual at the heart of decision making, working in partnership with professionals, carers and family members where appropriate.

People living with MND can provide valuable insight into how effectively services and MDTs are working in practice, and where care and communication could be improved.

Essential reading

If you read one resource this week, make it: [Understanding my needs. MND Association](#)

Further reading

If you would like to explore the topic further, the following resources may also be useful:

- [How to deliver high quality, patient centred, cost effective care: consensus solutions from the voluntary sector](#)
- [What is person centred care and why is it important?](#)
- [Person centred care – Health Education England](#)
- [From symptom onset to a diagnosis of ALS/MND: experiences of people with ALS/MND and family carers – a qualitative study \(paywalled article\)](#)
- [Motor neurone disease family carers' experiences of caring, palliative care and bereavement: an exploratory qualitative study \(paywalled article\)](#)