



What I do in my job?

I champion the collaborative approach – knowing that “people” must communicate effectively in order to get “healthcare systems” communicating efficiently. I love learning, testing, deploying, maintaining and managing data across the country, for a myriad of healthcare applications that provide patient related information in the right format, at the right time to the right people.

Motivation:

I love a challenge and implementing digital change to improve patient management and care is challenging – it’s not a quick fix. Mark Twain got it right when he said “Continuous improvement is better than delayed perfection”. Continuous improvement makes it all worthwhile.

Advice to women thinking of a career in health service:

Ask yourself **why** you want to get involved in the health service? If it’s for external gains only, then rethink it – your internal gains are much more important; things like loving what you do, being happy and feeling valued at work.

Outside of work I am a Daughter, Sister, Wife, Mum, Aunt and Grandma. A proud Donegal woman who can’t believe some of you think that we have trains in Donegal! If you can find a way up here, you’ll see that apart from trains, we really do have it all in Donegal.

