CEC6 – feedback from discussions - What new activities/services could you easily implement in your libraries?

- Publication standards checklist (used by Public Health England). Librarian is crucial to critiquing search strategies before any manuscript is sent for publication.
- Could create leaflets (webpages) with links to PRISMA checklist, and other reporting guidelines (EQUATOR).
- Influence the influencers: find a champion who can encourage other researchers to report better, use reporting guidelines, use librarians to improve the work to begin with.
- Network: who is doing the research? Contact them to raise awareness of reporting guidelines, perhaps suggest a publications standard checklist for your own institution.
- Pre-fill PRISMA checklist and/or flowchart: raise awareness of the whole PRISMA checklist by providing a partial complete checklist and flowchart with the results of any search you do.
- Use EQUATOR Librarian network to find out what other librarians are doing, as well as get tips for what you/I can do http://www.equator-network.org/librarians/#librarians.
- Expand the Reference interview for systematic review searches to include advocacy of use of reporting guidelines.
- Consider whether a systematic review is most appropriate
  - http://eahil.eu/events/webinars/ 50 shades of review (EAHIL CPD webinar)
  - Caroline de Brun to provide link to Andrew Booth’s table of “review vs time vs number of database”
- Consider role of research ethics committees, and how we might support their scope to enforce better reporting.
- Incorporate more evidence into discussion/teaching/websites, eg
  - Papers that evidence the consequences of poor reporting.
  - Papers that evidence benefits of librarian involvement/co-authorship.
  - for both see our reading list: http://tinyurl.com/reporting-reading-list.
- Consider commenting on published papers via