Narrative-Based Inter-Professional / Interdisciplinary Training Template: The Platform for Instructed Path-focused Progress and Analysis (PIPPA)

Following the success of the award-winning Total Pain module (Hall & al. 2009) (http://dancingword.wordpress.com/2009/04/16/alan-blizzard-award-2009/) developed on sound andragogical and social networking principles, we were approached to create a re-usable template based on structure of their work. The web-based template created, has been designed as a re-useable framework, ready for others to populate it with their own narrative-based learning material, best suited for inter-professional interdisciplinary education. This interactive Drupal-based template allows educators, even with little technical skills, the ability to build their own modules and use their own narratives in different learning scenarios. The anticipate that the template may be of value for any number of disciplines, as it is flexible and offers customization options in storytelling, content access and collaboration; all of which, in the end, can either create a very simple or very complex learning resource.