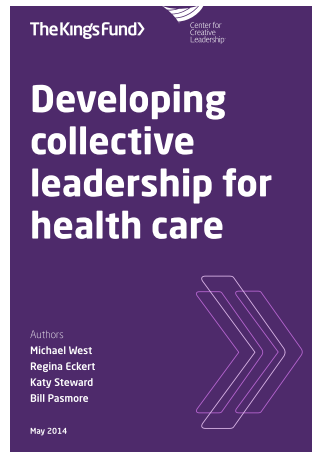
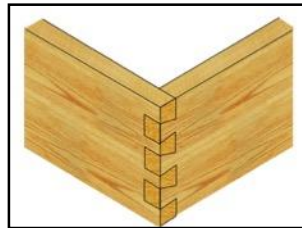
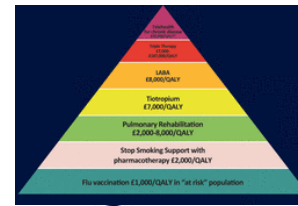


# Using 'value' & collective clinical leadership to change what we do in respiratory care

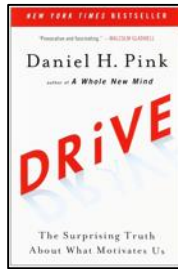


Dr Louise Restrict  
integrated consultant respiratory physician  
Whittington Health & Islington CCG  
London Respiratory Network 2010-16  
London Senate Helping Smokers Quit Programme 2014-16\*



# What makes me 'tick' as a (respiratory) clinician?

## Motivation and Values



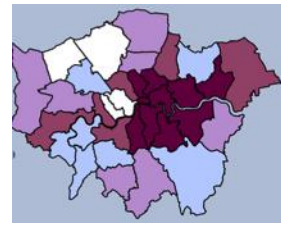
- ✓ Delivering best outcomes possible for 'my' patients\*
- ✓ Improving outcomes for 'my' patients\*
- ✓ Affirmation from patients and families
- ✓ Peer opinion and respect
- ✓ Quality of days & being well
- ✓ Learning and using (new) skills
  - treating tobacco dependence
  - evidence-based conversations:
  - shared decision making & behaviour change
- ✓ New challenges?

Autonomy, mastery and  
purpose ...



\* 'Under **my** care' ...local population/all patients ... with respiratory disease

# What are the needs of Londoners admitted to hospital with respiratory illnesses?



- Tobacco dependent
- Multi-morbidity and poly-pharmacy
- Mix of physical & mental illnesses including
  - Drug and alcohol dependence
  - Diagnosed and undiagnosed dementia
  - Morbid obesity
- Difficult life situations including
  - Alone, homeless & from prison
- Specific communication needs
  - Learning Disabilities
  - Not able to speak or understand English
  - Not able to read
- **High risk of premature mortality**



Low health literacy  
Low mastery & activation



# What respiratory patients and families in London tell us about their needs

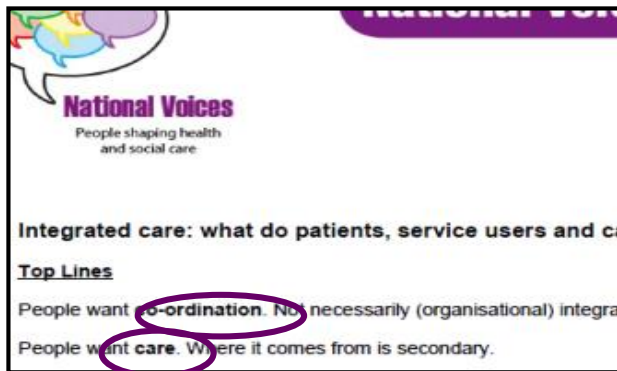


It's 1:30am in the morning and I am alone  
Sitting on the edge of my bed, cold but unable to lie down  
It's getting harder to breathe.  
My mind is trying hard to keep calm, but I am stiff with anxiety  
Shall I call for an ambulance? NO.

'I don't want to die'

'breathlessness is **frightening** and disabling'

'hospitals & GP teams don't talk to each other enough'



'I want 'better' conversations with those involved in my care'

<http://www.nationalvoices.org.uk/realising-value-person-centred-care>

<https://www.blf.org.uk/your-stories/copd-affects-every-part-of-my-daily-living>

# Addressing what patients want us to change: key challenges & enablers



How are we going to:

- Delay death
- Improve the experience of living with breathlessness?
- Have conversations that 'work' better for patients
- 'Make' care feel more joined up to those experiencing it

We need to work out what are the 'right' things to do

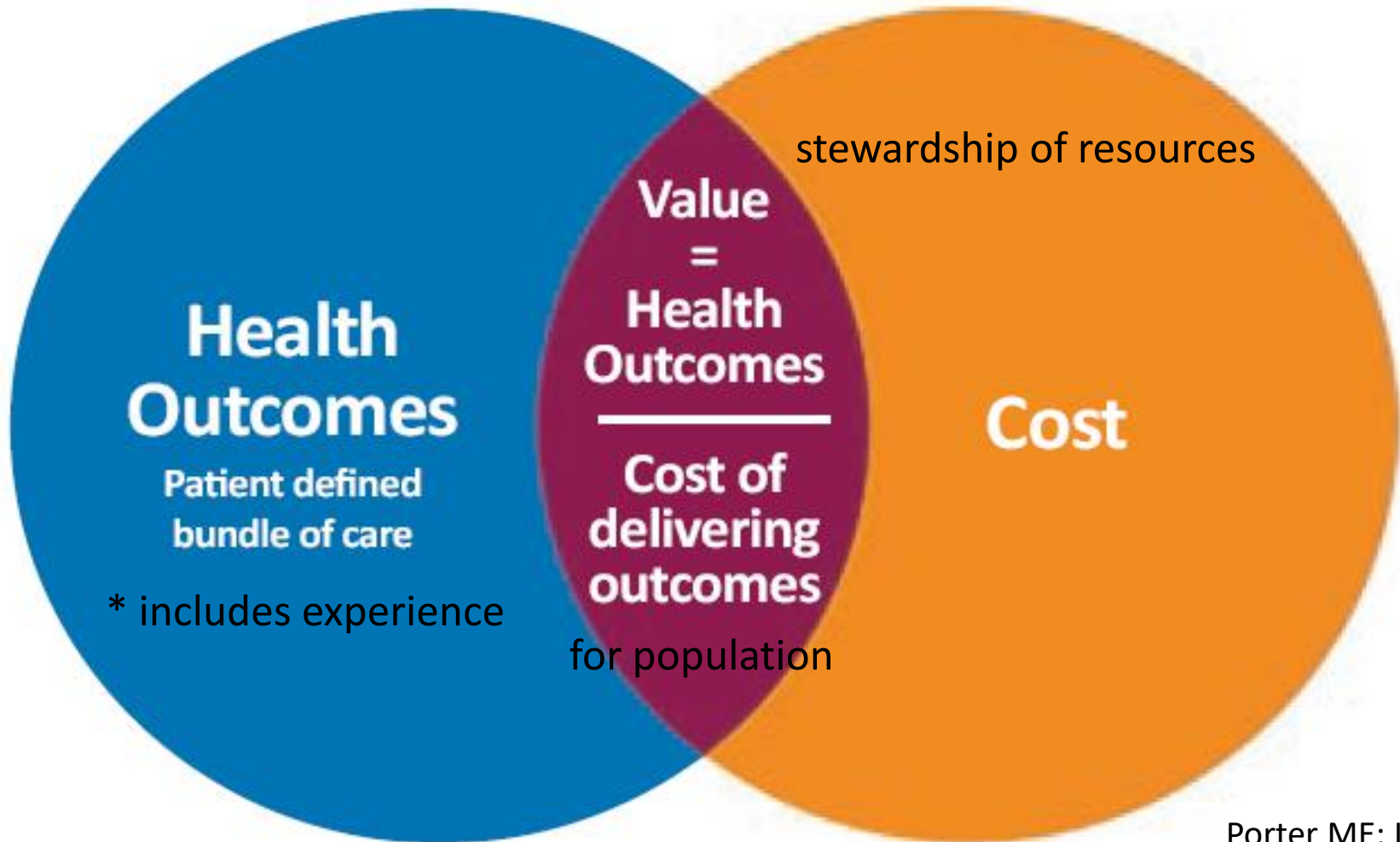
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Use systems to make doing the 'right' things easier

Integrated Care and Collective Clinical leadership



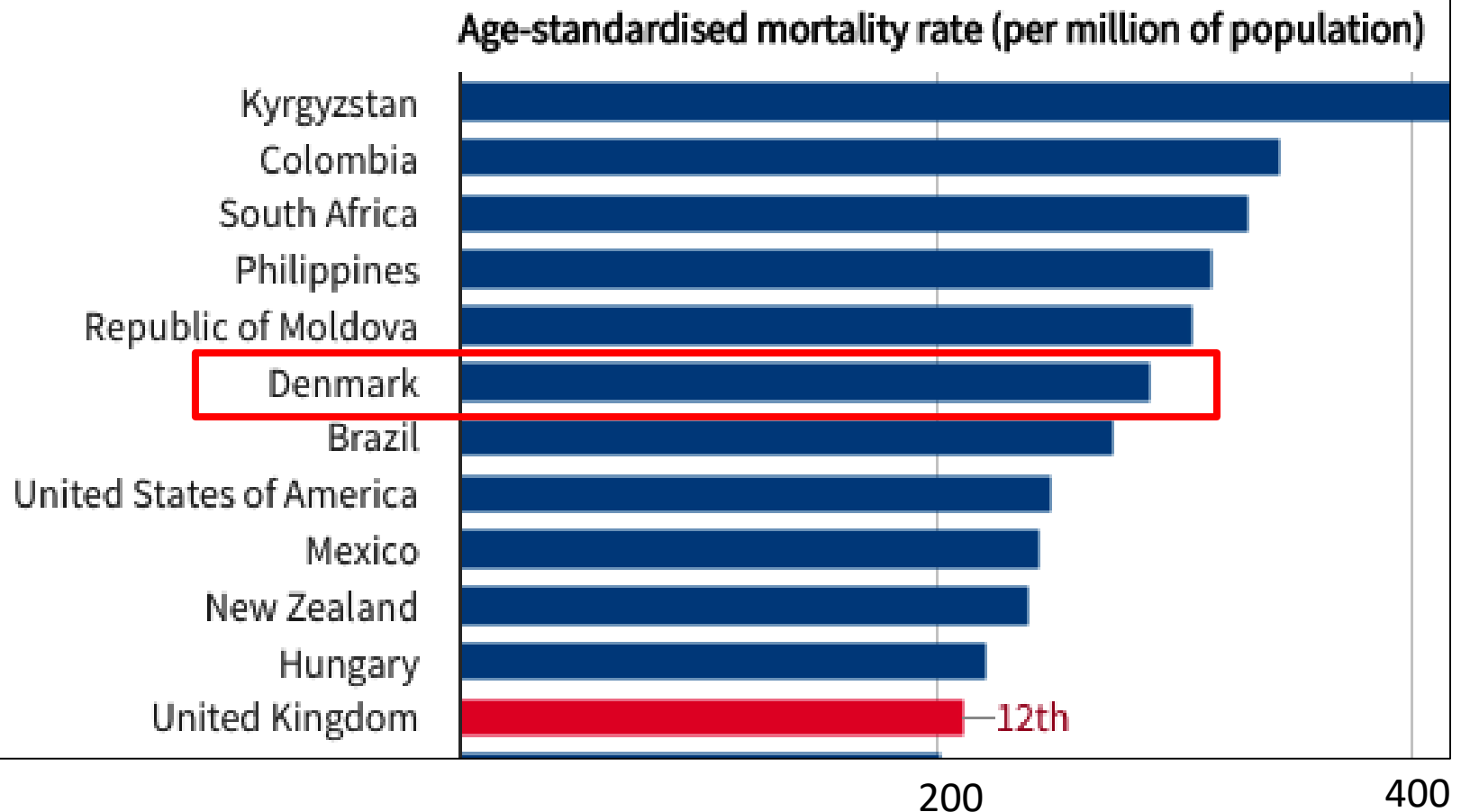
# Working out the 'right' things to do: using a Value framework



Porter ME; Lee TH  
**NEJM** 2010;363:2477-2481; 2481-2483

# Why might using a 'value-based' approach be useful in COPD?: 'I don't want to die'

Number of COPD deaths per million per year by country, 2001–10



# Why might using a 'value-based' approach be useful in COPD?



Common disease caused by smoking  
Patients die from it & often 'young'  
High costs to patients & society  
Causes disabling breathlessness  
Causes respiratory failure  
Frightening for patients & families  
Variation in treatments offered  
Variation in outcomes ...

COPD increasingly  
described as  
'young frailty'...

COPD  
=  
**Can Only Plan Daily**

1.2 million people in the UK living with diagnosed COPD  
30,000 deaths due to COPD each year

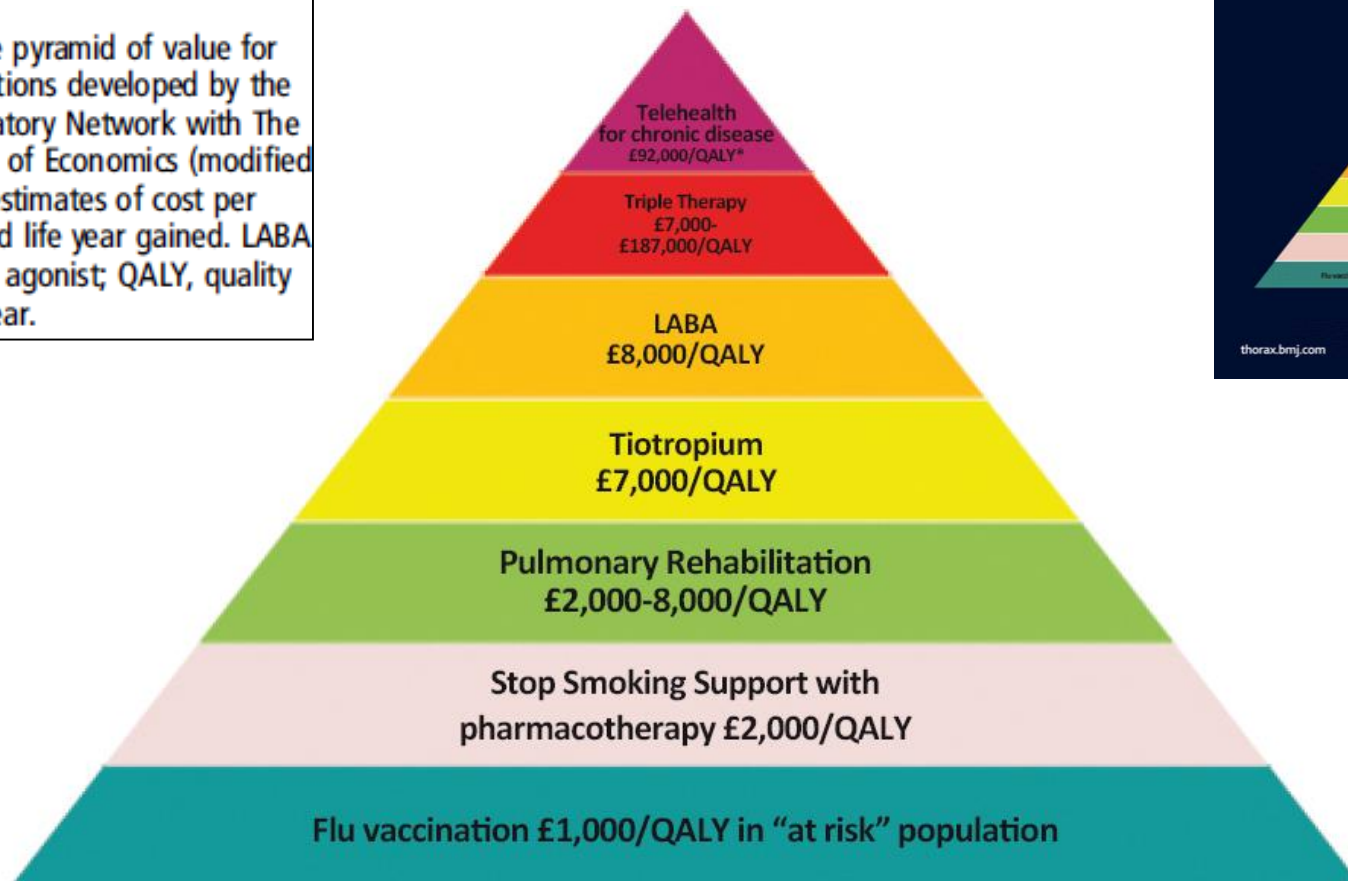


# What is High Value Respiratory Care?

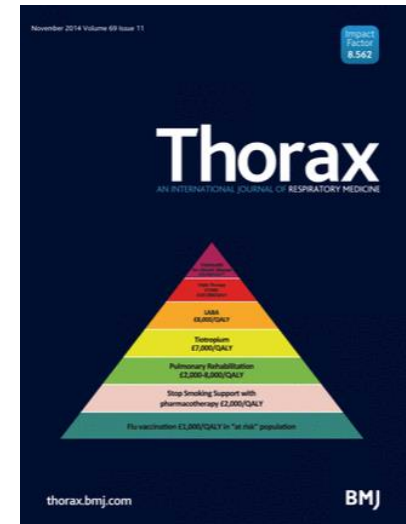
## COPD 'Value' Pyramid 2011-

### Editorial

**Figure 1** The pyramid of value for COPD interventions developed by the London Respiratory Network with The London School of Economics (modified from<sup>19</sup>) gives estimates of cost per quality adjusted life year gained. LABA, long-acting  $\beta_2$  agonist; QALY, quality adjusted life year.

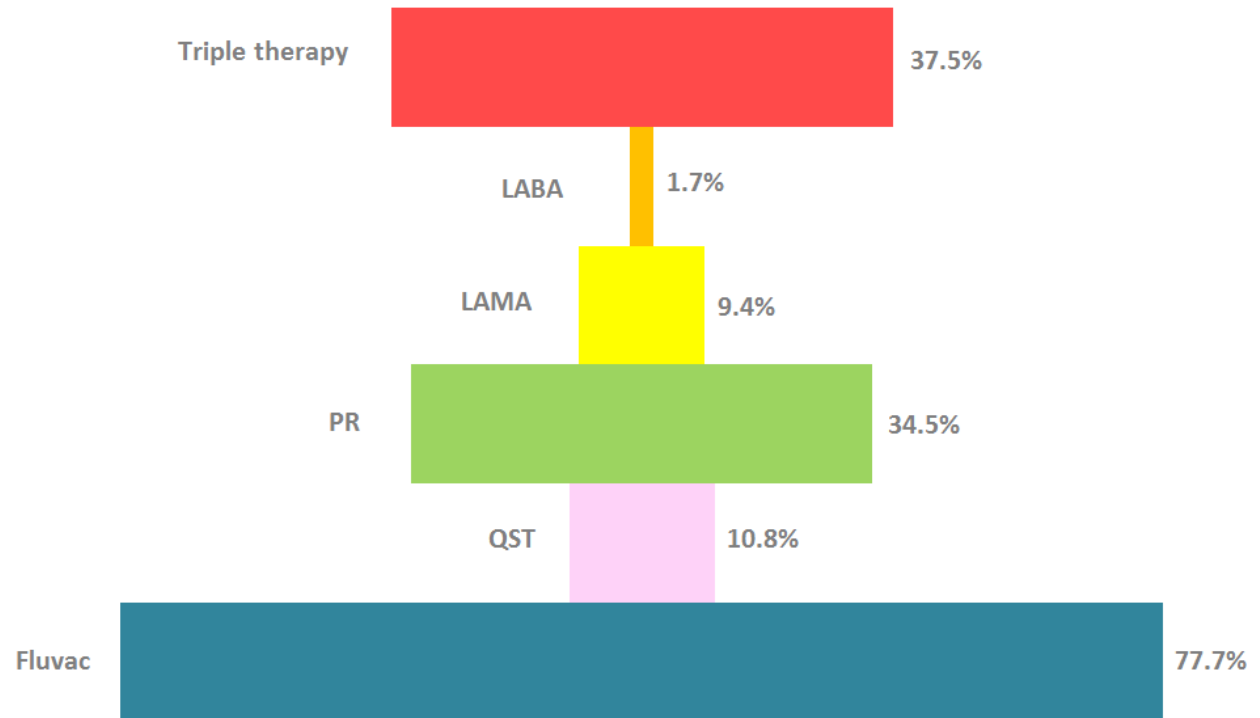


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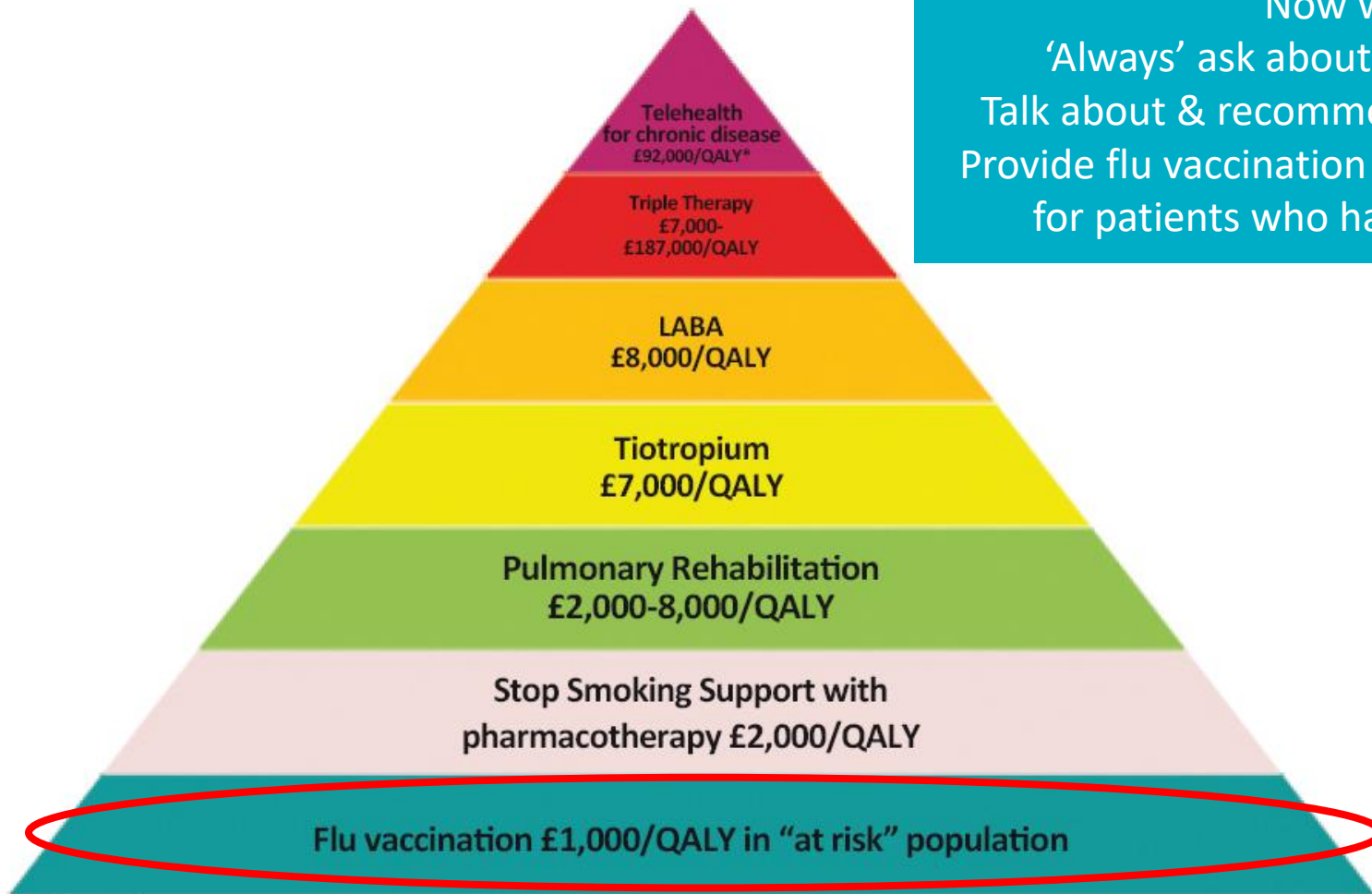
# High value interventions in COPD

## Are we delivering them?



The value pyramid providing a representation of the proportion of people who were receiving value-based interventions for COPD in **Wales** in 2014-15.

# Using the COPD 'Value' Pyramid to start to think about relative value .... Flu vaccination



Now we:

'Always' ask about flu vaccination  
Talk about & recommend flu vaccination  
Provide flu vaccination in clinics & on ward  
for patients who have 'missed' out

\*(not specific to COPD)

# Staff influenza vaccination: Beliefs, behaviours and variation

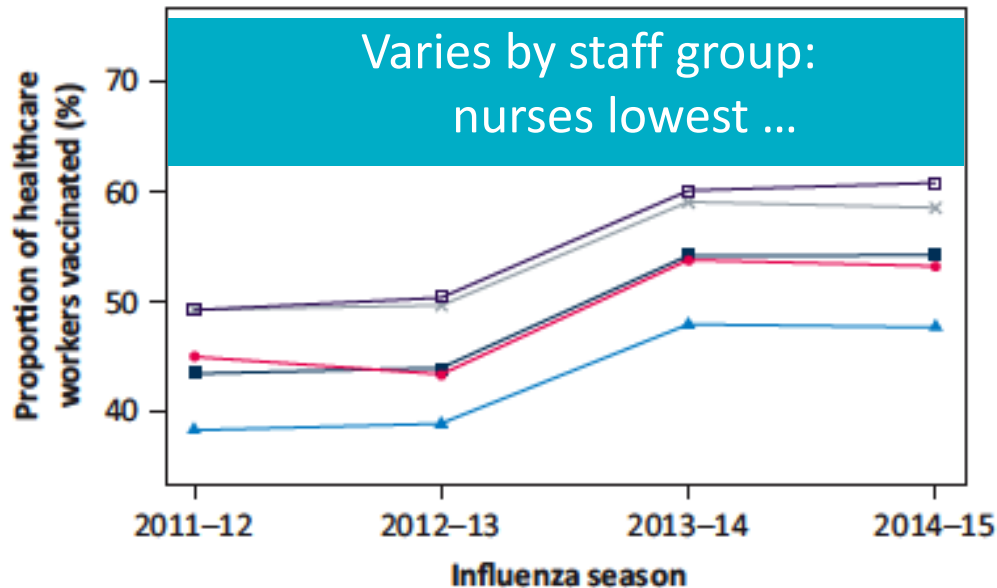


Fig 1. Trends in influenza vaccine uptake across the 2011-12, 2012-13, 2013-14 and 2014-15 influenza seasons. Results represented for each

‘... recent publication\* suggesting that a 10% increase in staff vaccination reduces healthcare worker sickness absence by about 10%.’

6 Respiratory epidemiology

BMJ Open  
Respiratory  
Research

### Influenza vaccination for NHS staff: attitudes and uptake

Dinesh Shrikrishna,<sup>1</sup> Siân Williams,<sup>2</sup> Louise Restrick,<sup>3</sup> Nicholas S Hopkinson<sup>4</sup>

Varies by NHS Trust:  
36% to 86%



# Whittington staff flu vaccination leadership: Sharing values and value ...



Keeping patients safe from harm and using our resources effectively



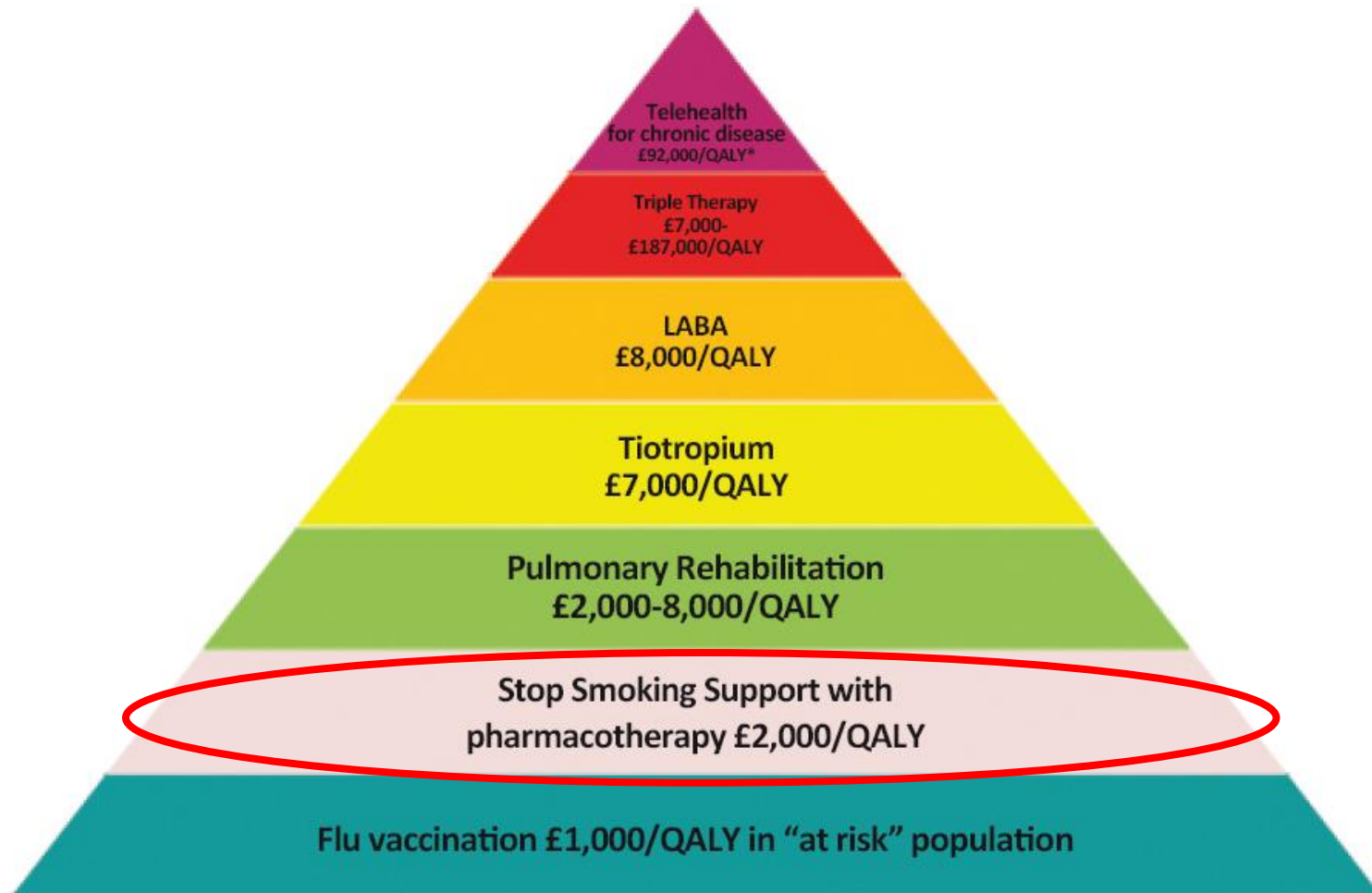
We expect all staff (& students) who work on our respiratory ward and all staff who work with respiratory patients to have and have had flu **vaccination every year**

We ask new staff at interview 'do you have flu vaccination every year?'

All medical students get 'free' flu vaccination.



# Using the COPD 'Value' Pyramid to start to think about ... smoking differently



\*(not specific to COPD)



# What does smoking have to do with hospital admission?

**Table 1** Smoking status by speciality, adjusted ORs relative to patients not treated, and estimated number of national FCEs for patients aged 15+ in England in 2010/2011 in current and ex-smokers (ranked by % current smokers)

Speciality	Number of patients in study dataset	% current smokers	% ex smokers	Adjusted OR for current smoking, 95% CI, p value*	Total number of FCEs in patients aged 15+†	Number of episodes where patient current smoker‡	Number of episodes where patient ex-smoker§
Not admitted	469 971	14.7	19.8	<p>Smoking responsible for ~500 000 adult admissions &gt;1 million smokers treated in hospital 2.6 million episodes of care</p>			
Admitted	80 007	17.0	30.2				
Adult mental illness	472	51.7	10.6				
Neurology	435	23.2	28.0				
Oral surgery	1501	22.3	20.7				
Thoracic medicine	1178	21.9	37.4				

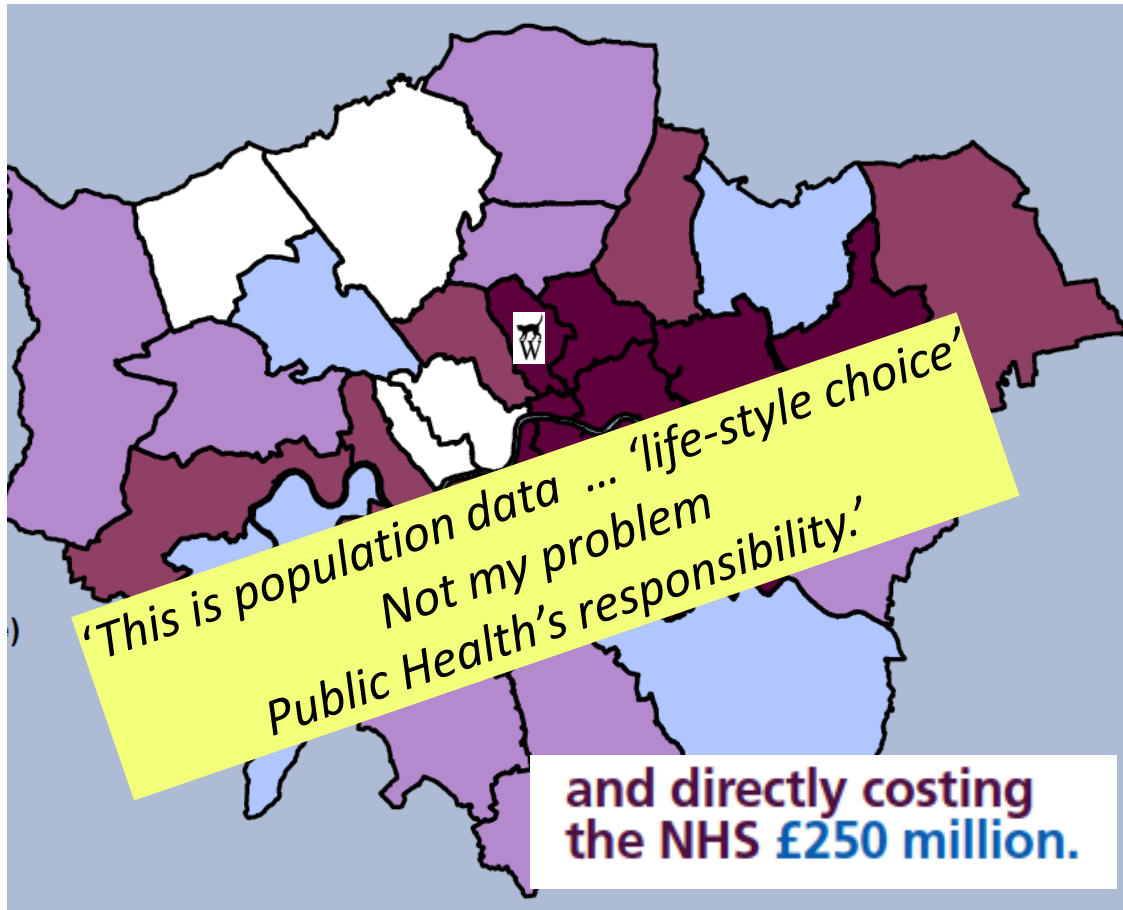
40% people admitted with COPD in England remain tobacco dependent  
Unchanged over 10 years

NB Smoking status:  
Known in only 74% of admitted patients - from GP data!

# Londoners' dying from smoking



1,125,000 smokers in London and smoking causes 8,175 deaths/year\*



## Legend

Local authority area

Rate per 100,000 population  
(directly age-standardised)  
aged over 35 years, 2006-2008  
by national quintiles

118.72 to 156.38 (best quintile)
156.39 to 177.27
177.28 to 203.48
203.49 to 243.13
243.14 to 360.28 (worst quintile)

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**'1 in 5 deaths due to smoking'**

\*London Senate Helping Smokers Quit Programme Report 2016

Tobacco dependency is a long term and relapsing condition that usually starts in childhood; treating it is the highest value intervention for today's NHS and Public Health system, saving and increasing healthy lives at an affordable cost.

# Changing how we think about smoking

‘Smoking’ is tobacco/nicotine dependence

**Tobacco dependence** is a relapsing, remitting long-term condition that starts in childhood

We have evidence-based treatment - ‘smoking cessation’

As a clinician ....

My key roles and responsibilities are diagnosis and treatment  
I diagnose and treat other addictions/dependence eg alcohol  
I ‘look after’ many patients who are sick because of smoking and are tobacco dependent

It is therefore my responsibility as a clinician to diagnose and treat tobacco dependence in every patient I see

**HELPING SMOKERS QUIT**  
Adding value to every clinical contact by treating tobacco dependence

**Why and how to prescribe varenicline in hospital**  
Helping smokers quit in hospital: safe and effective treatment of tobacco dependence

Who is this information for?

Hospital doctors who are prescribers (doctors and independent prescribers - pharmacists and others) and are involved in the delivery of care to people who are smokers, i.e. tobacco dependent, but who do not have much experience of prescribing varenicline as a smoking cessation medication.

Why has it been provided?

Doctors often raise a number of concerns about varenicline that make them cautious about prescribing. This is accompanied by varenicline prescribing heavily being the responsibility of varenicline prescribing specialists. Therefore many doctors have not been trained, and do not have experience, in prescribing varenicline for tobacco cessation therapy.

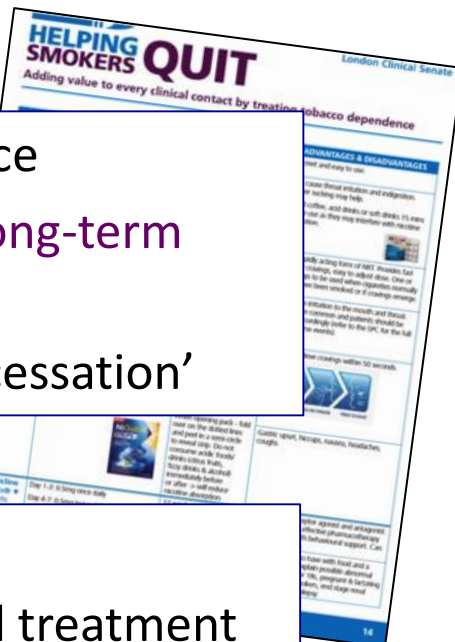
What are some of the common clinical concerns about prescribing varenicline?

- I see patients who smoke who have mental health problems. Is it safe in this population? Will adverse effects increase their length of stay?
- Can people really make the decision to quit smoking and tolerate these varenicline when they are in hospital?
- Patients in hospital cannot smoke - are hospital and ground smoke free - so how can we prescribe varenicline when the product recommendation is that people should smoke at the first week of the starter pack and into the second week (their second quit date)?

**The expired carbon monoxide (CO) test**  
Guidance for health professionals

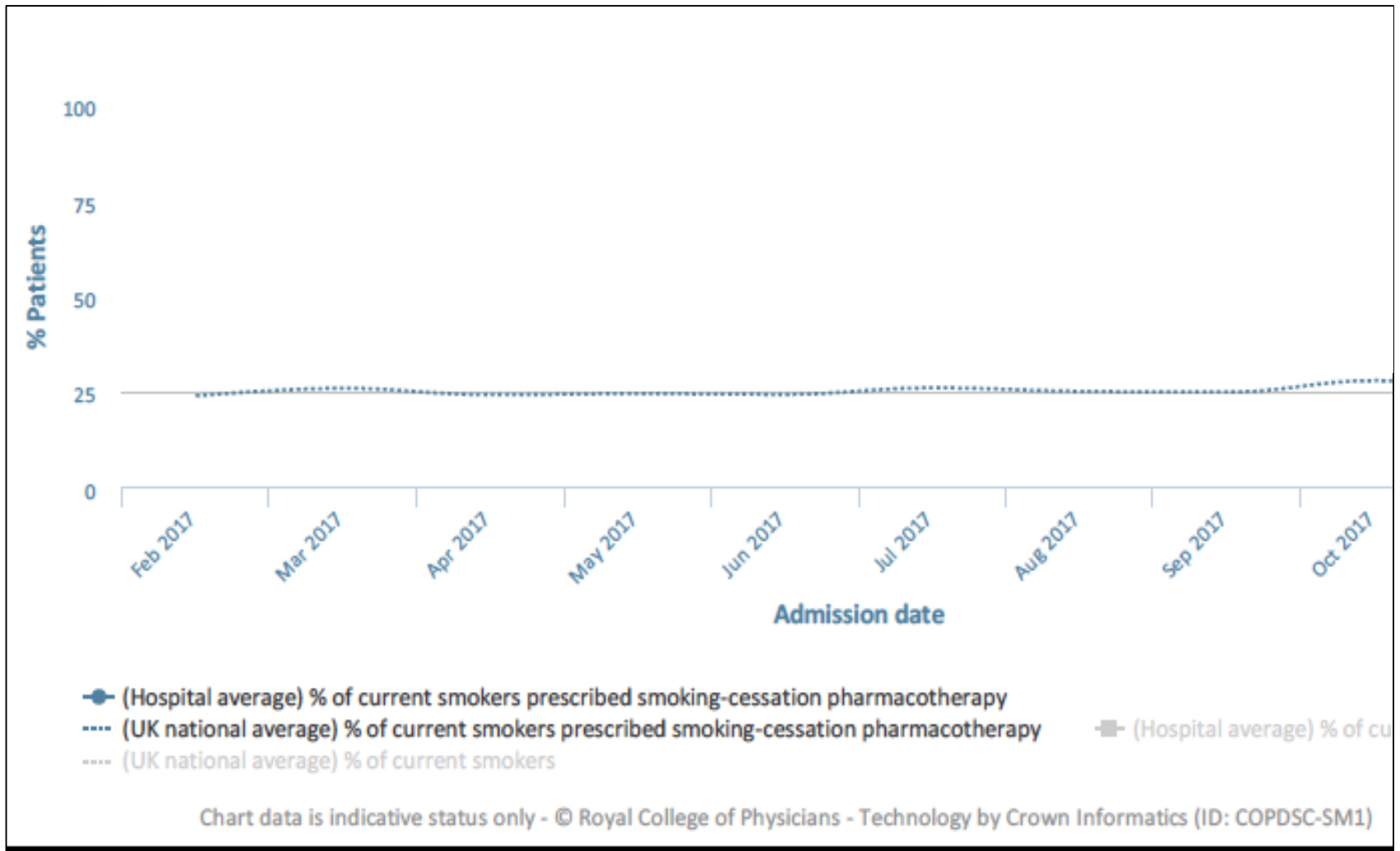
This document has been written to support other health professionals to support the use of the expired CO test. The London Clinical Senate recommends it as a motivational tool in the context of the CO4 campaign.

Know your level of CO  
improvement - For patients



# Treating tobacco dependence

## How effective are we as in-patient teams?



# Changing what we do:

Diagnosing & treating tobacco dependence 2004-2017

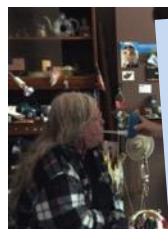
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Consultant led - all team members responsibility

Quit smoking **specialists** key members of MDT

SKILL TRANSFER & training



**Why do it as a clinician?**

High value treatment

'Works'

Makes an 'obvious' difference to patient outcomes

Like using new skills, doesn't take long

'Rewarding'



Smoking  
Cessation  
Specialists





# Treating tobacco dependence: Do incentives help & does it work?

Whittington Health



- ✓ Document the smoking status of every adult inpatient
- ✓ Offer Brief Advice to smokers
- ✓ Offer and prescribe NRT & varenicline
- ✓ Refer to Stop Smoking Services
- ✓ **Training front line medical staff**

WH Smoking Cessation Rule Panel

WH Smoking Cessation Preferred Location

Preferred location

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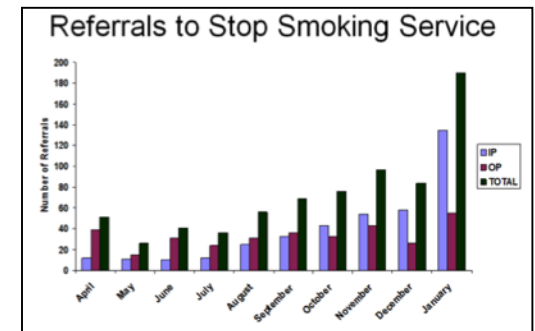
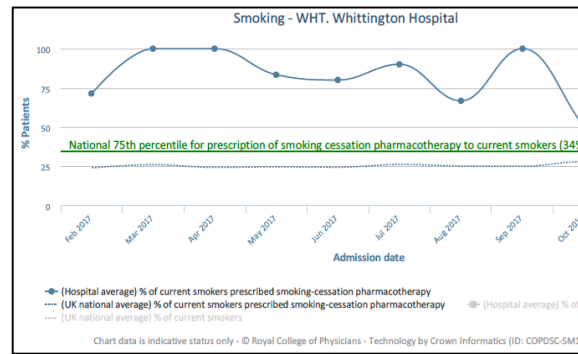
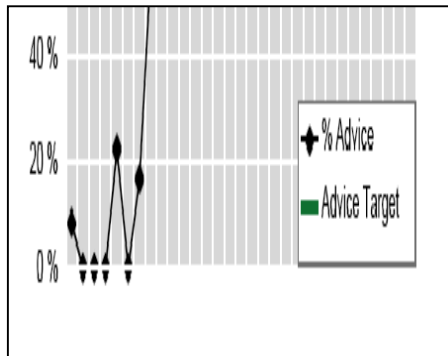
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Community Specialist stop smoking service

Community Pharmacy

Hospital Outpatients - Stop Smoking Service

GP Location



Whittington Health Respiratory Ward Outcomes  
50% 6 month quit rates  
with varenicline and intensive support\*

\*Ainley A, Pang E, Coleman B, Stern M, Restrict LJ **Thorax** 2014;69 (Suppl 2):A199 10.1136/thoraxjnl-2014 206260.404



# Treating tobacco dependence in hospitals: Change at scale and pace in Canada

2-group effectiveness study - Ontario, Canada.

Impact of 'Ottawa Model' for Smoking Cessation cf 'usual care'

Adult smokers admitted to hospital

Systematic approach to tobacco dependence treatment in healthcare

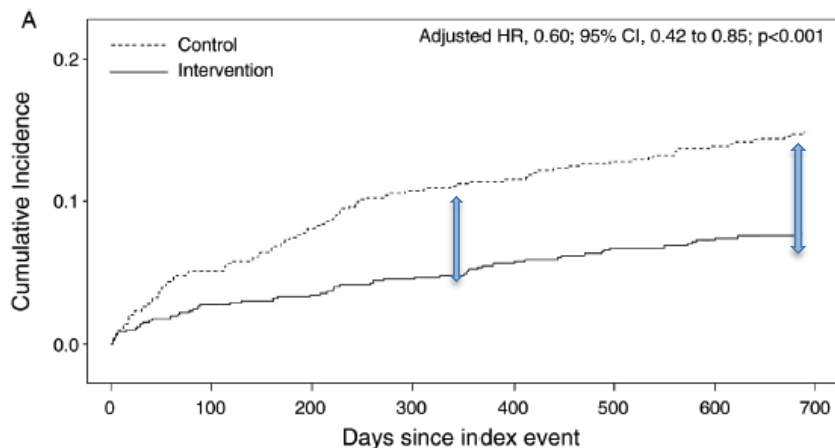
- ✓ identify and document the smoking status of all patients
- ✓ provide brief counselling **and**
- ✓ in-hospital pharmacotherapy
- ✓ offer follow-up support post-hospitalisation to all 'smokers'



Effectiveness of a hospital-initiated smoking  
cessation programme: 2-year health and healthcare  
outcomes

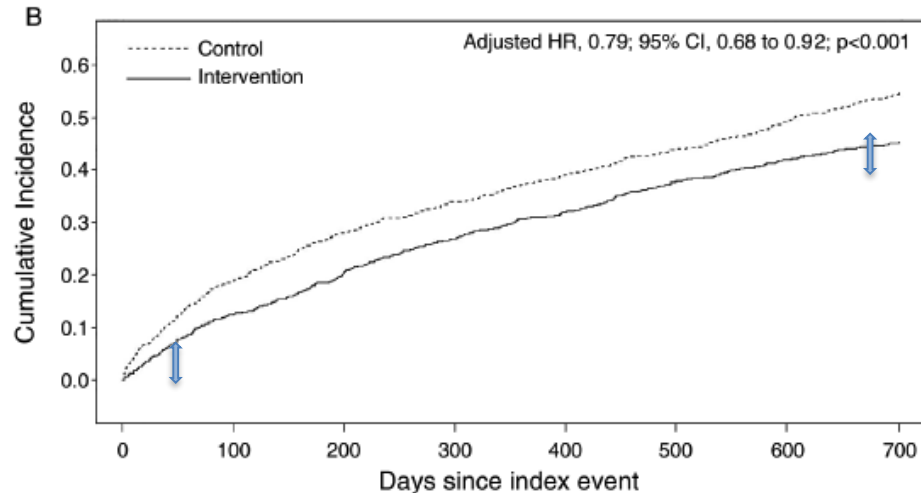
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# Treating tobacco dependence in hospitals: Impact on mortality & re-admissions



Mortality halved by **1 year**

**11.4% vs 5.4%;  $p < 0.001$**



Re-admission halved by **30 days**

**13.3% vs 7.1%;  $p < 0.001$**

**Figure 2** Cumulative incidence of mortality (Part A) and all-cause rehospitalisation (Part B) from index hospitalisation to 2-year follow-up in the control (n=641) and intervention (n=726) groups.

Effectiveness of a hospital-initiated smoking cessation programme: 2-year health and healthcare outcomes

Mullen et al **Tob Control** 2016;0:1–7. doi:10.1136/tobaccocontrol-2015-052728

# Coming back to what patients want us to change: key challenges & enablers



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- Delay death
- **Improve the experience of living with breathlessness?**
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# High value care for breathlessness: keeping patients safe



Care at home  
provided correct  
diagnosis made,  
correct  
treatment  
started AND  
patient feels in  
control of  
breathlessness

Breathlessness  
(symptom)

Respiratory Failure  
(low oxygen saturation)

**Respiratory  
failure  
=  
diagnosis and  
treatment in  
hospital**

Breathless  
and low oxygen  
saturation



Breathless  
with normal  
oxygen  
saturation

Low oxygen  
saturation but  
not breathless

Ask and listen

Measure



# Enabling safe care in all settings: Clinicians who have & use oximeters to assess breathless patients



**Don't miss O<sub>2</sub> ut!**

Calling all doctors, nurses, physiotherapists, HCA's and other healthcare professionals.

**HAVE YOU GOT YOUR OWN PULSE OXIMETER YET?**

**Only £30!**



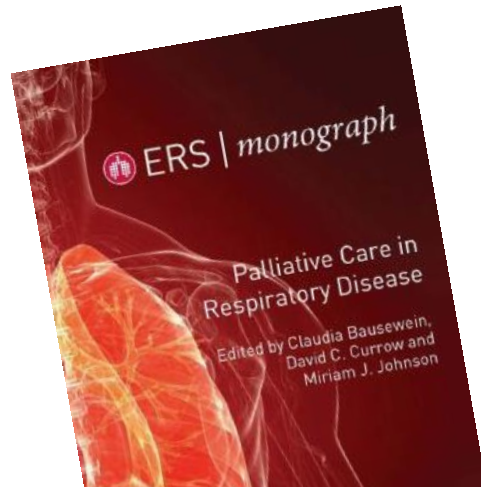
To get yours, pay £30 at the cashier's desk on level 1 (23 on the map) and email [luke.sullivan3@nhs.net](mailto:luke.sullivan3@nhs.net). He will tell you when and where to collect it.





# Breathlessness complicated & frightening

Need better ways to assess, diagnose & treat breathlessness ...



## Chapter 11

### Service planning and delivery for chronic adult breathlessness

Siân Williams<sup>1</sup> and Chiara De Poti<sup>2</sup>

The diagnosis and management of the symptom and underlying causes of chronic breathlessness challenge current health service organisation and delivery, as evidenced by diagnosis or misdiagnosis, underuse of effective treatments and resource waste in time and health service austerity. A new approach that builds on the evidence and experience of managing complexity in healthcare is needed. This chapter summarises where we are now in terms of the scope and scale of the problem and offers some options to tackle it. It describes how to improve diagnosis and treatment in all settings by using a decision support tool derived from multidisciplinary case-based discussion and the literature on heart failure, COPD, asthma, obesity and anxiety interventions. It also describes how to set up specific cardiorespiratory services, and how to extend the learning from the best palliative care services for breathless patients. For the longer term, it offers the vision of a population-based approach, describing aims, objectives and criteria to evaluate the impact of a breathlessness system.

It sounded an excellent plan, no doubt, and very neatly and simply arranged. The only difficulty was, she had not the smallest idea how to set about it.

Lewis Carroll, *Alice in Wonderland*.

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Sitting on the edge of my bed, cold but unable to lie down  
It's getting harder to breathe.  
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didn't go the GP because I'd  
not used to being breathless"

"They looked at my lungs not  
who they belonged to"



Listen to, & design  
breathlessness pathways with,  
patients & families?

Checklist	Back	The Health Foundation Inspiring Improvement
<b>Should the patient be admitted?</b>		
Check blood pressure	Relative hypotension for that patient or values < 90/60 (known normal BP for that patient).	
Measure oxygen saturation and pulse using a digital pulse oximeter whilst manually confirming the rate and rhythm	Oxygen saturation on air is less than 92%. Pulse rate < 40 beats per minute (bradycardia) or > 100 per minute (tachycardia) or if the rhythm is rapid and irregular.	
Measure Peak Expiratory Flow (PEF) using a peak flow meter	All people with a life-threatening asthma exacerbation (peak expiratory flow (PEF) usually < 30% best or predicted and/or oxygen saturation < 92%). People with a severe asthma exacerbation (PEF usually 33-50% best or predicted) who do not rapidly respond to initial treatment or who have a factor that warrants a lower threshold for admission. People with a moderate asthma exacerbation (PEF usually > 30% best or predicted) who have a factor that warrants a lower threshold for admission. See NICE for list.	
Admit if criteria are reached		If respiratory rate is above 30 breaths per minute.

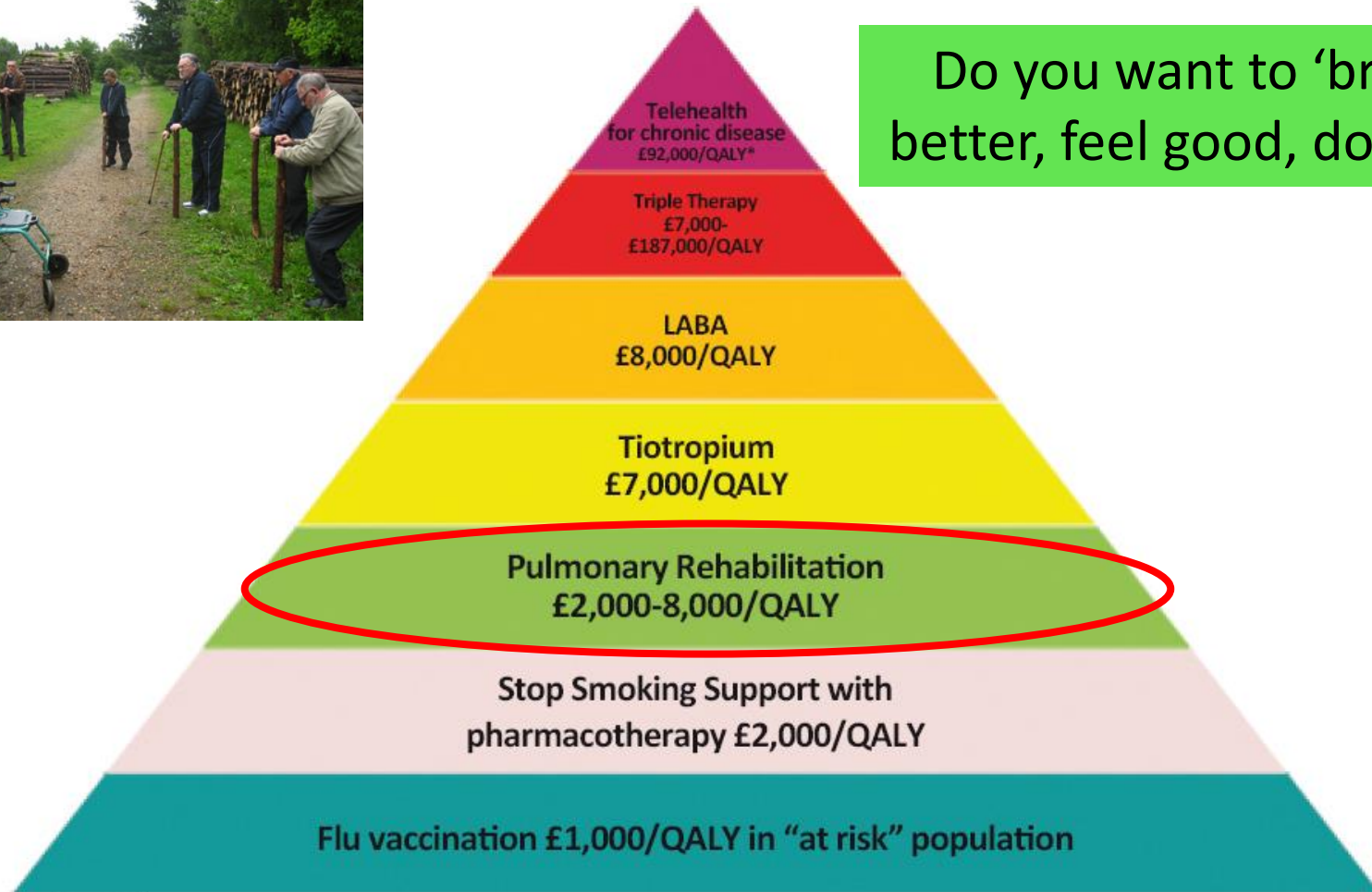


# Breathlessness pathways: what works?

## Pulmonary Rehabilitation



Do you want to 'breathe better, feel good, do more?'



\*(not specific to COPD)

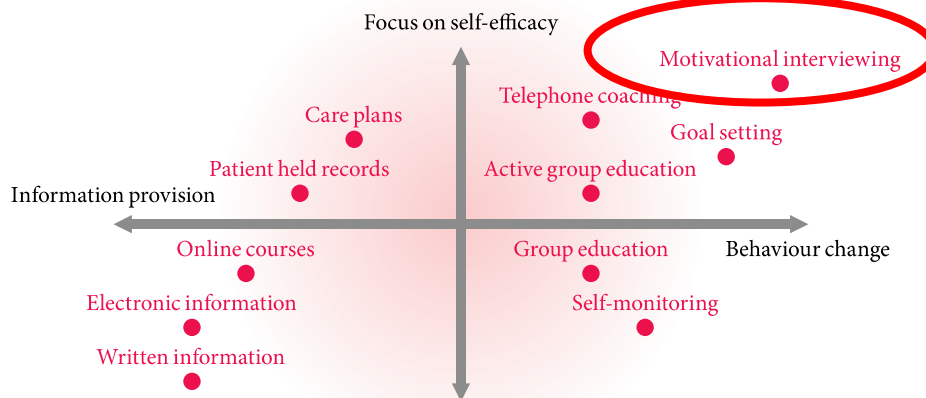
# Breathlessness pathways: Skills to enable mastery ...



*‘Better conversations’*

*‘plan my care with people who work together to understand me and my carer(s), **allow me control**, and bring together services to achieve the outcomes important to me.’*

Figure 1: continuum strategies to support self-management



Shared decision making &  
motivational interviewing skills

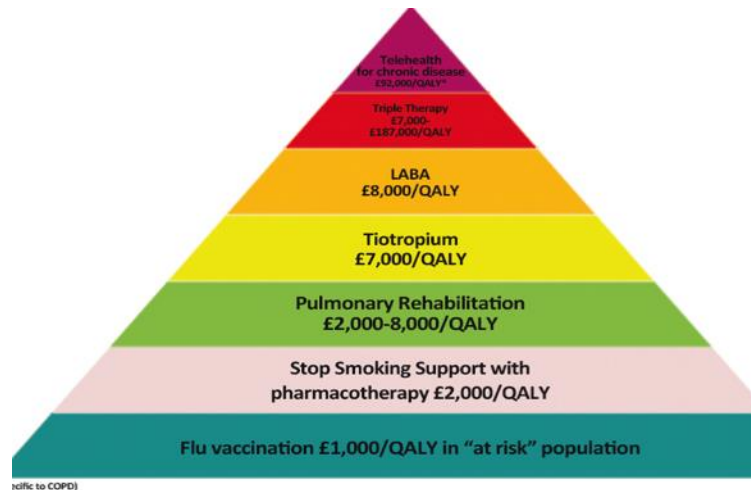
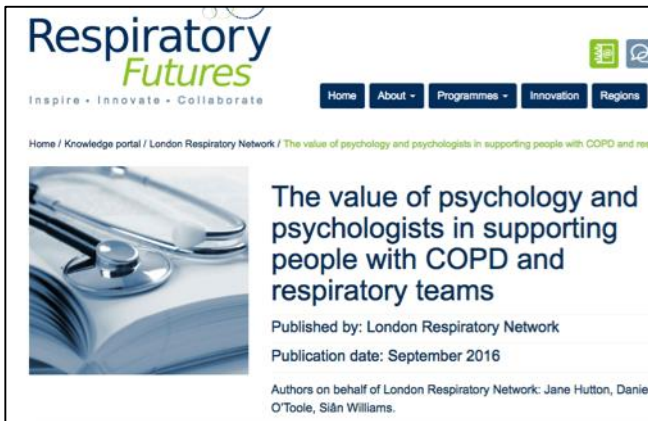
Do we think we need these skills? How are we going to learn these skills as clinicians?

Going on ‘courses’?  
Learning from, and working with, psychologists in teams



# Psychologists in respiratory teams

## One enabler of higher value COPD care?



### Potential psychologist role in:

- ✓ Increasing flu vaccination rates
- ✓ Delivering evidence-based support as treatment for tobacco dependence
- ✓ Enabling patients to benefit from pulmonary rehabilitation
- ✓ Reducing waste in NHS inhaler spend
- ✓ Supporting patients to live better with disabling & frightening breathlessness

# 'COPD Discharge Bundle': One enabler of higher value COPD care?

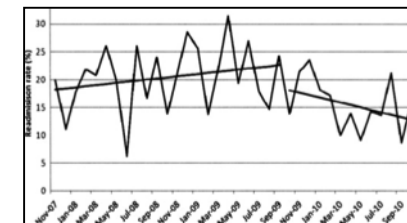


Figure 2 The 30-day readmission rates before and after the initiation of the chronic obstructive pulmonary disease discharge care bundle.

## COPD Discharge Bundle to be completed by Ward Staff

Inform the COPD CNS or Respiratory Physiotherapist of all COPD patients discharged from the ward. CNS: (NPH only) Extension 2508 or Bleep 477

### CARE BUNDLE STEPS

All required documents are included in pack

PRIOR TO DISCHARGE

1. If patient is a smoker offer smoking cessation assistance

Refer 02089661008 (Harrow)

Refer 02087956669 (Brent)

Completed

☐

2. Pulmonary rehabilitation: screened for suitability

CNS and Physiotherapist will identify suitable patients,

and follow appropriate referral pathways for each PCT

Completed

☐

3. Self Management:

Written disease information given

Yes

☐

N/A

Rescue packs recommended by HCP:

☐
☐

Individualised self management plans supplied

☐
☐

4. Satisfactory use of inhalers demonstrated and understood

Please assess during medication rounds. Observe the patients using the device

and document adequate technique demonstrated if not (Refer to CNS, Pharm or Physiotherapist if support needed).

5. Appropriate follow up arrangement made

Yes

Respiratory OPD consideration for LTOT, after NIV / first presentation

☐

Respiratory Community Services if severe COPD (follow guidance) and seen by

If already under community respiratory team, inform team of discharge

OPD

If above not applicable, follow up with GP

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Pre Bundle %

With Bundle %

18

100

14

68

55

98

59

91

41

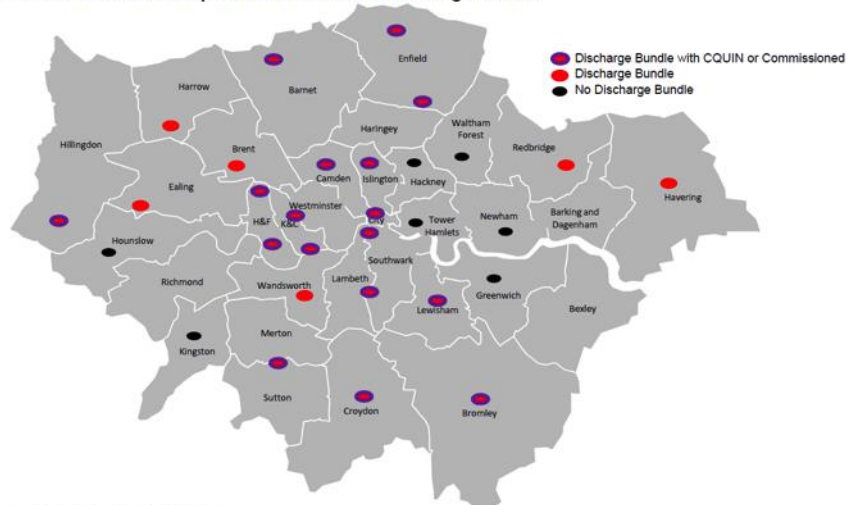
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# COPD Discharge Bundle: Does it work?

## Incentivised London experience 2011-14

MAP 1 - Acute London Hospital Sites with COPD Discharge Bundle



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**COPD DISCHARGE BUNDLE**  
To be completed before discharge for all patients admitted with exacerbation of COPD

Whittington Health NHS

<p>1. If patient is a smoker, offer smoking cessation assistance.</p> <p>Exacerbation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Already seeing Adviser Referred to Smoking Cessation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Declined</p> <p>Date: 13/06/2012 Signed: [Signature]</p>	<p>2. Pulmonary Rehabilitation. All patients screened for suitability (inclusion/exclusion criteria on referral form).</p> <p>Referral sent: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Advised not meet criteria: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Declined: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Done within last 12 months: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Date: 13/6/13 Signed: [Signature]</p>	<p>3. Introduction to Self Management.</p> <p>Information given on disease, recognition of exacerbation: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Suitable for rescue pack: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Date: 13/6/13 Signed: [Signature]</p>	<p>4. Satisfactory use of inhalers demonstrated and understood (Assess during medication rounds &amp; document in notes. If not, refer to pharmacist or RNS if support needed to achieve).</p> <p>Satisfactory Technique: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Spoken Assessed: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Patient Informed &amp; Agreed: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Refer to RNS: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Date: 13/6/13 Signed: [Signature]</p>	<p>5. Appropriate Follow-up arrangements made: All Patients should be advised to see GP within 2 weeks of discharge. This to be included in the discharge summary.</p> <p>Other respiratory review to be arranged as required: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Patient Informed &amp; Agreed: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Date: 13/6/13 Signed: [Signature]</p>
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Core bundle component based upon: NICE COPD Guidelines 2004 (1-5) Patients Survey CLA HRC April 2009

Rules -- Webpage Dialog

WH COPD Information Rule Panel

WH COPD Information  
COPD Discharge bundle:

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WH COPD Patient Admitted with exacerbation of COPD  
Confirm patient Admitted with exacerbation of COPD

☒ Yes ☐ No

### Impact of a COPD Discharge Care Bundle on Readmissions following Admission with Acute Exacerbation: Interrupted Time Series Analysis

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Hospitals introducing the bundle had increasing readmission rates pre-implementation & falling post

Readmissions  $\leq$  28 days

per annum %

Pre-Bundle

+2.13

Post-Bundle

-5.32

p for difference in trends = 0.012

# Addressing what patients want us to change: key challenges & enablers



How are we going to:

- ✓ Delay death
- ✓ Improve the experience of living with breathlessness?
- ✓ Have conversations that 'work' better for patients
- **'Make' care feel more joined up to those experiencing it**

We need to work out what are the 'right' things to do

Co-design models of care with patients & families

Use systems to make doing the 'right' things easier

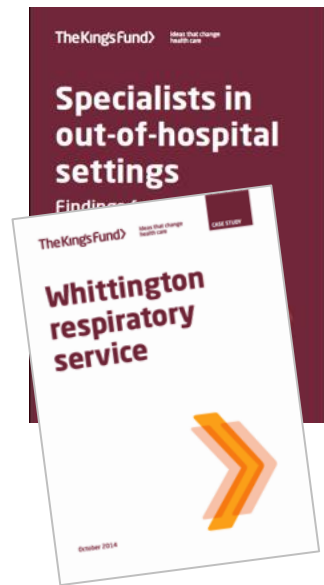
**Integrated Care and Collective Clinical leadership**



# What do we mean by 'integrated care'? Not where it happens but what ...

Person-centred  
Evidence-based  
High 'Value'

Feels 'joined up' to the person experiencing it



Inpatient Respiratory MDT



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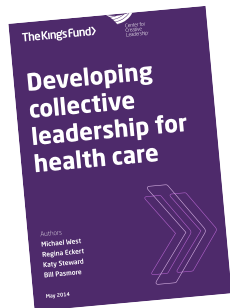
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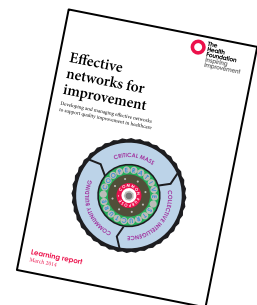
Primary Care Teams



Across pathway



Collective clinical leadership  
Colleagues with shared values and priorities  
Effective communication and shared information  
Focus on 'transitions'



# 'Integrated Care': One enabler of higher value COPD?



25% increase in diagnosed COPD prevalence;  
2010-13

93% increase in referrals to pulmonary  
rehabilitation; 2010-12

72% of people on COPD register with self  
management plan

16% decrease in COPD emergency admissions



Person-centred, evidence-based, high 'value'  
Feels 'joined up' to the person experiencing it  
Collective clinical leadership & shared values & priorities  
Effective communication & shared information  
Focus on 'transitions'

**HIGHLY  
COMMENDED**

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