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**This bulletin brings you up to date with news from across the Clinical Audit Support Unit and some of the stories to look out for in the near future.**

### National Diabetes Inpatient Audit

The National Diabetes Inpatient Audit (NaDIA) took place between 21st—25th September 2015 with over 200 hospitals taking part. NaDIA aims to establish whether diabetes management in hospitals minimizes the risk of avoidable complications and harm resulting from the inpatient stay. NaDIA also looks at patients' hospital stay experiences by using a questionnaire which patients complete themselves.



To gain better understanding of the audit this year, four members of the Clinical Audit Support Unit carried out hospital visits during the audit week. Tom Latham, Anna Duggan, Louise Marsland and Daniela Silva all carried out site visits to Harrogate District Hospital, Leeds Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, and Bradford Royal Infirmary.

The CASU team saw this as an opportunity to gain unique enhanced understanding of the audit process and to identify any areas for improvement within the audit.

Dr Gerry Rayman, Head of Services at Ipswich Diabetes Centre and Clinical Lead for the National Diabetes Inpatient Audit says: "The audit is unique in that it captures information on clinical care from the bedside and so it was good that the team were able to experience this. The importance given to the audit is shown by the figures which show that 97% of acute hospitals voluntarily take part and it was good to hear that the team witnessed the hard work, commitment and enthusiasm of the diabetes teams who value the audit as an important window on their care of diabetes patients. I think it is great that the CASU team showed this commitment, developed good relationships with the hospital staff and were inspired by their passion."

The 2015 National Diabetes Inpatient Audit report will be published in June 2016.

For more information about the audit visit: [www.hscic.gov.uk/diabetesinpatientaudit](http://www.hscic.gov.uk/diabetesinpatientaudit)

### Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease

The Royal College of Physicians (RCP) has commissioned CASU to support the Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) Primary Care Audit (Wales). The audit is part of the National COPD Programme and aims to measure the delivery and quality of care which COPD patients receive at their GP surgery. To allow practices to securely access audit reports which are specific to their GP practices, CASU has developed a GP Practice Level Reporting system within the HSCIC's Clinical Audit Platform.

The system enables practice members to access their practice level reports. Once the registration process is completed, practice members will be able to access other practice level reports, such as the National Diabetes Audit.

The COPD GP Practice Level Reports should be made available to individual practices the week commencing 1 February 2016.

For more information visit: [www.rcplondon.ac.uk](http://www.rcplondon.ac.uk)

## Breast Implant Registry (BIR)

The Clinical Audit Support Unit is working on the development of a national Breast Implant Registry (BIR). The BIR will capture all breast implant surgeries carried out both privately and by the NHS.

The Registry is being produced to support the implementation of Recommendation 21 of the Keogh Review of the Regulation of Cosmetic Interventions, and will allow patients to be traced in the event of the recall of a particular type of implant.



Information captured by the registry will also be used to help identify potential issues and will be published by the HSCIC in an anonymised form in line with its statutory duties.

The CASU team is currently working with the Department of Health, Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency (MHRA), relevant professional bodies and other agencies to establish the content, uses and governance of the Breast Implant Registry prior to data capture beginning in the first half of 2016.

For more information regarding Keogh Review recommendations visit: [www.gov.uk](http://www.gov.uk)

## Female Genital Mutilation (FGM)

The Department of Health's FGM prevention programme is a national change programme to improve the response to the needs of women and girls who have had FGM. Collection and submission of the new dataset became mandatory for all acute trusts from 1 July 2015, and all Mental Health Trusts and GPs from 1 October 2015. To date, 157 Trusts and 258 GPs have registered.

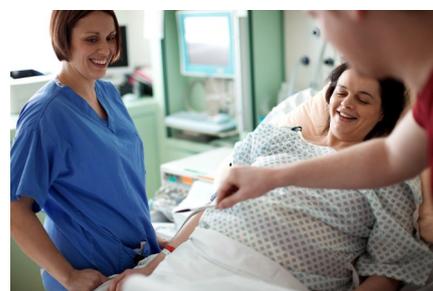
From October 2015 there is a new professional duty on healthcare professionals under the Serious Crime Act 2015 to report to the police all cases of FGM in girls under the age of 18 years. The Department of Health has now issued a suite of documents with information. For more information visit [www.gov.uk](http://www.gov.uk).

The first enhanced dataset quarterly report was published in September followed by the second report which was published in December. The next FGM annual report will be published in 2016.

To view the FGM reports visit: [www.hscic.gov.uk/fgm](http://www.hscic.gov.uk/fgm)

## National Pregnancy in Diabetes Audit

The 2nd National Pregnancy in Diabetes Audit annual report was published in November 2015. The audit collected data on 2,553 pregnancies ending in 2014 which were submitted by 150 centres. These figures have increased significantly from those in the 2013 report, reflecting higher levels of participation by local teams and support for the audit.



This year's report highlights the need for services to work together to make sure women are adequately prepared for pregnancy. Pre-pregnancy planning along with continued blood glucose control during pregnancy limits the risk of adverse outcomes for both the mother and baby.

The next deadline for data submission is 12 February 2016.

For more information visit: [www.hscic.gov.uk/npid](http://www.hscic.gov.uk/npid)

## Other audits at a glance

- **National Oesophago-gastric Cancer Audit:** Audit data is currently being used to evaluate the success of the Be Clear on Cancer Campaign run by Cancer Research UK. The 2015 Annual Report will be published on 17th December: [www.hscic.gov.uk/OG](http://www.hscic.gov.uk/OG)
- **National Bowel Cancer Audit:** New on-line reports designed to help users with submission of complete data have been developed and these are now available within the Clinical Audit Platform: [www.hscic.gov.uk/bowel](http://www.hscic.gov.uk/bowel)