



# NNHLA

National Non-Hodgkin  
Lymphoma Audit



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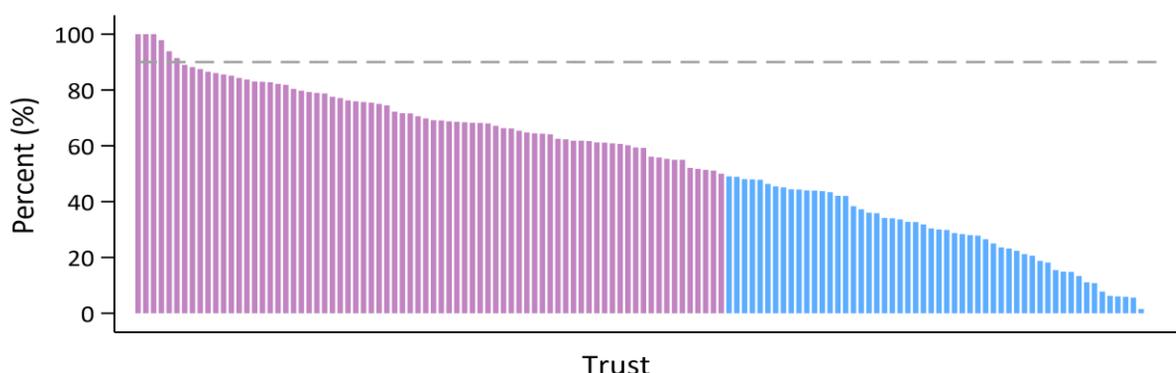
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## National Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma Audit (NNHLA) Quality Improvement Intervention: Improving completeness of key clinical data

### Why is this important?

- Reporting complete data in key clinical areas is essential to identify where care pathways need improvement. It is also vital to ensure fair comparisons between NHS trusts when measuring performance in healthcare delivery and outcomes.
- In England, data completeness is 54% for Ann Arbor staging, 42% for Binet staging, and 11% for International Prognostic Index (IPI) for DLBCL.
- There is wide variation in data completeness across NHS trusts; 54 trusts (out of 133) with data completeness below 50% for Ann Arbor staging

Data completeness for Ann Arbor staging (April 2024 to March 2025)



### What is the aim of the quality improvement intervention?

In collaboration with stakeholders, the NNHLA has developed a quality improvement intervention that aims to **improve completeness of data submissions from NHS trusts in England, that will enhance the accuracy of audit reporting and enable equitable benchmarking across providers.**

### How will the NNHLA support services to achieve this?

- **Provide enhanced feedback:** in addition to publishing trust-level information, the audit will send bespoke feedback to trusts with <50% completeness on Ann Arbor staging
- **Share supplementary resources:** the audit will provide link to NNHLA dashboards, materials to facilitate local QI initiatives, contact to local NDRS Data Liaison Manager, and examples of good practice.
- **Support monitoring:** The audit will re-evaluate engagement and trust performance at 6 months and at one year.

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