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NATCAN
National Cancer Audit Collaborating Centre

HEALTHCARE QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PARTNERSHIP

LSHTM: NIHR, MRC funded health services research

NHSE/ National Disease Registration Service Digital Health and Care Wales/Wales

CEU: Existing National Audits / health services projects

Clinical Effectiveness Unit-RCSEng

NATIONAL CANCER AUDIT COLLABORATING CENTRE (NATCAN)

NATCAN Board

Chair, HQIP, NHS England, Welsh Government, RCP, RCR, Macmillan Cancer Support, RCSEng Patient & Public Group, CRG Chairs, NATCAN Executive

NATCAN Executive Team

Director of Operations (Julie Nossiter), Clinical Director (Ajay Aggarwal), Director CEU (David Cromwell), Senior Statistician (Kate Walker), Senior Clinical Epidemiologist (Jan van der Meulen)

Centre Project Manager (Verity Walker)

QUALITY IMPROVEMENT TEAM
(working with all cancer audits)

PATIENT AND CARER PANELS
(one for each cancer audit)

TECHNICAL ADVISORY GROUP

CLINICAL REFERENCE/ ADVISORY GROUPS
(one for each cancer audit)

Prostate cancer

Clinical leads: Ajay Aggarwal (Oncology, BUG), Noel Clarke (Surgery, BAUS)
Senior Methodologists: Jan van der Meulen, Tom Cowling
Statistician/Data Scientist: Adrian Cook, Emily Mayne
Clinical Fellow: Joanna Dodkins
Audit Manager: Marina Parry

Bowel cancer

Clinical leads: Mike Braun (Oncology)
Nicola Fearnhead (Surgery, ACPGBI)
Senior Methodologists: Jan van der meulen, Kate Walker
Clinical Fellow: Adil Rashid
Data Scientists: Angela Kuryba; Helen Blake

OG cancer

Clinical leads: Nigel Trudgill (Gastroenterology, BSG), James Gossage (Surgery, AUGIS), Tom Crosby/Betsan Thomas
Senior Methodologist: David Cromwell/**Methodologist:** Min Hae Park
Data Scientist: Amanda McDonell

Breast cancer: Primary

Clinical leads:
David Dodwell (Oncology, UKBCG)
Keiran Horgan (Surgery, ABS)
Senior Methodologist: David Cromwell/ **Methodologist:** Mel Gannon
Clinical Fellow: Jemma Boyle
Audit Manager: Jibby Medina

Breast cancer: Metastatic

Clinical leads:
David Dodwell (Oncology, UKBCG)
Mark Verill (Medical Oncology, UKBCG)
Senior Methodologist: David Cromwell/ **Methodologist:** Mel Gannon
Audit Manager: Jibby Medina

Pancreatic cancer

Clinical leads: Nigel Trudgill (Gastroenterology, BSG), Andrew Smith (Surgery, AUGIS), Ganesh Radhakrishna (RCR)
Senior Methodologist: David Cromwell/**Methodologist:** Min Hae Park
Data Scientist: Amanda McDonell
Audit Manager: Vikki Hart

Kidney cancer

Clinical leads:
Amit Bahl (Oncology, BUG)
Grant Stewart (Surgery, BAUS)
Senior Methodologist: Jan van der Meulen
Data Scientist: Emily Mayne
Audit Manager: Marina Parry

Ovarian cancer

Clinical leads: Sudha Sundar (Surgery, BGCS)
Agnieszka Michael (Medical Oncology, BGCS)
Senior Methodologists: Jan van der Meulen, Ipek Gurol Urganci
Methodologist: Andrew Hutchings
Audit Manager: Joanne Boudour

Non Hodgkin Lymphoma

Clinical leads:
Cathy Burton (Haematology, BSH)
David Cutter (Oncology, BSH)
Senior Methodologists: Kate Walker, Njeru Njagi
Data Scientist: Ella Barber
Audit Manager: Vikki Hart

- Lines of accountability within the NATCAN audit teams is by function to designated Senior member/s in the NATCAN Executive Team: Audit managers report to the Director of Operations; Clinical Fellows to the Director of the CEU; Clinical Leads to the Clinical Director & Director of Operations; Data Scientists & Methodologists report to the Senior Statistician & Senior Clinical Epidemiologist.
- In turn, the NATCAN Executive Team is accountable to the NATCAN Board.