



NEWSLETTER

Highlights

1 NABCOP 2020 Organisational Audit is live

Individuals at participating breast cancer teams across England and Wales were emailed with details on how to take part. Read more about this in the article below.



2 New NABCOP patient product launched

Our new [2-page guide to the breast cancer pathway](#) is now available to use with patients. Read more about this in the article below, and send us your feedback via this link: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/NABCOP-guide-feedback-form>



3 CancerStats – NABCOP Level 2 & Level 3 reports updated

English NHS Trusts can access CancerStats to review their COSD data returns in real time, and interrogate the data reported on in the NABCOP 2020 Annual Report. For more information visit <https://www.nabcop.org.uk/resources/cancerstats-area/>.



The NABCOP Autumn Update

NABCOP 2020 Organisational Audit

We are undertaking a 2nd Organisational Audit of breast cancer services, collecting information on routine cancer data submission, impact of the NABCOP & COVID-19, and fitness assessment. Full details on how to take part have been emailed to individuals at Welsh Health Boards and English NHS Trusts, including key dates for responses to be submitted. Please [contact us](#) if you have any questions.

NABCOP guide to the breast cancer pathway for older women

We recently launched a new 2-sided patient product, as a guide to asking important questions along the breast cancer care pathway. Designed in collaboration with our patient and charity representatives, the guide is for clinical nurse specialists to use with patients to engage them in discussions along their cancer treatment pathway. Download your copy, to use with patients, from our website [here](#).

NABCOP 2020 Annual Report patient-level data

A patient-level dataset, including the data used for the NABCOP 2020 Annual Report, is now available for participating English NHS Trusts to request from Public Health England's (PHE) [National Cancer Registration and Analysis Service](#) (NCRAS). NHS Trusts can request their own data for the most recent NABCOP cohort, to better understand local treatment patterns. Please [contact Karen Clements at NCRAS](#) for information on how to request this.

Guidance and tips

Information Governance: Email address updates

We have recently had some bounce back of emails being sent to stakeholders. If your NHS Trust/Health Board has migrated email servers, or your email address has changed, please contact us at nabcop@rcseng.ac.uk to ensure we have your most up to date contact details.

TIP 1: Completing the fitness assessment electronically

The NABCOP fitness assessment form is now available in a fillable electronic PDF format, to assist hospitals with paperless notes systems. To download your copy, visit: <https://www.nabcop.org.uk/resources/fitness-assessment-tool/>

TIP 2: Hospital internet firewall

If you are having difficulty accessing online NABCOP resources within your NHS Trust/Health Board, be sure to talk to your hospitals IT team to ensure firewall policies are not preventing access to the NABCOP website (www.nabcop.org.uk).

Have you downloaded a copy of our 2020 Annual Report? [Get yours today](#), along with our Patient & Public version!

On behalf of the NABCOP Project Team

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