Breathing well – report at a glance

Who is included in the audit?

94,136 asthma and COPD records across England and Wales – 1 April 2022 to 31 March 2023

All patients in hospital to be offered help to stop smoking before they are discharged

COPD



Patients in hospital offered referral to smoking cessation service

2021/22: 56.8%

Adults with asthma



Patients in hospital offered referral to smoking cessation service

2021/22: 69.1%

All patients to see a respiratory specialist within 24 hours of being in hospital

COPD



Patients with COPD who received a specialist respiratory review within 24 hours of hospital admission.

2021/22: 60.0%

Adults with asthma



Patients with asthma who received a specialist respiratory review within 24 hours of hospital arrival.

2021/22: 51.0%

23,024 pulmonary rehabilitation records across England and Wales –

1 March 2022 to 31 March 2023

Pulmonary rehabilitation



32.0%

Adults with stable COPD started PR within 90 days of receipt of referral

Adults with acute exacerbation of COPD started PR within 30 days of receipt of referral

2021/22: 20.1%

2021/22: 40.0%

All patients to start PR within the recommended timeframe

Children and young people (CYP)

Age 1-5



Age 6+

Children have a current self management plan on discharge

2021/22: 35.0%

2021/22: 41.3%

All children to leave hospital with a plan to help them manage their asthma at home



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