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State of the Nation Report - 10th April 2024

The National Lung Cancer Audit's 2nd 'State of the Nation' report for people diagnosed with lung cancer between 1 January and 31 December 2022 in England and Wales will be published on the <u>NLCA website</u> on **10th April 2024**, subject to clearance and sign off. Read the report to find out how your NHS Trust or Health Board is performing on a national level for a range of performance indicators. For the first time this year, the State of the National provider-level data will be available in our interactive online dashboard. Here you can find the annual 2022 data for individual trust/cancer alliance and how that performance compares to the rest of the country.

We thank all NHS Trust and Health Board teams for your efforts in submitting data to the National Cancer Registration and Analysis Service (NCRAS) and the Wales Cancer Network (WCN).

BTOG 2024 annual conference

Neal Navani, NLCA Senior Clinical Lead, will be speaking at the 22nd annual BTOG conference in Belfast on **19th April 2024** (9am, session 8). Neal will be presenting the results from the State of the Nation 2024 report.

NLCA/BTOG webinar

The NLCA is collaborating with BTOG to host a Quality Improvement webinar on **16th May 2024**. The webinar will focus on the State of the Nation 2024 report and highlight areas that require improvement, along with an update on the NLCA quarterly data dashboards and the future direction of the audit. There will be a panel session for Q&A. To access the webinar, please register on the BTOG webinar website <u>here</u>.

April quarterly report – data dashboard

The next NLCA quarterly data dashboard is due to publish on the <u>NLCA website</u> on **10th April 2024**. This iteration includes more recent data, patients in England diagnosed up to 30 June 2023. For the first time, the report will be an interactive data dashboard, allowing trusts to viewer provider-level results online. These reports allow individual NHS Trusts to check their data and see how they are performing over time as a continuous process, with updated data each new quarter. This is a great way for NHS Trusts to track their own progress and monitor local quality improvement initiatives.



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