



NQICAN Update

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NQICAN Chair



Carl Walker was
appointed
NQICAN Chair in
October 2015

Carl has worked in clinical audit at University Hospitals of Leicester NHS Trust in various posts since graduating from Coventry University with BSc Hons in Stats/Business in the late 1990s and has been clinical audit manager at UHL for over 5 years. Carl has been a member of East midlands clinical audit support network (EMCASNet) since 2011 and has been a member of NAGG / NQICAN since 2012. Carl has been to Ethiopia to teach clinical audit & has led on NQICAN EPR clinical audit work. Carl is keen for NQICAN to champion the importance of clinical audit and other quality improvement methods & supporting the professionals & clinicians undertaking these projects to help improve patient care.

Recent agenda topics



- Social media
- HQIP
- CA FOI request
- Formic sharing space
- AOB / matters arising

Social Media



- Web site www.nqican.org.uk
- NQICAN Blog - <https://nqican.wordpress.com/>
 - Topics so far
 - Introduction – thoughts of a CA manager
 - Sampling
- Twitter @NQICAN
- LinkedIn

HQIP



- Clinical audit & QI tools: A guide to HQIP resources
- Overview of HQIP
- Improving practice as a result of NCA
- NCA benchmarking website
- Proposed new guidance on outliers for NCA
- IG review for patients who want to opt out of NCA and QI

FOI request to trusts



- Robin Sasaru FOI request to all NHS trusts
- Further information about results and intentions - <http://sasaru.co.uk/intentions/>



Sharing & Communication Portal

- Built by Formic
- Chat room /discussion board
- Ability to share documents

AOB / matters arising



- Quality Improvement – training for better outcomes
- Criteria for quality account projects
- Seven day service