WHAT’S HAPPENING THIS MONTH

• January-March 2021 team level results available.
• January-March 2021 results available to all teams. (national and regional level)
• January-March 2021 results available to all users.
• Electronic pilot of upcoming dataset changes.

RESOURCES OF THE MONTH

The SSNAP clinical audit dataset is changing!

• Check out our latest webinar, where SSNAP Clinical Director Martin James describes the upcoming changes to the SSNAP clinical audit dataset and reporting outputs.
• Click here for the dataset changes help area, which has information about each additional question and FAQs.

From 30 September 2021 all healthcare providers in England must comply with the National Data Opt Out (NDOO).

• Click here for information about how the NDOO will affect SSNAP data entry.

WHAT WE’RE WORKING ON AT THE MOMENT

• Finalising the dataset we want to collect for the acute organisational audit.
• Analysing data from the January to March 2021 clinical audit reporting period.
• Finalising the late-June/early-July dataset changes for the clinical audit; we will release the exact date when they will be implemented via email and twitter in due course.
• The data cleaning and analysis of the Post-Acute Organisational Audit dataset, with the aim to get the team level report out in September.

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KEY RESULTS

Here are some key findings from our last reporting period (October - December 2020):

- **21,887** Cases entered onto SSNAP
  Item reference: F1.1

- **411** Thrombectomies performed
  Item reference: G19.1

- **10.4%** Patients received Thrombolysis
  Item reference: G16.3

- **11,517** Six Month Assessment follow ups (37.3% of all applicable patients)
  Item reference: M4.4, 4.5 & 4.6

[Covid-19 Diagnosis on stroke patients*]
Yes: 9.1%
No: 90.4%
Not Known: 0.5%
*This was only answered for 11,786 cases.
  Item reference: Tab F, Casemix, Covid-19

Click here for the full national results infographic for the October-December 2020 period.

**KEY APPROACHING DATES**

Data locking deadlines:
- Inpatient teams: 2nd August (April-June 2021 data).
- Non-inpatient teams: 2nd August (January-June 2021 data).
- Ambulance teams: 22nd July (March 2021 data).

Future deadlines can be found here.

8 July: Report publication for January-March 2021 results (subject to sign-off from funders).

Dataset changes to be incorporated into SSNAP core dataset (exact date has not yet been confirmed).

**RESEARCH**

It has been a busy time for SSNAP research.

Our paper: Stroke Care in the United Kingdom During the COVID-19 Pandemic (ahajournals.org) was published in Stroke:

The team have also been working on abstracts for the European Stroke Conference, the World Stroke Congress, and the UK Stroke Forum. Watch this space for more updates.

**REPORTING UPDATES**

SSNAP are now producing reports for Integrated Stroke Delivery Networks (ISDNs).
You can view ISDN-level reports in our results section (Results > Clinical audit > Regional-ISDN). If your team has been included in the incorrect ISDN, please let us know. A full list of ISDNs is available here.

SSNAP are now reporting ethnicity breakdown at team, national and ISDN level (tab F, Casemix).

In addition to 5-day therapy targets, SSNAP are now reporting against 7-day therapy targets for occupational therapy, physiotherapy, and speech and language therapy at team and national level (tabs J/K team-centred/patient centred post 72h).

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