This quarter

- Data is being analysed and checked, outputs for the Acute Organisational Audit and Sprint Audit for Stroke mimics will be shared with providers by the end of February.
- Data analysis and reporting will commence for the OctDec2021/JulDec21 reporting period after the data-locking deadline of 7th Feb. This will include new measures for non-inpatient and 6 month assessment teams from dataset changes introduced in July 2021.

SSNAP Annual Report and Key Results

8th SSNAP Annual Report now publicly available

This publishes findings on stroke care for patients admitted and/or discharged between April 2020 and March 2021. The report focusses on the first and second waves of the COVID-19 pandemic and its impact on a number of key domains of the stroke pathway.

To access this report, go to www.strokeaudit.org > Results > Clinical Audit > National and select “Annual”.

The recording from our webinar on the report can be found here: SSNAP - Webinar (strokeaudit.org)

Results from the JulSep reporting period are now available, these results can be found here: SSNAP - National (strokeaudit.org)

Results are now grouped by ISDN not SCN in England.

The July-Dec 2021 data set will integrate the new dataset changes into the results portfolio. Shown in this infographic.

Key Resources

- Please find our article aimed at users who are new to SSNAP: New User's Guide – SSNAP (zendesk.com)
- Please find a link to the simplified technical guidance: Simplified Technical Information - downloadable PDF – SSNAP (zendesk.com)
We understand that due to the COVID-19 response within your trust, there may be an impact on the number of admissions and/or on SSNAP data entry. Please do get in touch if this is the case.

Here is the latest update from NHS England: SSNAP - COVID-19 update (strokeaudit.org)

**SSNAP 2021 PAOA Results**

We are delighted to announce that the National Report, Infographic, Results Portfolio, have now been made publicly available from this audit. These outputs can be found here: SSNAP - National (strokeaudit.org) The Interactive dashboard and DIY WTE Analysis tool will follow shortly.

SSNAP Associate Directors Dr Rebecca Fisher and Ms Louise Clark’s presented at UKSF ‘What do we know about the quality and quantity of post acute stroke rehabilitation in the UK?’

Please find the recording from the webinar on the PAOA here: https://www.strokeaudit.org/Resources/Webinar.aspx

**Key Dates**

We have the following upcoming deadlines:

- Data locking deadline for OctDec21 for inpatient teams and JulDec21 for non inpatient teams: 7th Feb 2022
- Data locking deadline for Apr21-Mar22 for annual results 3rd May 22.
- All future deadlines can be found here: SSNAP - Data Collection (strokeaudit.org)

**Research**

The following abstracts have been submitted to ESOC:

1. What are the opportunities and challenges of auditing post-acute stroke care?
3. Findings from the first nationwide audit of mimic activity in the UK

**UKSF:**

The helpdesk team presented 3 posters at this year’s UK Stroke Forum:

1. Ed Barrett presented ‘Impact of the COVID pandemic on Stroke Unit access’: SSNAP - Acute stroke care (strokeaudit.org)
3. Izzy Cabraal presented ‘Does 7 day therapy working deliver more therapy overall’: SSNAP - Therapy (strokeaudit.org) - winner of the BSRG Highly Commendable Prize.

**Other Research**

SSNAP data has been used for the following paper on dysphagia and stroke associated pneumonia: https://www.karger.com/Article/FullText/519903