



Executive summary of Cardio Renal Metabolic Joint Working Outputs

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Project title	Hartlepool Health PCN Cardio Renal Clinic Joint Working Project
Duration	September 2023 to March 2024
Project partners	Hartlepool Health Primary Care Network and AstraZeneca UK Limited
What was the issue to be addressed?	Increase PCN clinical capacity to review the backlog of Cardio, Renal and Metabolic (CVRM) patients caused by COVID-19. The new clinics will be in-addition to the existing clinics normally provided by the GP Practices within the PCN and won't seek to replace existing clinics made available to patients. Reduction in long waiting times to be seen by a 'specialist' Drive improvement of understanding within primary care to effectively manage CVRM patients. Education support for multiple stakeholders within primary care.
What were the results?	The output from this project was 654 patients were triaged for review and 445 patients were seen in consultation clinics over 26 weeks.