

A DECLARATION OF JOINT WORKING BETWEEN

The Christie NHS -Foundation Trust

and AstraZeneca UK LTD

The Christie NHS Foundation Trust and AstraZeneca UK Ltd are engaged in a Joint Working project called 'Greater Manchester Cancer Direct Patient Access Chest X Ray (CXR) Pathway'.

The overall aim of this Joint Working Agreement is to improve 1 and 5 year survival rates from Lung Cancer (LC) across Greater Manchester Cancer Alliance by increasing the number of lung cancer diagnoses, and to improve outcomes through earlier diagnosis.

The objectives of this project are:

- To develop an operational model to support the delivery and launch of a pilot study for direct patient access to CXR within 1 or 2 CCGs in GM. This will enable appropriate patients direct access to CXR without the need to consult with a HCP.
- To build the case for change, develop collaborative working arrangements, produce a detailed operational model including communications plan and a costed proposal for pilot study and evaluation

This project will run from October 2021 to March 2022 and both parties have contributed resources for this initiative.

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