

Reports

[Responding to challenge](#)

We commissioned the Patient Experience Library to analyse warning signals from avoidable harm inquiries in health and social care. The report finds harmful patterns in behaviour and cultures, and the red flags that can help to identify them.

[‘No longer fit for purpose’: RCP unveils long-term vision to transform ‘disjointed and ineffective’ NHS outpatient care](#)

In partnership with the Patients Association, the Royal College of Physicians (RCP) has launched Prescription for outpatients: reimagining planned specialist care, setting out our vision for reformed outpatient care.

[Invest in childhood: Priorities for preventing mental ill health among children and young people](#)

Mental health problems can cast a long shadow over a child’s life. Addressing them early and providing robust support systems can mitigate the long-term impacts, and help young people build a foundation for a healthier, thriving future.

[Innovation in the early years](#)

Children growing up in poverty are less likely to live a long, fulfilling and happy life when compared to their peers. However, our current systems of support often struggle to reach the families who need support the most.

[Ethical integration of research in public health emergencies](#)

A report to identify the key ethical considerations that arise when integrating research in public health emergency response strategies.

Guidance

[Public health commissioning in the NHS: 2025 to 2026](#)

Information about NHS England’s objectives and funding arrangements as it commissions public health services.

Handbooks

[Feeding Recovery Handbook](#)

Feeding Recovery is an Alcohol Change UK project that is about more than alcohol. It is about the poor nutrition and social isolation that often go hand-in-hand with alcohol problems; and about how connecting with others around food can promote wellbeing and reduce harm. It offers a model for services supporting people facing a range of challenges and obstacles in their lives, not just alcohol issues.

Cochrane Reviews

[Interventions for smokeless tobacco use cessation](#)

While combustible tobacco has been the subject of a very large amount of research, smokeless tobacco products receive less attention. Most smokeless tobacco products are very harmful and cause global health inequality. It is therefore important to identify evidence-based cessation aids.

Frameworks

[Wheelchair quality framework](#)

This framework will assist integrated care boards and NHS wheelchair service providers in delivering high-quality provision that offers improved access, outcomes and experience.

Blogs

[Loneliness: Don't ask, don't tell?](#)

There's not much my GP doesn't know about me. She knows my blood pressure and cholesterol levels. She knows my height, my weight, whether I smoke and even how often I drink alcohol.

[A broken safety net? Social security and mental health](#)

Our social security system is one of the foundations of the UK welfare state – alongside education, health and social care. It provides a financial safety net for citizens who cannot make ends meet, for example due to being unable to work, being disabled, or being a carer.

[Blog on leading on report on improving community mental health support in the criminal justice system](#)

I am very privileged to be part of the RR3 Special Interest Group (SIG) on Community Provision, in my role as the Mental Health expert at the Reducing Reoffending Advisory Third Sector Advisory Group. With extremely valuable support from Clinks, I co-led a workshop with colleagues from the criminal justice sector (28 organisations contributed) and heard their direct experiences, including challenges, of providing services to individuals within the criminal justice pathway.

[What's the role of school nurses in supporting the 'healthiest generation of children'?](#)

What's the best part of being a school nurse? '[Being] in schools immunising children... That's a part of the role I love' was the answer from one school nurse when asked (in one of several discussions on school nursing on mumsnet) by someone considering the profession.

[Designing for real lives: Why inclusive design needs lived experience at its core](#)

The FCA's recent review into the treatment of vulnerable customers revealed something we already suspected: there's still a gap between intention and action. While 85% of firms say they consider vulnerability in service design, only 29% actually test their services with vulnerable customers.

News

[Zero tolerance for violence and harassment of NHS staff](#)

Health and Social Care Secretary Wes Streeting spoke at Unison's annual health conference in Liverpool.

[One million NHS staff to benefit from new support measures](#)

Government delivers on promise to support frontline staff with new action to tackle violence, improve working lives and enhance career progression.

[The UK Government must ensure NHS staff in England are able to access comprehensive mental health and wellbeing support](#)

The President of the Royal College of Psychiatrists responds to the UK Government's pledges to support frontline staff with new action to tackle violence, improve working lives and enhance career progression.



[From trauma to anxiety and depression, how online sexual harassment can seriously harm victims' mental health](#)

In today's hyperconnected world, where much of our social and professional lives plays out online, the digital realm should feel safe and respectful. But for many, particularly women, young boys and marginalised groups, that's far from reality. Cyber-sexual harassment is a growing and deeply harmful issue that demands greater awareness and action.

["My dream was to give back to the community" – how the ban on asylum seekers working hurts us all](#)

Latest edition of The mental health of asylum seekers and refugees in the UK highlights huge economic, social and health costs of the ban on asylum seekers working.

[Supporting people with Severe Mental Illness \(SMI\) to access SMI Physical Health Checks in Norfolk](#)

Together for Mental Wellbeing have been delivering a Severe Mental Illness Physical Health Outreach service through the Norfolk Integrated Housing & Community Support Service since 2020.

[More than 100,000 baby loss certificates have now been issued](#)

More than 100,000 baby loss certificates have now been issued to parents who have lost a pregnancy, allowing them to formally recognise their loss.

[Patients get care closer to home as GP scheme expanded](#)

Government confirms expansion of Advice and Guidance scheme, with more patients now receiving their care closer to home.

[Over 1,500 extra GPs recruited to fix front door of the NHS](#)

New figures show an extra 1,503 GPs have been recruited since 1 October thanks to government action.

[Millions more patients can register with a GP at 'touch of a button'](#)

Millions of patients can now register with a new GP at the touch of a button via the NHS App and online as part of a major health service drive to make care more convenient and free up staff time.

[New report sets out vision for reformed NHS outpatient care](#)

Rory Deighton welcomes report and calls for large-scale transformation of outpatient services.

[Cutting-edge tech introduced in social care](#)

Care leaders will be trained to use the latest technology to improve patient care, free up staff time and help people live independently in their own homes for longer.

[Care leavers supported into NHS careers](#)

Hundreds of people brought up in care are being supported into careers in the NHS, as part of a new scheme.