



National Prescribing Service Limited

Quality Prescribing Initiative (QPI) activities of the Practice Incentives Program for the QPI Year 1 May 2009 to 30 April 2010

Case studies

Activity title	Provider	Date published	Contact
NPS Case Study 57: Proton pump inhibitors – appropriate and safe use*	NPS	April 2009	NPS Phone: 02 8217 8700 Website: www.nps.org.au
NPS Case Study 58: Antibiotics and respiratory tract illness (title TBC)		June 2009	
NPS Case Study 59: Managing the symptoms of menopause (title TBC)		August 2009	
NPS Case Study 60: Antidepressants for anxiety disorders (title TBC)		October 2009	
NPS Case Study 61: Achieving bladder control		December 2009	
NPS Case Study 62: Benzodiazepines and hypnotics (title TBC)		February 2010	

* If completed case study is received at NPS on or before 30 April 2009, it will qualify for QPI cycle 1 May 2008 to 30 April 2009. If it is received on or after 1 May 2009, it will qualify for QPI cycle 1 May 2009 to 30 April 2010.

Clinical audits

Activity title	RACGP/ACRRM Activity No.	Provider	Availability	Dates	Contact for enrolments
Clinical e-Audit: Optimising management of type 2 diabetes	741334 OEACR-NPSL4	NPS	All GPs	October 2008 – April 2010	NPS Phone: 02 8217 8700 Website: www.nps.org.au
Antiplatelet and anticoagulant therapy in stroke prevention	742604 OEACR-9001-NPSL1		All GPs	March – May 2009	
Review of proton pump inhibitor (PPI) prescribing	743604 OEACR-9001-NPSL2		All GPs	May – July 2009	
Management of specific respiratory tract infections	744060 OEACR-9001-NPSL3		All GPs	July – August 2009	
Clinical e-Audit: Review of proton pump inhibitor (PPI) prescribing*	745920 OEACR-9006-NPSL		All GPs	October 2009 – April 2011	

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External clinical audit

Activity title	RACGP/ACRRM Activity No.	Provider	Contact for enrolments
PROMiS clinical audit	736638	Merck Sharp & Dohme	Geoff Pollard Phone: 02 9795 9581 Merck Sharp & Dohme, PO Box 79, Granville NSW 2142
Chronic Osteoarthritis Pain Audit	742351	Lifeblood	Kelly Timms Phone 03 9804 0777 Studio 4/25 Cookson St, Camberwell VIC 3124
DETECT – Assessment of symptomatic COPD	745462	Adrenalin Strategics	Michelle McKenzie Phone 03 9412 0555 Suite 1, 237 Young St, Fitzroy VC 3065

Note: Educational visits and facilitated small group discussions also qualify for the QPI. Contact your division's NPS facilitator or NPS on 02 82178700 for more information
Activities must be completed prior to 30 April 2010 to qualify for QPI cycle 1 May 2009 to 30 April 2010

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