



# CASC ANNUAL SURVEY

## 2017 RESULTS

### REINVIGORATION



LOCAL AND NATIONAL

**<20% reported reinvigoration has taken place**

### HATS OFF TO SSNAP



8 consecutive years rated 'most effective' NCA

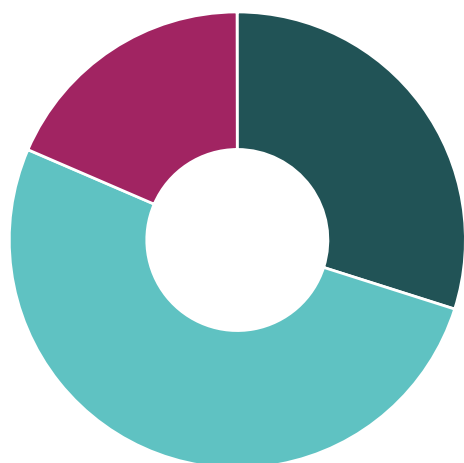


National Audit of Psychosis rated 'least effective' NCA

### NATIONAL AUDITS

The quality of National Clinical Audits is a frequent talking point and a key element of the reinvigoration agenda. In 2017, 149 respondents rated NCAs via our survey. For the seventh time (6th year) running, 'moderate' was the top response.

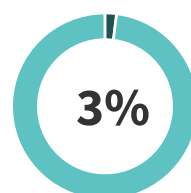
### HOW NCAs RATE



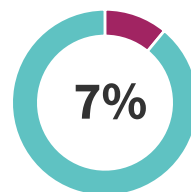
- Good/Excellent**  
32.9% of respondents rated NCAs as good or excellent.
- Moderate**  
40.9% of respondents rated NCAs as moderate.
- Poor/Very Poor**  
26.2% of respondents rated NCAs as poor or very poor.

### WHAT HAVE WE LEARNED

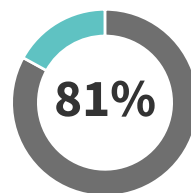
## COMPARING DATA OVER 7 YEARS



Rated patient involvement in clinical audit as 'good'. Over six years from 2012-17 the highest rating for 'good' was just 6% (2013).



Stated they had 'more' resources for clinical audit then compared to 12 months previously. Over 8 surveys, highest 'more' result was 17% (2012).



Stated that local audits were 'more effective at improving patient care' (as opposed to 19% who voted for national audits).

### OTHER KEY FINDINGS

One of the key questions asked every year is 'do you feel more positive or more negative about clinical audit than you did a year ago'? The results appear below. For the first time in 2017 the proportion of negative responses exceeded positive returns.



## PARTICIPANTS

THANKS TO ALL WHO TOOK PART

- 175 respondents completed the survey
- Data was collected online using SurveyMonkey (December 17)
- 65% identified themselves as 'clinical audit professional'
- 56.7% had worked in clinical audit 1-10 years (43.3% >10 years)
- 61% worked in the acute sector
- Response rates to all questions were extremely high.