

The Evolution Clinical Audit #CAAW19

A general overview of the key dates that have shaped the development of clinical audit over the years

(1855) Florence Nightingale conducts her audit during the Crimean War



(1912) Ernest Codman measures patient outcomes after surgery in the USA

(1989) Working for Patients White Paper introduces 'medical audit' to the NHS



(2008) Healthcare Quality Improvement Partnership established

(2019) 7th annual Clinical Audit Awareness Week

