



Case study #6

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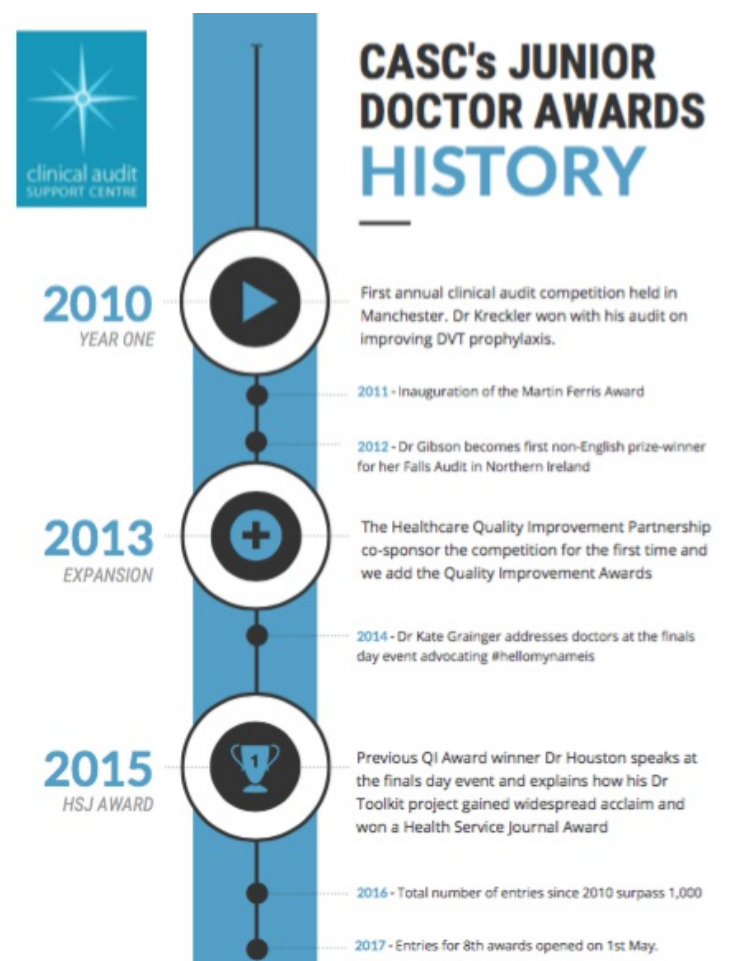
Junior doctor competitions 2013-2016



Background

In 2010, CASC established a competition designed to allow junior doctors the opportunity to showcase their hard work in clinical audit. In 2013, the Healthcare Quality Improvement Partnership approached CASC to ask if they could become involved in this initiative.

HQIP's decision to co-sponsor the competition also resulted in expansion with the decision to invite junior doctors to submit their quality improvement projects. To date, over 1000 entries have been received from junior doctors with over 400 entrants invited to present their work at the annual finals day in November.



Eight years of excellence and counting



The response to our junior doctor clinical audit and QI competitions has been exceptional with the event now fully embedded into the NHS calendar.

The quality of entries continues to impress and many of our entrants and winners have had their work published in online journals such as BMJ Quality. Other entrants have gone on to win further awards. For example, Dr Houston (pictured with Stephen) won the QI competition in 2014 for his work on Dr. Toolbox and his team subsequently won a Health Service Journal award. The competition continues to go from strength-to-strength with increasing numbers of abstracts received each year.