National Institute for Health and Care Excellence

NICE impact report: CVD management

This report gives details of how NICE's evidence-based guidance is being used to help improve outcomes for CVD management.

The Board is asked to review the NICE impact CVD management report.

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Introduction

The attached NICE impact report focuses on CVD management and reviews the uptake of NICE guidance in this area. It contains the following sections: why focus on cardiovascular disease management; assessment of recent chest pain; acute coronary syndromes; heart failure; cardiac rehabilitation; responding to COVID-19 and what's next for cardiovascular disease management.

System support for implementation

This is the first impact report to include a 'what's next' section. We have worked with national stakeholders to identify implementation challenges and available support across the healthcare system while developing this report. The team also supported the development of several shared learning examples.

Future reports

NICE is carefully assessing all its planned publications in the context of the ongoing pandemic. Accordingly, we have decided to delay the publication of the NICE impact diagnostic pathology report, due at the March 2021 board. We will reschedule the impact report for the May 2021 board.