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Inhaled Corticosteroids in asthma (adults & children)
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Dear Alana

Education for Health is pleased to forward to you the submission for the technology appraisal of the use of inhaled corticosteroids and long acting beta 2 agonists in chronic asthma for adults and children. As an organisation committed to improving patient care Education for health welcomes the appraisal of this therapeutic technology which is central to good asthma management.

Fundamental to this appraisal is the underlying principal that good asthma control can only be achieved with appropriate use of inhaled steroids. The key areas that Education for Health has focused on in this submission are the complexities surrounding asthma management in the community with specific reference to adherence, inhaler technique and the role of the nurse.

Education for health has worked closely with the General Practice in Airways group (GPIAG) in considering this technology and fully endorses their submissions. The Education for Health submission is the result of collaboration with the internal team of research, clinical and academic staff and with our wider network of respiratory trainers

Education for health looks forward to a continuing input throughout the appraisal process

Yours sincerely



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