

National Cancer Peer Review Programme – Clinical lines of enquiry

SSCRG/NSSG Leads workshop

Key elements of NCPR (1): Aim of NCPR

Ensuring Services are as safe as possible

Improving the quality and effectiveness of care

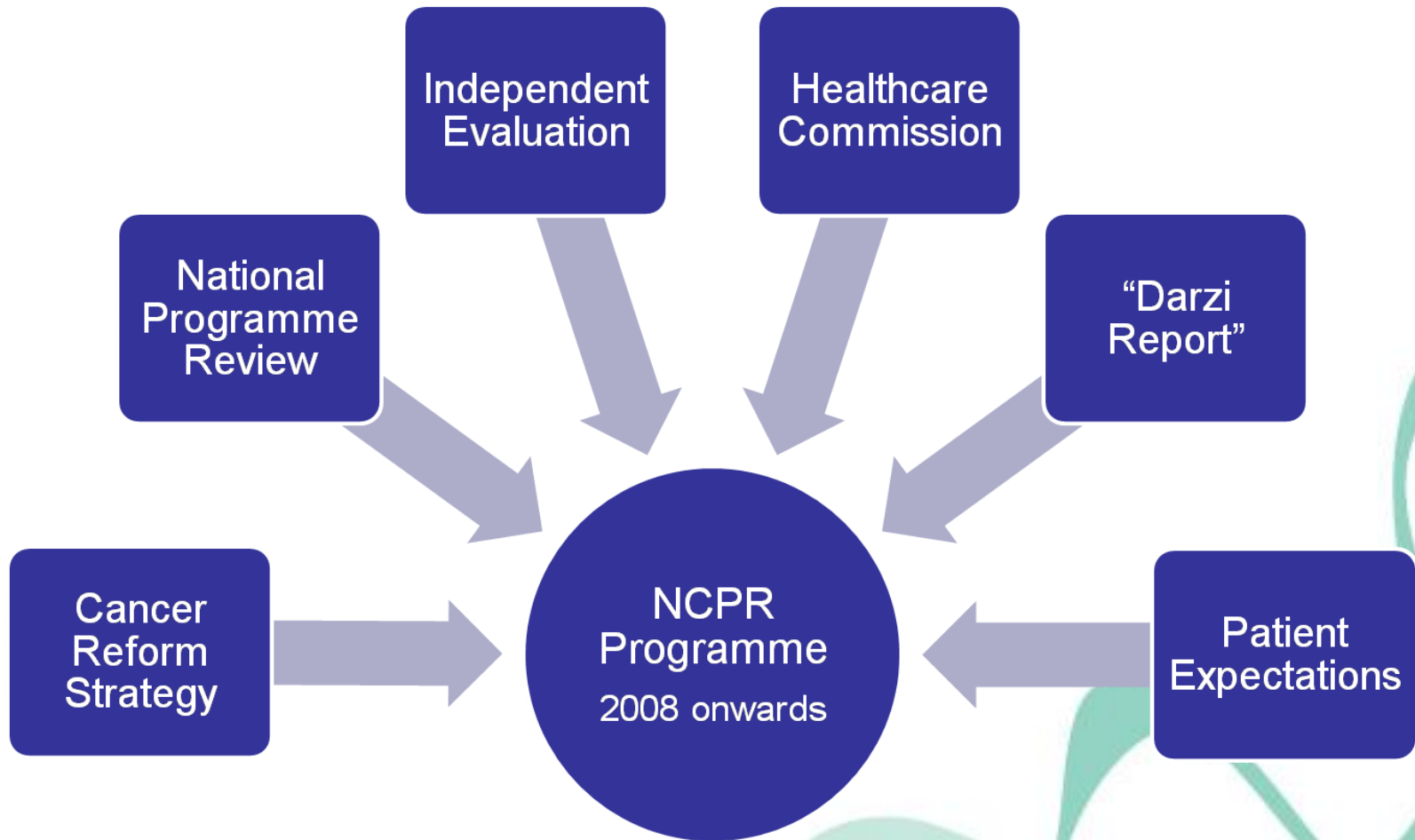
Improving the patient and carer experience

Undertaking independent, fair reviews of services

Providing development and learning for all involved

Encouraging the dissemination of good practice

Key elements of NCPR (2): Influences



Key elements of NCPR (3): Direction

Light touch
approach

Focus on Self-
Assessment &
Internal QA

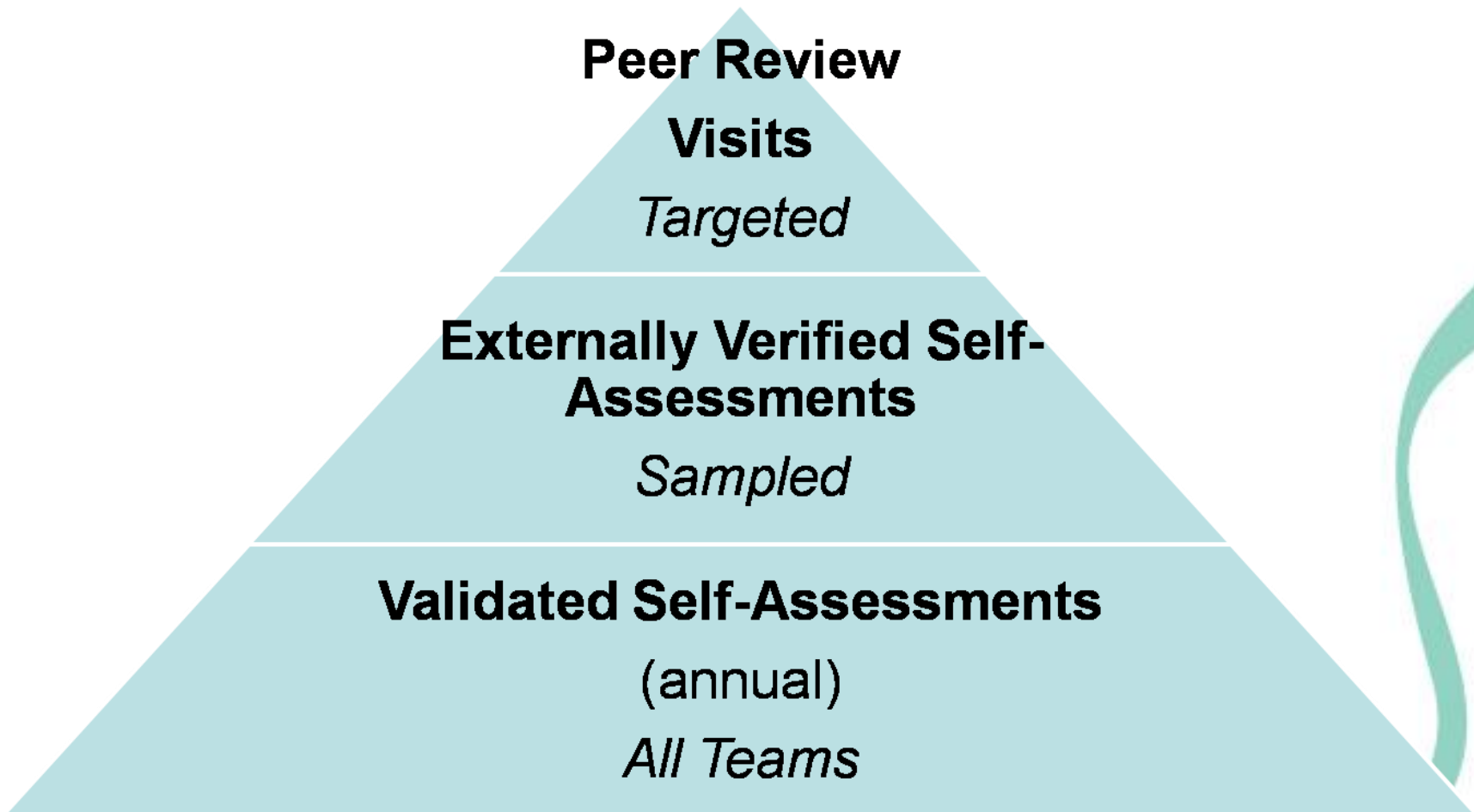
Value for Money

Responsive to
NHS Changes

Continued
emphasis on
clinically-led
peer review

A Greater
emphasis on
outcomes

Key elements of NCPR (4): Process



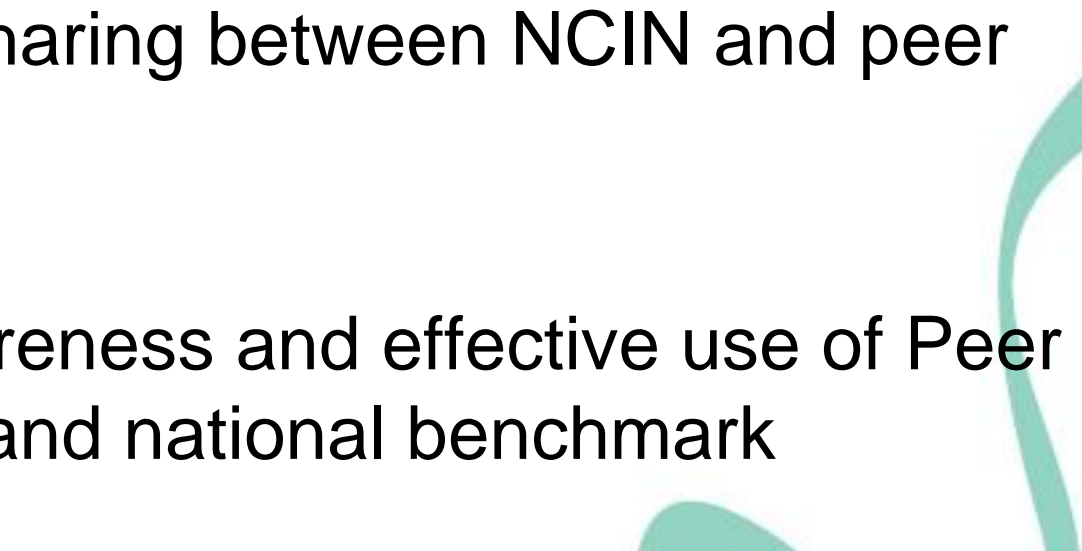
NCIN and Peer Review (1)



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- Joint working
 - Collaboration in establishment of the Clinical Outcomes Group
 - Collaboration between NCIN and Peer Review in development of SSCRG work programmes

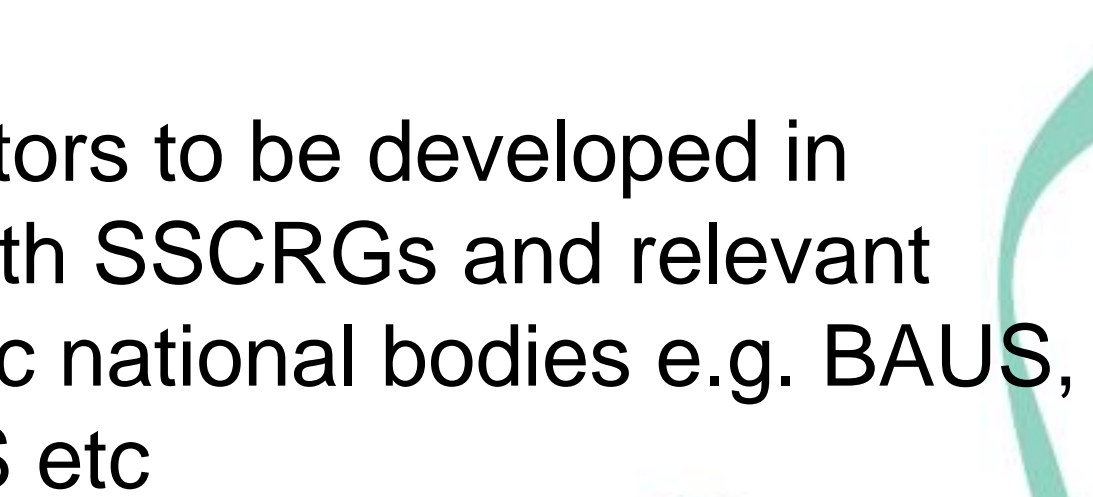
NCIN and Peer Review (2)

- Joint working
 - Information sharing between NCIN and peer review
 - Increase awareness and effective use of Peer Review data and national benchmark information
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NCIN and Peer Review (3)

- Joint working
 - Collaborate on development and QA process for microsites, and utilisation of data to inform Peer Review
 - Continued development of Cancer Commissioning Toolkit

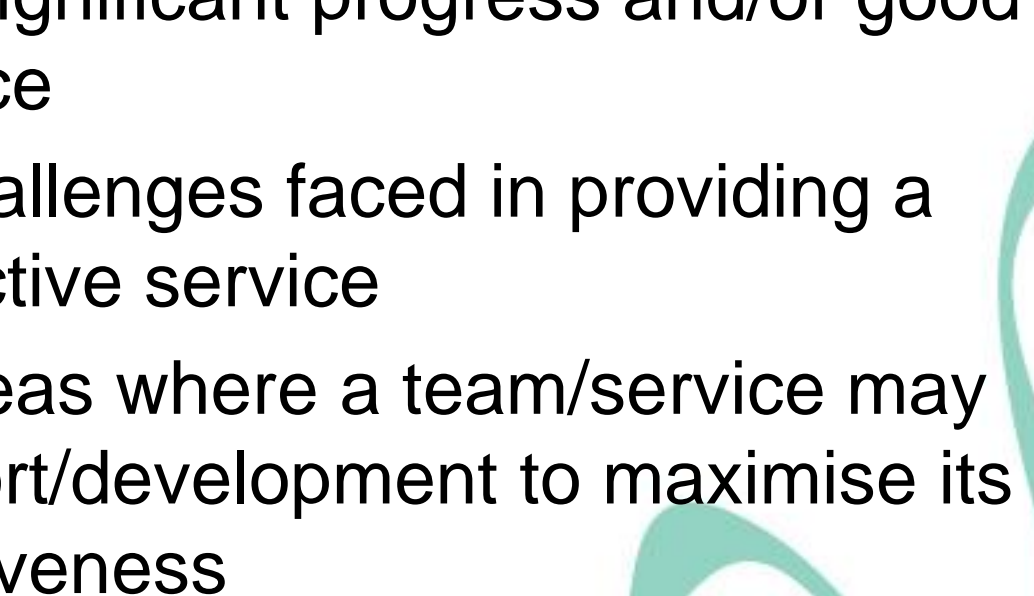
N CPR: Inclusion of key clinical issues (1)

- Increasing focus on addressing key clinical issues
 - Clinical Indicators to be developed in conjunction with SSCRGs and relevant tumour specific national bodies e.g. BAUS, BASO, AUGIS etc
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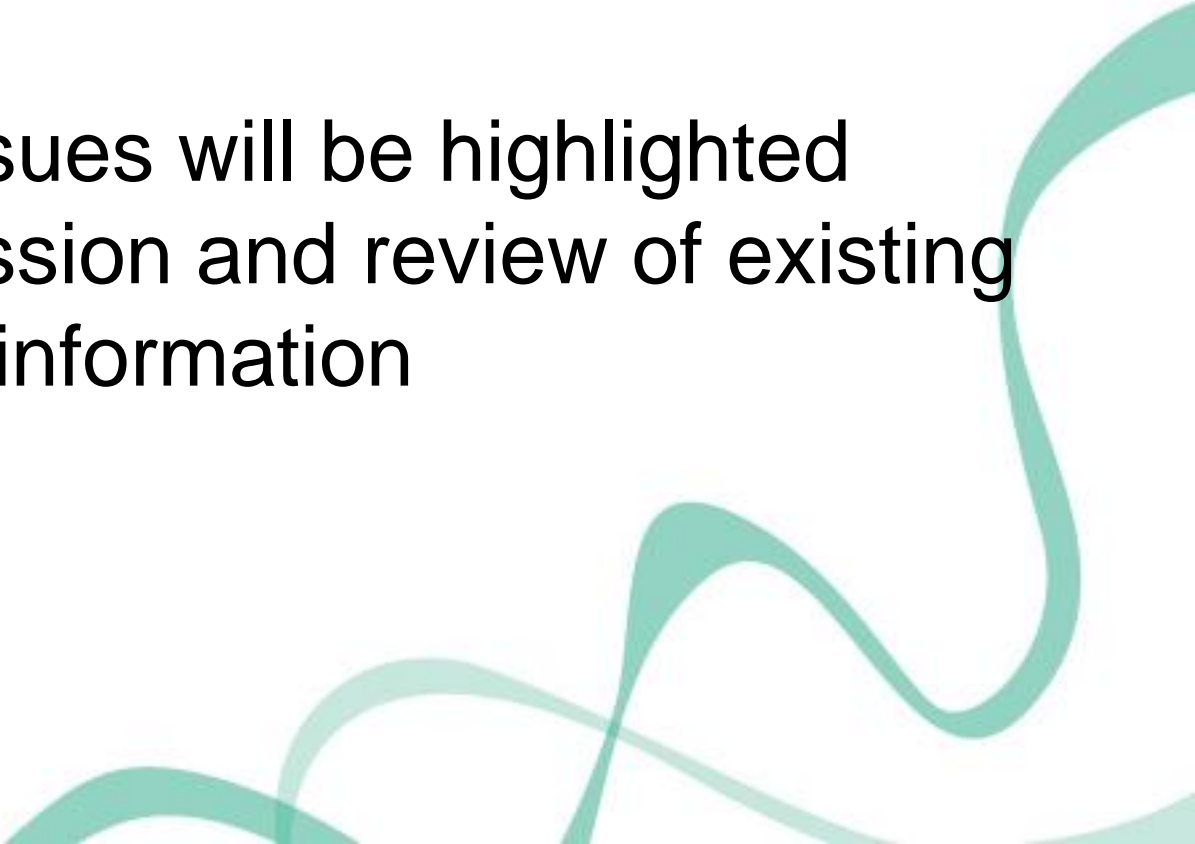
N CPR: Inclusion of key clinical issues (2)

- Rationale
 - Range of possible diagnostic and treatment interventions has increased
 - Subsequent guidance issued by NICE incorporated into Peer Review discussions
 - Supporting the overall aims of the Cancer Reform Strategy
 - In step with commissioning function of cancer services

N CPR: Inclusion of key clinical issues (3)

- Conclusions from clinical discussions with review teams will be supportive in
 - Highlighting significant progress and/or good clinical practice
 - Identifying challenges faced in providing a clinically effective service
 - Identifying areas where a team/service may require support/development to maximise its clinical effectiveness
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N CPR: Inclusion of key clinical issues (4)

- Not intended to introduce any additional measures to support this changed focus
 - Key clinical issues will be highlighted through discussion and review of existing evidence and information
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N CPR: Inclusion of key clinical issues (5)

- Progress to date
 - Pilot with Lung and Breast
 - List of possible indicators for Breast and Lung services which are to be reviewed during 2010/2011
 - Circulated for comment to Network Medical Directors
 - Discussion with SSCRG, NCIN , NCPR
 - First comments for Breast Peer Review received

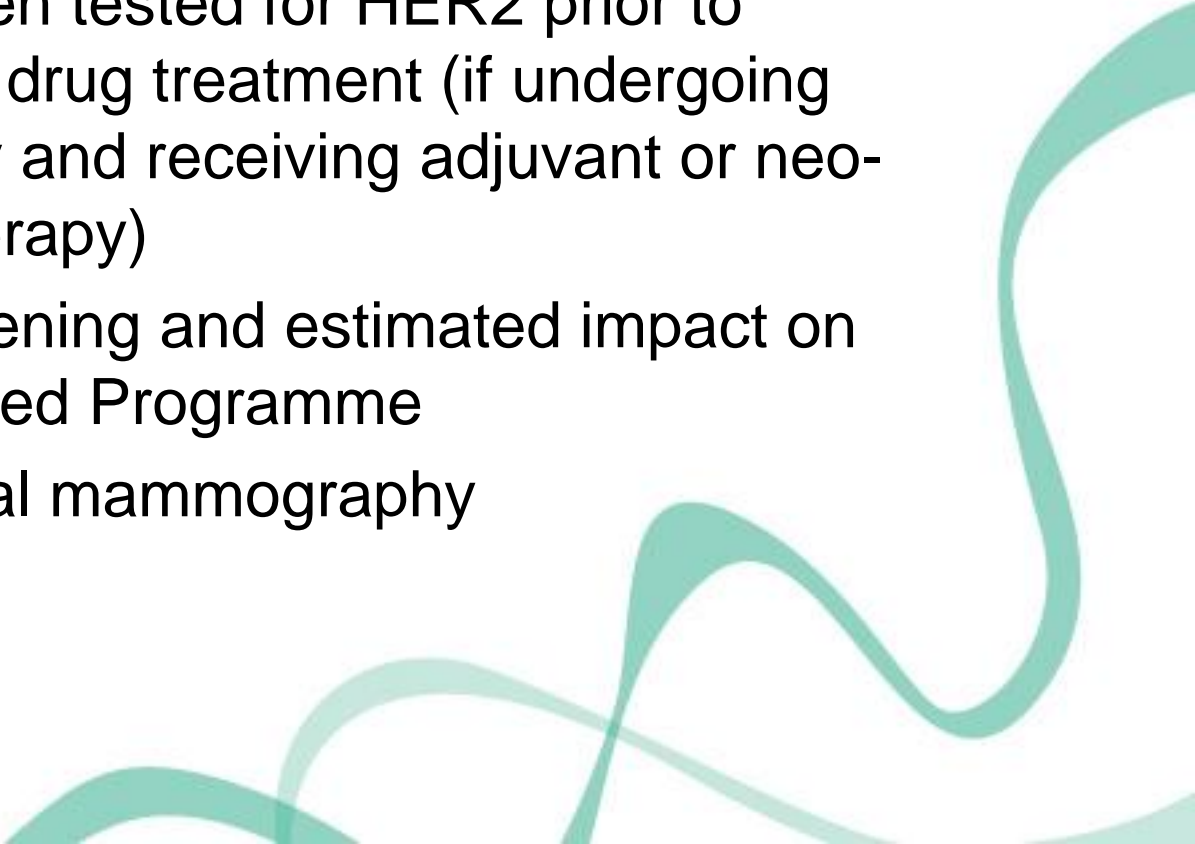
N CPR: Inclusion of key clinical issues (6)

- Key headline indicators – Lung reviews
 - The % of expected cases on whom data is recorded
 - The % Histological Confirmation Rate
 - The % Having active treatment
 - The % undergoing surgical resection (all cases excluding mesothelioma)
 - % small cell receiving chemotherapy

N CPR: Inclusion of key clinical issues (7)

- Key headline indicators – Breast reviews
 - National Data
- Percentage of women offered access to immediate reconstruction surgery by MDT or by referral onto another team and rate of uptake
- Ratio of mastectomy to Breast Conserving Surgery (BCS)
- Each surgeon managing at least 30 new cases per year
- Average length of stay for breast cancer with any surgical procedure
- The one-, two- and five-year survival rates

N CPR: Inclusion of key clinical issues (8)

- Key headline indicators – Breast reviews
 - Local Data
 - Proportion of women tested for HER2 prior to commencement of drug treatment (if undergoing resectional surgery and receiving adjuvant or neo-adjuvant chemotherapy)
 - Availability of Screening and estimated impact on workload of extended Programme
 - Availability of Digital mammography
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NCPR: Inclusion of key clinical issues (7)

Close the circle

NCIN ↔ NCPR

To improve cancer services/outcomes

