SECTION 9: Measuring outcomes

Bromley Public Health has a responsibility to monitor the implementation of the NHS Health Checks to ensure a quality service, which is effective in achieving its aims.

9:1 Quarterly Data Collection

See below mandatory data requirements identified in the Service Specification:

Core data applicable to **all** patients:

Invitation code		
NHS Health Check completed (Or NHS Health Check completed by Third Party)		
Age		
Gender		
Ethnicity		
Smoking status		
Family history of CVD		
Blood pressure, systolic and diastolic		
Body mass index (height and weight)		
General Practice physical activity questionnaire (GPPAQ)		
Alcohol use score (AUDIT-C and/or AUDIT)		
Cholesterol: Total Cholesterol and HDL (recorded in the last six months)		
Cardiovascular risk score (Qrisk2)		

Other mandatory data, not applicable to all patients:

Dementia awareness raising (65-74yrs)

Diabetes filter (If BMI ≥30 and / or BP systolic ≥140 and/or BP diastolic ≥90) then should have Blood test HbA1c requested, declined or completed

The effectiveness of the NHS Health Check programme will be measured against the Quality Outcome Indicators which can be found in the Service Specification. The following searches have been developed to enable your practice to submit the required data quarterly.

Data Requirement 1 NHS Health Check Eligible Patients	Identifies all patients who meet the eligibility criteria for an NHS Health Check regardless of whether they have had a check or not (plus a breakdown by patient ID number, age, gender, super output area).
Data requirement 2 Patients Invited	Number of patients invited to have an NHS Health Check per quarter, (plus a breakdown by patient ID number, age, gender, super output area, invitation type and associated text).
Data requirement 3 NHS Health Check Completed	Number of patients who received an NHS Health Check per quarter, (plus a breakdown by patient ID number, age, gender, place of procedure, and all information recorded on NHS Health Check Template)
Data requirement 4 NHS Health Check Completed Core Mandatory Data	Number of patients with NHS Health check completed code and all the CORE mandatory data completed (this will be the number used to calculate payment)
Data requirement 5 Diabetes Filter – Further Assessment	Identifies patients who fulfil the Diabetes Filter (B/P ≥140 and/or ≥ 90 and/or BMI ≥30 and/or ≥27.5 Sth Asian/Chinese) who require further assessment including blood test.
Data requirement 6 65+ Dementia Raising	Identifies patients aged ≥65 years who should receive the Dementia Awareness Raising Intervention.
Near Patient Cholesterol Test	Number of cholesterol cassettes used per quarter.

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Additional Data Collection

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Incomplete NHS Health Checks	This search is for practice use only as it contains patient identifiable information. Do not send this search report to Public Health. This search shows the Practice the patients who have an NHS Health Check code but who have missing CORE mandatory data. (ie. patients who appear on Data requirement 3 but not data requirement 4) Running the searches on a regular basis will enable the Practice to identify missing data, complete gaps where possible, to ensure maximum payment. If this search is blank, it is still important to check Data requirement 5 and 6
Annual Audit	To ensure outcomes of the NHS health checks programme can be reviewed, Providers should submit the annual figures requested by Public Health at the end of each financial year. The searches required for this will be provided by Bromley Public Health.

Validation

Bromley Public Health will be entitled to validate data submitted and ensure the Provider is meeting the quality requirements of the NHS Health Check Programme.