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PRIMIS case study

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Partners: AHSN Network, The Health Foundation, East Midlands AHSN

Project: PINCER implementation

Title: PINCER East Midlands roll out

Overview

Following the success of the PINCER trial, funding was obtained from The Health Foundation and East Midlands Academic Health Science Network, to roll out the intervention to 370 general practices across twelve East Midlands CCGs (September 2015 to April 2017).

Full case

Over 22,000 instances of hazardous prescribing were identified in a patient population of almost three million people following the completion of the East Midlands roll out, and you can find more details about this positive clinical impact of PINCER online.

In addition to the East Midlands roll out, since 2013 the PINCER Tool has been accessed by over 2,400 practices across 199 CCGs (30% of all practices in England) and has been delivered in other parts of the country including:

Wessex AHSN

Greater Manchester AHSN

Northern Ireland

Newcastle Gateshead CCG