

USE of the FAMILY HISTORY in RISK ASSESSMENT for CORONARY HEART DISEASE

ADDED value of the FAMILY history in
primary care study (**ADDFAM study**)



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Nottingham Primary Care
Research Partnership





ADDFAM study

Objective: *to evaluate the CLINICAL UTILITY of incorporating the family history into the standard CHD risk assessment in primary care*

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Design : *cluster randomised controlled trial in General Practice comparing **standard CHD risk assessment** with CHD risk assessment **ENHANCED** by systematic family history collection*



Risk calculation in standard arm

Performed by team to ensure standardisation

Uses **British Joint Societies Version II**, (Framingham equation) for CVD risk

Includes: Age

Gender

Smoking status (*most recent, however if stopped smoking in last 5 years*)

Systolic/diastolic BP (*ideally pre-treatment for hypertensives, current if unobtainable*)

Diabetic (*all patients in this study should be non-diabetic*)

PREVENTIVE Lifestyle advice and medication

(Follow-up consultation with higher risk CHD patients)



SMOKING: Brief smoking cessation intervention (NICE)

- Advise quitting 'giving up smoking is the single most important thing you could do to lower your CHD risk' and assess motivation 'how do you feel about quitting?'
- Offer specialist Stop Smoking service or NRT

DIET: Advice tailored to lower cholesterol/increase heart health

Low in saturated fat/increase polyunsaturates/fish oils

High in fruit and vegetables

High in wholegrains and foods with soluble fibre (pulses)

EXERCISE: Brief exercise intervention (NICE)

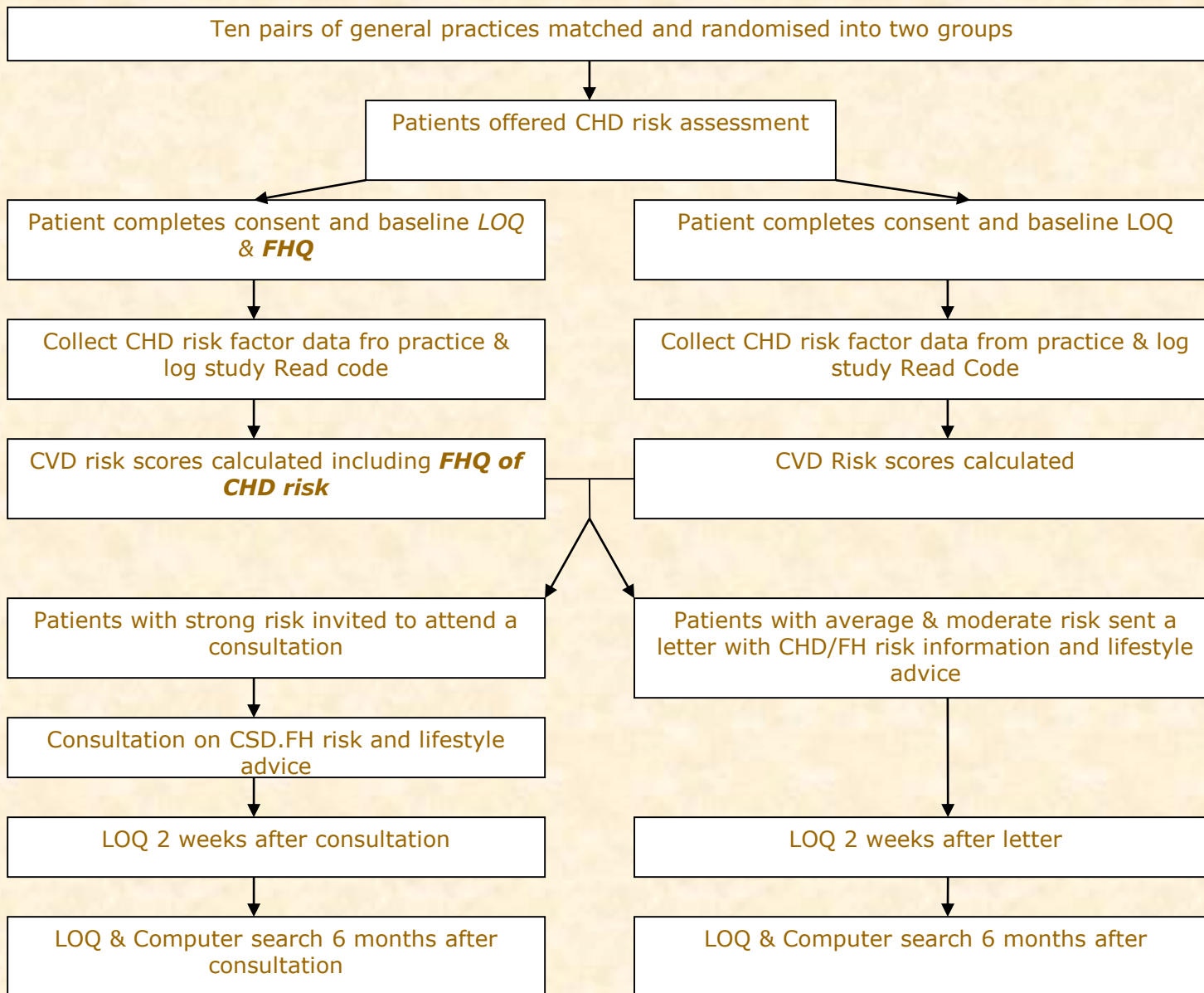
Advise 30 minutes of exercise, 5 times a week.

Set goals ('what do you think you could do?' 'how many times a week?')

Offer literature on local opportunities to exercise

MEDICATION: Statins recommended for >20% CVD risk (NICE), also aspirin

Flowchart of progress through Phase 2 is detailed below (from patient recruitment onwards):

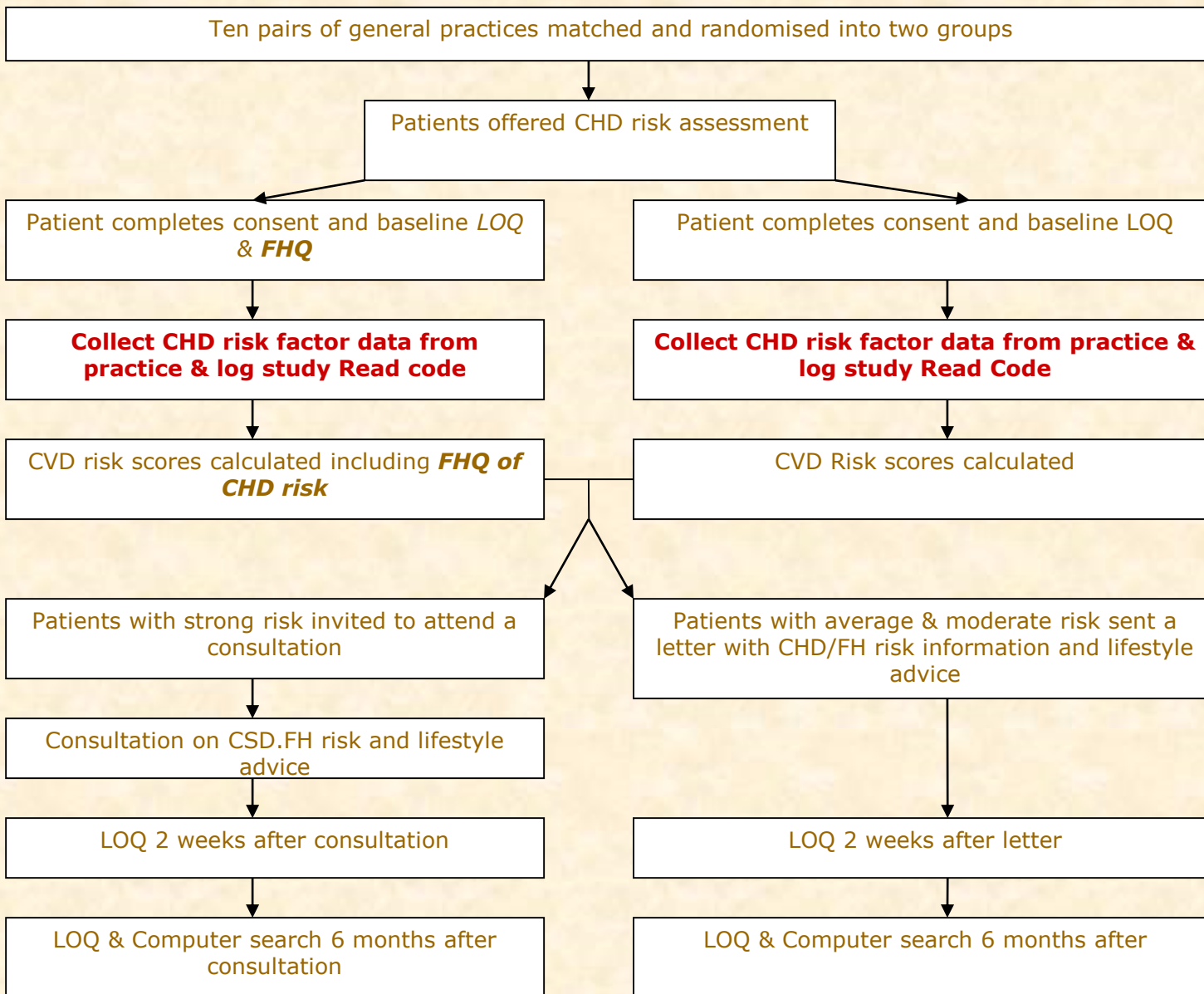




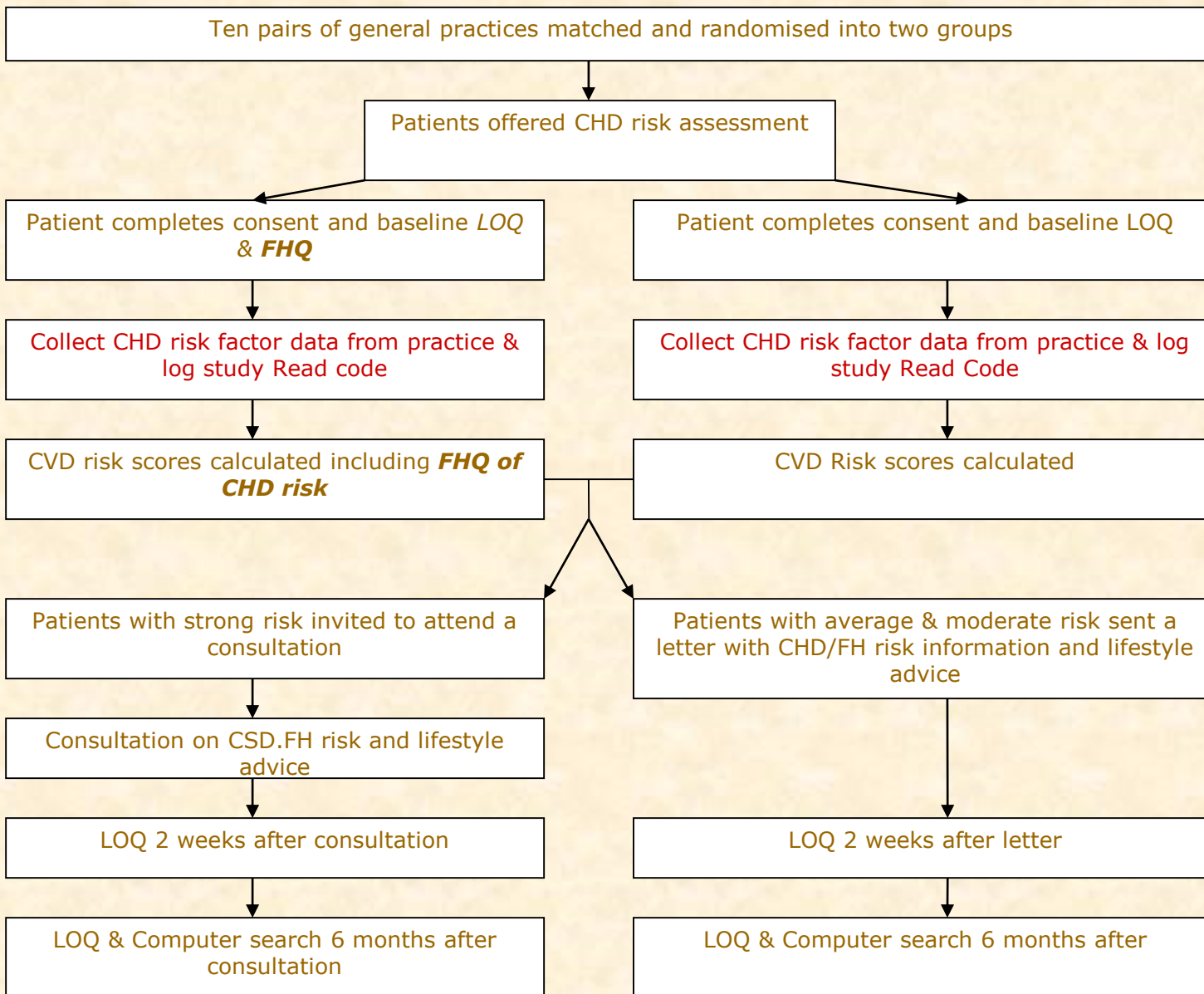
Data to collect on MIQUEST search

- **Data to evaluate primary prevention**

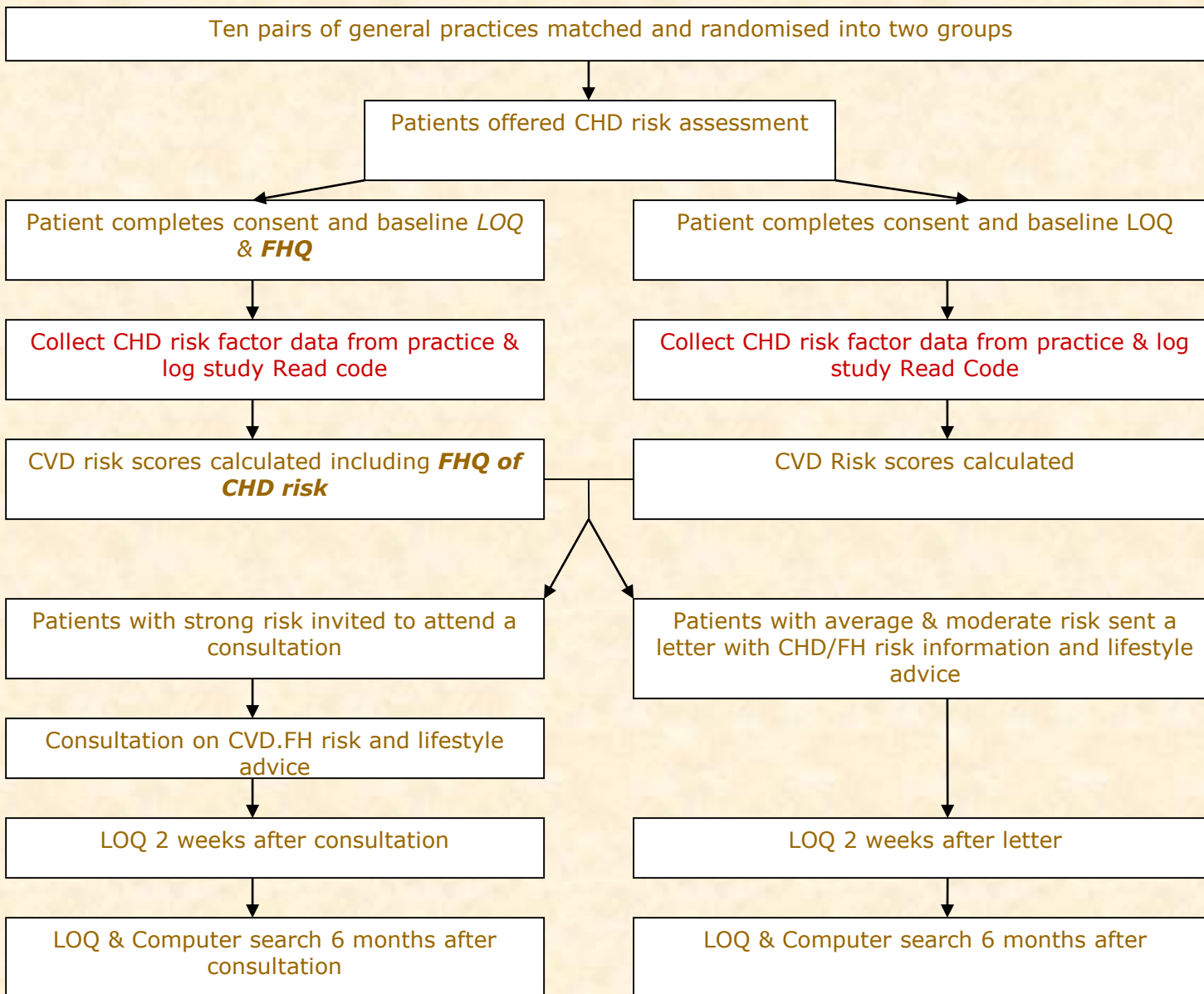
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The self-administered family history questionnaire

Family history in British General Practice

No relevant family history	122.	46	2.04 %
No FH: Glaucoma	1221	378	16.76 %
No FH: Cardiovascular disease	1224	1235	54.77 %
No FH: Stroke /TIA	1225	27	1.20 %
No FH: Ischaemic heart disease	1226	27	1.20 %
No FH: Hypertension	1227	41	1.82 %
No FH: Diabetes	1228	364	16.14 %
No FH: NOS	122Z	231	10.24 %
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FH: Tuberculosis	1231	3	0.13 %
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FH: Neoplasm - *	124.	19	0.84 %
FH: * - gastrointestinal tract	1241	14	0.62 %
FH: * - breast	1243	30	1.33 %
FH: * - skin	1244	3	0.13 %
FH: * - female genital organ	1245	5	0.22 %
FH: * - leukaemia	1248	1	0.04 %
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FH: Thyroid disorder	1251	2	0.09 %
FH: Diabetes mellitus	1252	67	2.97 %
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FH: Metabolic disorder	126.	1	0.04 %
FH: Raised blood lipids	1262	8	0.35 %
FH: Osteoporosis	1268	1	0.04 %
FH: Fam hypercholesterolaemia	1269	2	0.09 %
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FH: Anaemia	1271	1	0.04 %
FH: Hereditary spherocytosis	1272	1	0.04 %
FH: Sickle cell trait	1275	1	0.04 %
FH: Haemophilia	1276	1	0.04 %
FH: Blood disorder NOS	127Z	1	0.04 %
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FH: Mental disorder	128.	1	0.04 %
FH: Senile dementia	1281	1	0.04 %
FH: Schizophrenia	1284	1	0.04 %
FH: Depression	1285	1	0.04 %
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FH: Epilepsy	1296	15	0.67 %
FH: Muscular dystrophy	1298	4	0.18 %
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FH: Glaucoma	12A1	28	1.24 %
FH: Eye disorder NOS	12AZ	1	0.04 %
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FH: Cardiovascular disease	12C.	57	2.53 %
FH: Hypertension	12C1	102	4.52 %
FH: Ischaemic heart dis. <60	12C2	183	8.12 %
FH: Ischaemic heart dis. >60	12C3	148	6.56 %
FH: CVA/stroke	12C4	183	8.12 %
FH: Myocardial infarction	12C5	2	0.09 %
FH: CVS disease NOS	12CZ	87	3.86 %
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FH: Respiratory disease	12D.	1	0.04 %
FH: Asthma	12D2	189	8.38 %
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FH: Colitis	12E2	1	0.04 %
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FH: Polycystic kidney	12F1	2	0.09 %
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FH: Skin disease	12H.	1	0.04 %
FH: Eczema	12H1	66	2.93 %
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FH: Musculoskeletal disease	12I.	1	0.04 %
FH: Rheumatoid arthritis	12I1	1	0.04 %
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FH: Congenital anomaly	12J.	2	0.09 %
FH: Congenital anomaly NOS	12JZ	1	0.04 %
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Genetic Risk in Primary care project

■ Data Collection *so far*

- ◆ 302 FHQ returned from 12 practices & scored by Clinical Geneticist.
 - ◆ 2 *RURAL* Nottinghamshire
 - ◆ 4 *INNER-CITY* Nottingham
 - ◆ 1 *SUBURBAN* Nottingham
 - ◆ 4 *INNER-CITY* London
 - ◆ 1 *SUBURBAN* London
- ◆ **INTERVIEWS** returned from 111 patients
 - ◆ *converted into pedigrees using progeny 2000 & scored by Clinical Geneticist*