



Data Coordination Board Assurance Certificate

This assurance certificate confirms that the Information Standard, Collection or Extraction (ISCE) detailed below has been through assessment and is demonstrated to meet the quality assurance criteria set by the Data Coordination Board. On the basis of the evidence seen, it has been evaluated as being fit for the use as specified in the assured and published documents, within health and care in England.

Details	
DCB unique identifier	DCB3102 Amd 88/2019
Name	Cancer Quality of Life (QoL) Metric survey
DCB approval date	23 April 2020
Certificate expiry date	31 March 2023
Issued to	NHS England and NHS Improvement
Guidance	Guidance will be made available to providers in advance of the collection launch. Enquiries should be sent to alice.simon@nhs.net
About	
<p>This data collection, a joint project between NHS England and NHS Improvement and the National Cancer Registration and Analysis Service (NCRAS) based at Public Health England, supports the production of a national quality of life (QoL) metric for cancer.</p> <p>The data is sourced from a voluntary patient survey; in the first year, the survey will be sent to breast, prostate and colorectal cancer patients at 18 months post diagnosis. In time, the survey will be expanded to include all cancer patients 18 months post diagnosis.</p> <p>NCRAS will supply the patient cohort to NHS England and NHS Improvement who will issue the survey to patients, via Quality Heath, in accordance with Regulation 2 of the Health Service (Control of Patient Information) Regulations 2002. The results of the survey will be fed back to the NCRAS to support the production of the QoL metric for cancer.</p> <p>The controlled version of this Certificate can be found in the Assurance Certificate register.</p>	