

NCEPOD Community Acquired Pneumonia Study

- NCEPOD is undertaking a study to identify and explore avoidable and modifiable factors in the care of adults presenting to hospital with a presumed diagnosis of community acquired pneumonia.
- Data will be collected from all hospitals in England, Wales, and Northern Ireland, that admit patients with CAP. Patients must be aged 18 and over and admitted to hospital between 1st October 2021 - 31st December 2021 with a primary admission diagnosis of CAP.
- Retrospective study period: 1st October 2021 31st December 2021 inclusive
- Exclusions:
 - Patients under the age of 18
 - ❖ Patients presenting to hospital within 10 days of being discharged, where the discharge diagnosis of prior admission was not CAP
- Patients will be identified retrospectively for the study via completion of a data collection spreadsheet via ICD10, ECDS and SNOMED codes
- Data Collection: a clinical questionnaire, GP clinical and community organisational questionnaire, an organisational questionnaire, and a peer review of case note extracts
- Clinical reviewers will be recruited for the peer review of case notes
 (Recruitment Date TBC) Please see: https://www.ncepod.org.uk/cap.html

More info: study page above; email cap@ncepod.org.uk or call 020 7251 9060



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