

## **2021 ANNUAL REPORT**

SIG/Committee Name: United Kingdom & Ireland SIG Date: 11<sup>th</sup> Feb 2021

Co-Chairs: Anju Keetharuth, Trish Holch and Grace Turner Board Liaison: Kim Cocks

**Mission:** The overall aim of the United Kingdom and Ireland SIG would be to promote research into use of PROMS in the UK and Ireland. We would hope to address important methodological issues, discuss UK PROM developments as they arise. This will be an opportunity to encourage and facilitate networking, and support engagement with users (policy, clinical and patients). Support could also be provided for research students and fellows, new UK investigators and first time attendees at ISOQOL.

## **Number of SIG Members:**

Pr	oject/Objective	Actions/Deliverables	Methods, Theory or Application Project	Project Chair	Project Members	Timeline
1.	5th National Patient Reported Outcome Measures (PROMs) Research Conference (Virtual Event). 16th - 17th June 2021 at The University of Sheffield	Work in progress: Abstract submission deadline closed 8 <sup>th</sup> Feb 2021 64 Abstracts submitted		Tracey Young John Brazier	Jill Carleton, Trish Holch, Grace Turner, Amanda Lane, Phillip Powell, Kathryn McKellar, Alexis Foster, Laura Flight, Lizzie Taylor Buck	June 2021
2.	SIG meeting at virtual ISOQOL Conference 2020	Successful meeting- high attendance. Launched survey to capture data on the impact of COVID on PRO research/ clinical practice.		Trish Holch	Holch, Turner and Keetharuth	Complete
3.	Survey: Exploring the impact of COVID-19 on patient reported outcomes (PROM/PRO) collection, utilisation and development in clinical practice and research in the UK & Ireland.	Survey launched in November 2020. Continue to disseminate via Teamwork, Twitter and email.  Results of the survey will be disseminated at a virtual SIG meeting.		Trish Holch	Holch, Turner and Keetharuth	Spring 2021
4.	Training courses and resources relevant to PRO research collated and uploaded to Teamwork.	SIG member Timothy Pickles collated a list of training courses and resources relevant to PRO research. This has been added to Teamwork to share with all SIG members. We will encourage members to add to this list.		Timothy Pickles	Holch and Turner	Complete.

Issues Ro	equiring	<b>Board</b>	Attention
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