

## POST-ACUTE INPATIENT STROKE SERVICES

### SSNAP Organisational Audit - May 2025



**45** Participating sites



**807** Inpatient beds



**55.6%** Led by Consultant physician/specialist doctor

24% located in acute NHS trust  
62% located in community NHS trust  
11% located in combined acute and community NHS trust

Quality of post-acute inpatient services stroke care – % of sites

**97.8%**

#### Staffing / Workforce



**11%** Appropriate level of staffing for all core disciplines

**51%** Appropriate access to all relevant disciplines

**64%** Have inpatient nurses trained in stroke assessment and management

#### Access to specialist treatment & support



**64%** Have access to Vocational Rehabilitation at levels 1, 2 and 3

**4%** Have access to Psychological care (level 1, 2, 3) & Clinical Psychology

#### Service Access



**56%** Have access to formally commissioned support services

#### Participate in SSNAP clinical audit

**80%**

#### Stroke/neurology specific service

#### 7-day working



**22%** Rehabilitation\* is available everyday

#### Patient & carer engagement



**42%** Undertake a formal survey seeking Patient/carers views on stroke service

#### Quality Improvement & leadership




**53%** Have weekly formal multidisciplinary meeting with core disciplines in attendance


**29%** Actively involved in research

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	Key Indicators		2021	2025	Change
	KI 1	Participation in SSNAP clinical audit	86%	98%	+12%
	KI 4	Appropriate access to all relevant disciplines	18%	51%	+33%
	KI 5	Rehabilitation provided every day*	10%	22%	+12%

	Key Indicators		2021	2025	Change
	KI 2	Stroke/neurology specific service	73%	80%	+7%
	KI 3	Appropriate level of staffing for all core disciplines*	13%	11%	-2%
	KI 6	Access to clinical psychology (within service or access to)	56%	53%	-3%
		Access to Psychological care (level1,2,3) & Clinical Psychology*		4%	NEW
		Level 1 Psychological care		13%	NEW
		Level 2 Psychological care		47%	NEW
		Level 3 Psychological care		44%	NEW
	KI 7	Inpatient nurses are trained in stroke assessment and management	58%	64%	+6%
	KI 11	Weekly formal multidisciplinary meeting with core disciplines in attendance	60%	53%	-7%

\*The criteria for KIs 3, 4, 5 and 6 have changed since 2021, please see [Combined-Organisational-Audit-Key-Indicators](#) for further details on these changes and the new KIs introduced.

KI 8, 9, 10, and 12 are applicable to community rehabilitation services only