**BSW FeNo Testing in Primary Care Project**

**In collaboration with the West of England AHSN FeNO Testing in Primary Care is being rolled out across BSW.** FeNO testing is used for assisting in diagnosis of allergic asthma alongside other respiratory tests, and aids in the management of asthma. The aim of this innovation will be to improve patient care and outcomes by more effective diagnosis of patients suspected of having asthma.

The objectives of this system wide project are to:

* Improve patient care and outcomes by more accurate and effective diagnosis of patients suspected of having asthma
* Improve patient care through better understanding of an individual patient's condition in relation to their fractional exhaled nitric oxide (FeNO) score

To support implementation and sustainability we are excited to offer the following opportunities:

**Clinical Lead (3 posts)**

We are looking for passionate team members to join the core project team implementing FeNO testing in primary care across the 3 localities of BSW. This is a 7 month project which requires varying levels of commitment as required to meet the implementation plan. We are able to offer a role for each locality with BaNES leading between now and December, Swindon from December to February and Wiltshire from January to March. There is backfill funding available.

The role will involve:

* Representing localities at project team meetings
* Communicating progress and feedback to practice teams
* Highlighting risks and issues to the project team
* Supporting training and implementation of FeNO testing
* Liaising with colleagues across localities

Funding

* 12 weeks at 1 PA/half a day per week during locality implementation phase
* 12 weeks at 1 PA/half a day per month during preparation and maintenance phases

Project Phases

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| **Phase 1****Now to December 21** | **Phase 2****December 21 to February 22** | **Phase 3****January to March 22** |
| BaNES implementation | BaNES maintenance | BaNES maintenance and evaluation |
| Swindon preparation | Swindon implementation | Swindon maintenance and evaluation |
|  | Wiltshire preparation | Wiltshire implementation |

**Central Administrative Coordinator (1 post)**

We are looking for someone with great organisational skills, tenacity and patience to support the rollout of FeNO testing across BSW. This will be for at Band 4, 1 day per week until the end of March 2022. This will ideally suit someone who is familiar with BSW localities and is able to work the hours across the week. This can be a secondment or in addition to part time hours.

The role will involve:

* Supporting locality phase project groups
* Providing a link across implementation phases
* Co-ordinating and scheduling locations for roving FeNO devices
* Organising transportation schedule for roving FeNO devices
* Communicating progress and feedback to practice teams
* Collating staff and patient feedback

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