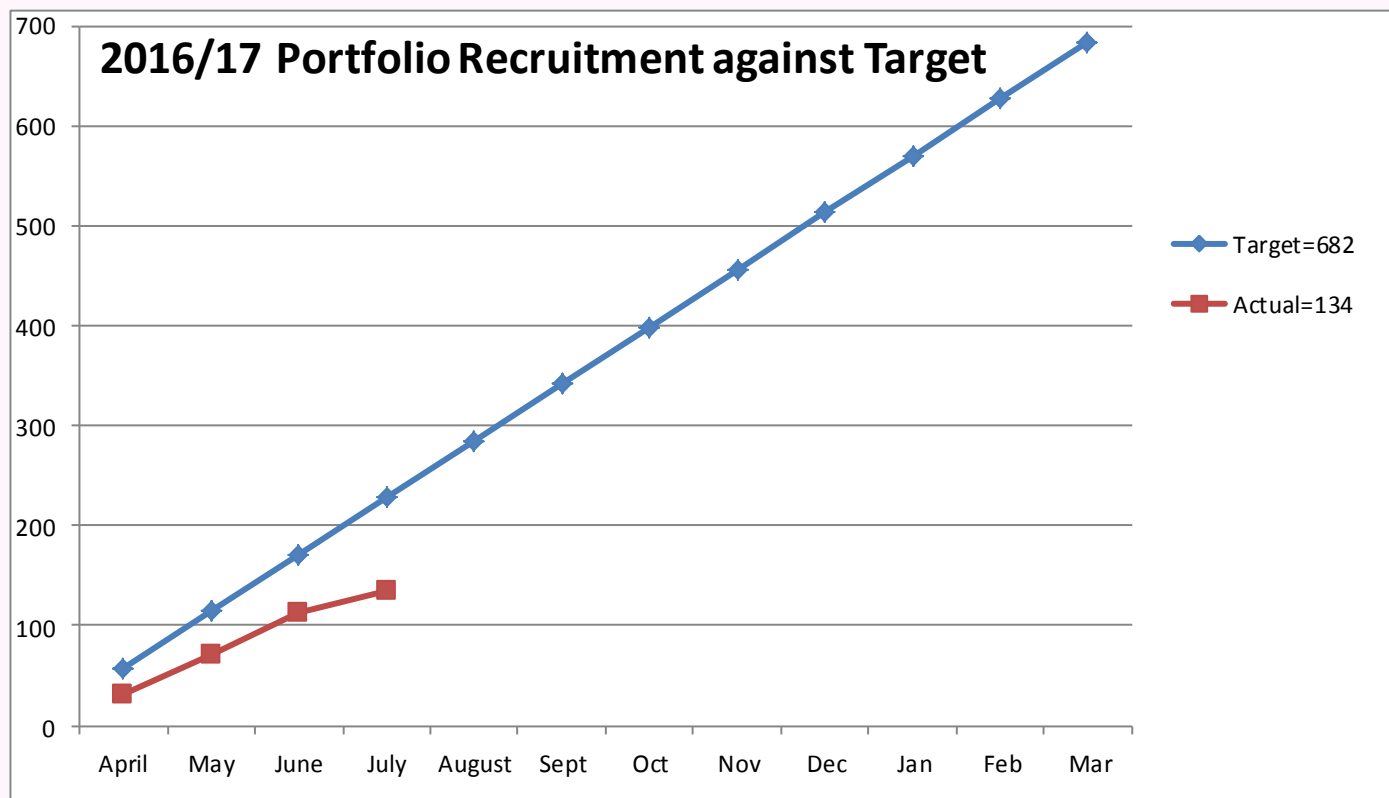


RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT AUGUST NEWSLETTER

RECRUITMENT 2016/17 - ODP DATA CUT DATE 21/08/2016



To see recruitment by specialties follow this link

<http://commsport/Departments/rd/Pages/NIHR-Portfolio-chart-15.16.aspx>

OPEN COMMERCIAL STUDIES: DATA AS AT 31ST JULY 2016.

Specialism	Principal Investigator	Total Target recruitment	Total Actual Recruitment
Gastroenterology	Professor Matt Rutter	3	4
Gastroenterology	Professor Matt Rutter	15	17
Cardiology	Dr Justin Carter	8	9
Cardiology	Dr Justin Carter	20	15
Cardiology	Dr Mathew Dewhurst	6	1
Respiratory	Dr Benjamin Prudon	10	4

R&D AUGUST NEWSLETTER

In September we will be bidding a sad but very fond farewell to **Helen Talbot** our R&D Facilitator. Helen has worked with us since 2011 and will be hugely missed by all research staff in the trust. She is a font of all knowledge for research governance, CSP, LPMS, PID, feasibility, eligibility, R&D approval—you name it! She is re-locating back “home” to Scotland and has a new post as Regulatory Administrator for Scottish Cancer Network in Glasgow. We wish her every success in her new life in Scotland and her new post. To replace Helen, we welcome a new member of staff, **Mohammed Shazad Khalid**—or “**Shaz**” as he likes to be called. Shaz has previously worked at CDDFT as data assistant. We will have a three week period of cross-over whilst Shaz learns the ropes from Helen before she disappears. Please can you start copying Shaz into any emails you send to Helen Email: Shaz.Khalid@nth.nhs.uk

Publications:

An abstract will be published in the BMJ “**Family's Voice helping relatives or friends in the last days of life (Original Research Project)**”

Authors

- Mr Mel McEvoy (Nurse Consultant) Integrated Care Services Specialist Palliative Care Team
- Mr John Blenkinsopp (Deputy Clinical Effectiveness Manager)
- Dr Eileen Scott (Patient Safety Co-Ordinator)

Also a poster will be presented, **Round the clock: Making 24/7 palliative care a reality.**

“Good news “

National Institute of Health Research (NIHR) sends huge congratulations to North Tees research staff for exceeding the performance targets in 2015/16 in the following areas :

- Stroke
- Diabetes (supported by Paediatrics)

Thank you for all your hard work and efforts!

TOP 5 RECRUITING SPECIALISMS

1. **RESPIRATORY**
2. **CARDIOLOGY**
3. **NEONATES**
4. **HEPATOLOGY & CANCER**
5. **REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH/
ORTHOPAEDICS & GASTROENTROLOGY**

STAR OF THE MONTH!

**RESPIRATORY
FOR EMBARC STUDY
(RECRUITED 31)**

WELL DONE!!



Research Staff

Director	Professor Samir Gupta	24090
Manager	Jane Greenaway	83251
Team leader	Lynne Williams	83253
Facilitator	Helen Talbot	24733
Administrator	Pauline Shepherd	24090
Data Assistant	Jean Bage	83046
Cardiology	Julie Quigley & Pam Race	83114
Paediatrics	Gabrielle Osborne, Heather Walker, Carolyn Campbell & Rebecca Tate	46041
Neonates	Wendy Cheadle & Rebecca Tate	24247/24248
Respiratory	Nicola Bateman, Lynda Poole, June Battram, Claire Irish & Angela Scott-Johnson	24580/24581/24582
Obs & Gynae	Sharon Gowans, Alison Samuels, Rebecca Tate	83111
A&E	Laura O'Rourke	83204
Diabetes	Sue Kelsey	83116
Dermatology	Sue Kelsey	83116
Stroke	Susan Crawford	83706
Cancer	Helen Wilson & Sarah Essex	83277
GI /Hepatology	Carol Adams, Deborah Wilson, Tracey Johnston, Anne Eastick & Deborah Smith	24164/24524
Surgery	Debbie Wilson, Liz Baker	24163/83778

If you have any good news research stories to share with us we would love to feature them in our next newsletter so please email Jean and tell us what you have been up to... Jean Bage: 01642 383046 jean.bage2@nth.nhs.uk

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