

Clinical Quality Registries

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Australian Clinical Registries

• What registries may be collecting data in your health service?





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Diseases/events captured by Australian registries

Cardiovascular disease



- Australia New Zealand Society of Cardiac and Thoracic Surgeons (ANZSCTS) Cardiac Surgery Database Programme
- Coronary Angiogram Database of South Australia (CADOSA)
- Australian Stroke Clinical Registry (AuSCR)
- Australasian Vascular Audit
- Victorian Cardiac Outcomes Registry (VCOR)
- Victorian Ambulance Cardiac Arrest Registry (VACAR)



Australian Clinical Registries

Diseases/events captured by Australian registries Critical care and infection control

- The Victorian State Trauma Registry (VSTR)
- Victorian Orthopaedics Trauma Outcome Registry (VOTOR)
- Australian and New Zealand Intensive Care Society (ANZICS): Adult Patient Database (APD)
- Australian and New Zealand Paediatric Care (ANZPIC) Registry
- Australian and New Zealand Massive Transfusion Registry
- Australian and New Zealand Intensive Care Society (ANZICS): Central Line Associated Blood Stream Infection (CLABSI) Surveillance System
- Victorian Healthcare Associated Infection Surveillance System (VICNISS)
- Burns Registry of Australia and New Zealand (BRANZ)



Diseases/events captured by Australian registries

Chronic disease and rehab

- Australian Cystic Fibrosis Data Registry (ACFDR)
- Australian Motor Neuron Disease Registry (AMNDR)
- Spleen Registry Australia
- Australian Bleeding Disorders Registry (ABDR)
- Australasian Rehabilitation Outcomes Centre (AROC)
- Australian Rheumatology Association Database (ARAD)



Diseases/events captured by Australian registries

Procedure and device

- Australian Breast Device Registry
- Australian Orthopaedic Association National Joint Replacement Registry (AOANJRR).
- Breast Surgery Australia New Zealand Quality Audit
- Bariatric Surgery Clinical Quality Registry
- Australian Corneal Graft Registry



Diseases/events captured by Australian registries Transplant

- Australasian Bone Marrow Transplant Recipient Registry (ABMTRR)/ Australasian Stem cell Transplants Online (ASTRO)
- Australia and New Zealand Liver Transplant Registry (ANZLTR)
- Australia New Zealand Dialysis and Transplantation Registry (ANZDATA)



Diseases/events captured by Australian registries

Cancer

- Prostate Cancer Outcome Registry- Australia and New Zealand (PCOR-ANZ)
- Victorian Lung Cancer Registry (VLCR)
- Binational Colorectal Cancer Audit (BCCA)
- South Australian Metastatic Colorectal Cancer Registry
- Australian Thyroid Cancer Audit
- Australian Paediatric Cancer Registry (APCR)
- Upper GI Cancer Registry



Monash Clinical Registries - History





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Monash Clinical Quality Registries

Currently operate 25 clinical and clinical quality registries – the leading provider of clinical registries in Australia





What are clinical registries?





Monash Clinical Quality Registries (CQRs)

CQRs as defined by the Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care:

[CQRS are] "organisations that systematically monitor the quality (appropriateness and effectiveness) of health care, within specific clinical domains, by routinely collecting, analysing and reporting healthrelated information. The information is used to identify benchmarks, significant outcome variance, and inform improvements in healthcare quality."





Difference between a clinical registry, clinical trial and CQR?

	Clinical registry	Clinical trial	CQR
Collects incidence data *how many cases are there?	✓	✓	\checkmark
Reports patterns of care	+/-	\checkmark	\checkmark
Observational	\checkmark	-	\checkmark
Collects patient reported outcomes	-	+/-	\checkmark
Interventional	-	\checkmark	-
Collects health outcomes	+/-	\checkmark	\checkmark
Collects population-level data	-	-	\checkmark
Minimal information	+/-	-	\checkmark
Monitors quality of care using indicators	-	-	\checkmark
Provides feedback to hospitals/clinicians	-	-	\checkmark



Clinical Quality Registry Process Overview





Registry Governance and Funding



Central registry: includes quality assurance, reporting, Peripheral data collection: initial data & outcome collection:



Clinical Quality Registry Minimum Dataset



DATA SPINE

from everyone minimal

epidemiologically sound no clinical judgement unchanging identifiable linkable risk adjustable bench-markable



DATA RIB may be time limited from interested centres typically requires funding

Measurement is foundational to advancing healthcare improvement



Some administrative data are excellent e.g. Procedure codes

But, others are poor e.g. comorbidities and risk factors. Patient-reported outcomes



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Medical Research Future Fund



Data and infrastructure

Priority	Detail
Clinical quality registries	Provide start-up investment in disease or therapy-focussed clinical registries supported by a national framework to maximise interoperability and value of research to clinical practice.

Recommendation 3.4:

That departmental monitoring of safety and quality includes monitoring against a comprehensive range of outcome indicators using hospital routine data and data from clinical registries.

Recommendation 3.7:

That:

- 3.7.1. the funding contracts for clinical quality registries funded by the department be renegotiated to provide:
 - an explicit requirement for all performance metrics to be provided to hospital chief executives (or their designated nominee) and to the department at the same time as they are fed back to clinical units
 - for registries that have been in existence for more than a decade, a full dataset of registry data to the department (the new Victorian Health Performance Authority when established) at least annually to allow matching to, and incorporation in, the relevant routine dataset (the data provided should have the names of individual clinicians removed)
- 3.7.2. the new Victorian Health Performance Authority publishes metrics derived from clinical registries in its quarterly public report



Exploring one registry- PCOR-Vic





Prostate Cancer Outcome Registry-Victoria

- Prostate cancer is:
 - the most common non-skin cancer in Australian men
 - the second most common cause of death, behind lung cancer.
 - the most costly of all cancer types; almost twice that of the next two most costly combined, more than twice the economic cost of breast cancer, and more than three times the economic cost of lung cancer
 - A chronic disease, with 5 year survival at >92% in Australia
 - A debilitating disease of older men, associated with a significantly higher risk of suicide compared to men without prostate cancer.









Prostate Cancer Outcome Registry-Victoria

- § Treatment pathways for prostate cancer:
 - > Surgery
 - Radiotherapy
 - Active surveillance.
- S Active Surveillance (AS) increasingly being used in the management of low risk prostate cancer.
- § Primary aim of active surveillance avoid unnecessary treatment of men with low risk disease and monitor them in a manner that enables recognition of signs of progression with the intent of deferred treatment being curative.

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VICTORIA



Prostate Cancer Outcome Registry-Victoria

- § Established in 2009 to understand reasons for variation in survival and monitor treatment and outcomes
- § Men in rural regions of Australia have a statistically significant and increasing age standardised mortality compared to metro counterparts ¹
 - Victorian data ²
 - Melbourne Metro 5-year survival = 86%
 - Rest of Victoria 5-year survival = 80%
 - Within rural ICS, 3-fold difference in mortality.
- 1. Coory MD, Baade PD. Urban–rural differences in prostate cancer mortality, radical prostatectomy and prostate-specific antigen testing in Australia. Med J Aust 2005; 182:112-5.
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Prostate cancer management according to where you live....





... and your socioeconomic status



Over-treatment? Under-treatment?



So... more advanced disease is regional patients; less treatment for men in regional Victoria, more treatment in men from high socioeconomic class and in private hospitals....what does all this mean?



Good care	(indicators) Measured by
Good documentation	PSA at diagnosis cT documented in medical record
Treatment is timely	Time from diagnosis to treatment for high-risk disease Time from referral to diagnosis
Treatment is appropriate	Evidence of high-risk men receiving treatment Evidence of low-risk men on active surveillance
Treatment is effective	Risk-adjusted positive surgical margins Five-year biochemical recurrence rate
Treatment is safe	In-hospital death from surgical complication
Care is patient-centred and responsive	Urinary, bowel and sexual bother by treatments

+++ evidence also demonstrates that men should receive adequate info to make informed management choice and receive sexual counselling + more...



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Examples of quality improvement- PCOR-Vic





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Reduction in positive surgical margins =









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Reduction in active treatment=

Reducing 10 active treatments in PRIAS patients



... prevents poorer quality of life in 6 patients



and results in benefits of \$155,000 in avoided treatment costs.



* (not including \$ benefits improved Quality of Life)

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But.....

- A (rib) study off PCOR-Vic has identified that
 - Only 26.5% of men are receiving surveillance in accordance with minimal requirements
 - Men on AS in private hospitals are 80% more likely to have adequate AS compared to men in public hospitals
 - Why?
 - Registries are platforms for future research



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Prostate cancer summit 2016





Features ⁴¹

MEN'S HEALTH

Smart registry reports on prostate cancer patients



A bold and ambitious system, designed to ensure men receive optimum treatment for prostate cancer, has just been launched in Australia and New Zealand.

It involves creating an allencompassing database that combines the objective metrics of men's cancer with subjective accounts of their experiences with the management of their disease.

Countries commonly have cancer registries which record when a cancer is diagnosed and when the patient dies. What happens "in between" is largely



A combined database for Australia and New Zealand offers cancer sufferers hope.

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Recommendation 1: Universal contribution to PCOR Vic and share data with local clinical group





More efficient data collection





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- International benchmarking of quality of care



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- Clinical Registries have proven benefits for increasing knowledge of diseases; for improving clinical care; and for providing a platform for clinical research.
- Australia can learn from international examples where:
 - Registries are embedded into clinical care
 - Registries are embedded into funding mechanisms
 - Registry international benchmarking is core business
- National clinical registry strategy needs to be coordinated with jurisdictions and private stakeholders
- Ongoing strategy for sustainable infrastructure and funding required



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