

NATIONAL QUALITY BOARD

The First National Data Quality Report on the Health and Social Care system in England

A report from the Quality Information Committee of the National Quality Board

Annexes

- A – superseded by published document, The First National Data Quality Report
- B – Quality Information Committee members

Summary

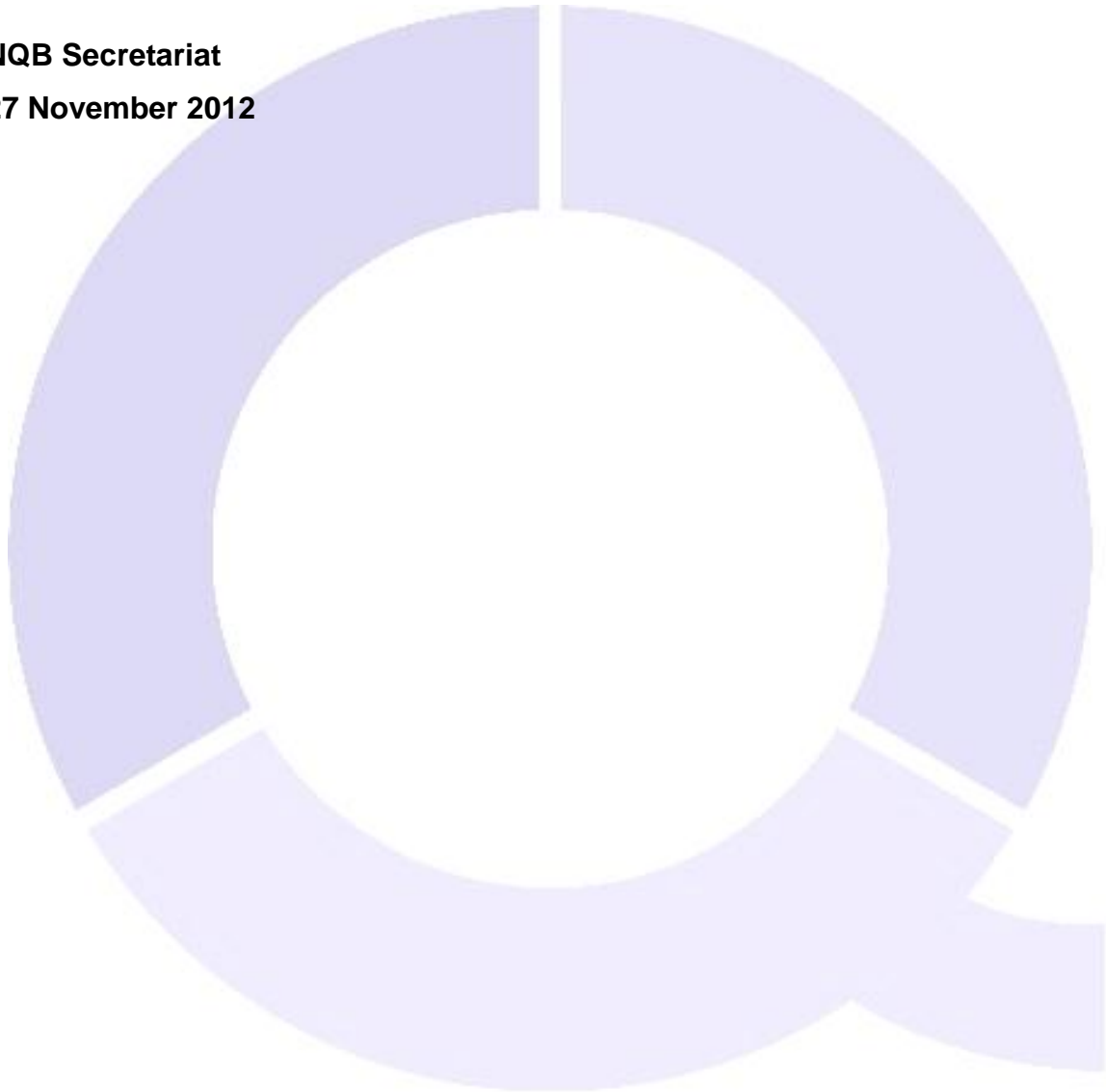
1. The Quality Information Committee was established by the National Quality Board in 2009 to improve alignment in the system and focus on the improvement of care for people through the better use of information.
2. QIC have developed the attached report (**Annex A**) on data quality in the health and social care system. More specifically the report provides:
 - a. the first comprehensive collection and review of the work that is current and at national level, which deals with data quality in the health and social care system in England;
 - b. recommended actions to strengthen the ability of the system to improve data quality; and
 - c. examples of best practice in improving data quality
3. The report has been developed through a comprehensive literature review, engagement with stakeholders and through the expertise of QIC members (listed at **Annex B**).
4. A summary of the reports findings, and its recommendations are set out in the Executive Summary.

The NQB is asked to:

- A. note and comment on the reports findings;**
- B. comment on and agree to the recommendations in the report; and**
- C. consent to the report's publication, subject to any changes requested by NQB members, in the name of the NQB.**

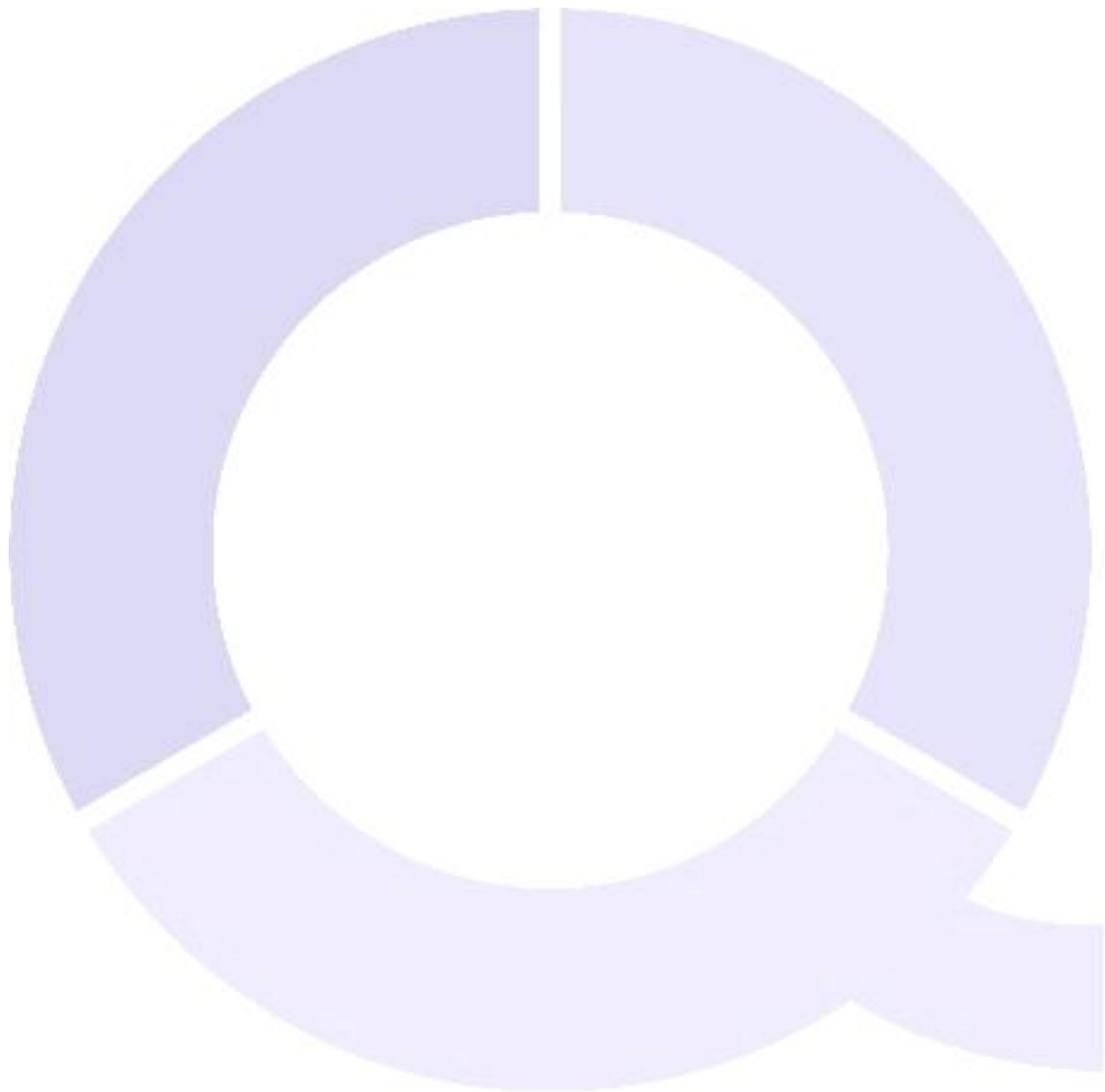
NQB Secretariat

27 November 2012



Annex A

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Annex B

Quality Information Committee Membership

- David Haslam – Chair

NQB Members (or representatives)

- Sally Brearley
- Tim Kelsey
- Bruce Keogh
- Richard Hamblin (CQC)
- Gillian Leng (NICE)
- Toby Lambert (Monitor)

External Members

- John Carvel (formerly Social Affairs Editor of The Guardian)
- Andrew Vallance-Owen (Group Medical Director at Bupa)
- Samantha Riley (Head of the Quality Observatory, NHS South East Coast)
- Julian Flowers (Director at Eastern Region Public Health Observatory)
- Martin Severs (Chair of the NHS Information Standards Board)
- Andrew Jones (Group Medical Director, Nuffield Health)
- Tim Straughan (Chief Executive of the Health and Social Care)
- Mark Davies (Executive Medical Director at the NHS Information Centre)