

Ox-PAQ Update: The quarterly newsletter of the Ox-PAQ Initiative

Welcome to the eleventh edition of *Ox-PAQ Update*. News from the last three months is given below:

- Cognitive interviews to assess the usability and acceptability of the e-based Ox-PAQ are underway. The interviews are being conducted with people with motor neurone disease, multiple sclerosis and Parkinson's disease. Early indications from participants have been very positive and we anticipate these interviews being completed in the New Year.
- Our manuscript detailing the psychometric analysis of the Ox-PAQ is currently under review by the open access journal *Patient Related Outcome Measures*. Further details on the progress of this article will be provided in our next newsletter.
- Our second Ox-PAQ abstract of 2015 was presented in November at the 22nd World Congress of Neurology, which took place in Santiago, Chile. The abstract has been published in *Journal of the Neurological Sciences* and can be found at the following link:

http://www.jns-journal.com/article/S0022-510X(15)01455-0/pdf

The full reference for the abstract is as follows:

Kelly, L., Dummett, S., Dawson, J., Fitzpatrick, R., Jenkinson, C., Morley, D. (2015). Psychometric evaluation of the Oxford Participation & Activities Questionnaire (Ox-PAQ). *Journal of the Neurological Sciences*, 357(S1), e273.

A third and final Ox-PAQ abstract for 2015 was presented at the 18th Annual European Congress of the International Society for Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research (ISPOR), which took place in Milan, Italy. The abstract has been published in the journal *Value in Health* and can be found at the following link:

http://www.valueinhealthjournal.com/issue/S1098-3015(14)X0015-X?page=45

The full reference for the abstract is as follows:

Morley, D., Dummett, S., Dawson, J., Fitzpatrick, R., Churchman, D.R., Kelly, L., Jenkinson, C. (2015). The Oxford Participation & Activities Questionnaire (Ox-PAQ): Psychometric Analysis. *Value in Health*, 18(7), A742.



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- Our first abstract for 2016 has been submitted for presentation at the 2nd
 Congress of the European Academy of Neurology which will take place in
 Copenhagen, Denmark, next May. Acceptance notification is scheduled for
 early March.
- Just a reminder that all documentation related to the project can be found at http://www.dph.ox.ac.uk/research/hsru/OxPAQ

That completes our eleventh newsletter. We would, as always, be grateful for any feedback you might have. The next edition of *Ox-PAQ Update* will be circulated towards the end of March 2016.

Please email David (<u>david.morley@dph.ox.ac.uk</u>) or Crispin (<u>crispin.jenkinson@dph.ox.ac.uk</u>) if you have any specific questions or suggestions regarding the project.

Merry Christmas to all,

The Ox-PAQ Team

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