



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

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

- The first phase of our e-based survey to assess the sensitivity to change of the Ox-PAQ will close on 30th September. To date we have recruited 462 participants, of which 364 have completed their first administration of the Ox-PAQ. The second phase will begin early in October and participant numbers will again be reported via *Ox-PAQ Update*. As ever, our thanks go to the following organisations for their assistance with participant recruitment: British Lung Foundation, Motor Neurone Disease Association, Multiple Sclerosis Society and Parkinson's UK.
- A manuscript detailing additional psychometric analyses of the Ox-PAQ has recently been submitted for publication in the open-access journal *Health and Quality of Life Outcomes*. The manuscript is currently undergoing peer-review. Details of any further progress will be provided in our next newsletter.
- Our second abstract for 2016 will be presented at the 23rd Annual Conference of the International Society for Quality of Life Research (ISOQOL), which takes place in October in Copenhagen, Denmark. The abstract is to be published in a supplement of the journal *Quality of Life Research*. A full reference and link to the abstract will be provided in our next newsletter.
- A third and final abstract for this year has been accepted for presentation at the International Society for Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research (ISPOR) 19th Annual European Congress, which is being held in Vienna, Austria from 29th October to 2nd November. The abstract will be published in a supplement of the journal *Value in Health*. A full reference and link to the abstract will be provided in our next newsletter.
- We are currently considering Ox-PAQ dissemination options for 2017 and have shortlisted the following international conferences:
 - 22nd Annual International Meeting of ISPOR, May 2017, Boston, USA.



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- 21st International Congress of Parkinson's Disease and Movement Disorders, June 2017, Vancouver, Canada.
- 3rd Congress of the European Academy of Neurology, June 2017, Amsterdam, Netherlands.
- 13th World Congress of Neurology, September 2017, Kyoto, Japan.
- 23rd Annual Conference of ISOQOL, October 2017, Philadelphia, USA.
- 20th Annual European Congress of ISPOR Glasgow, November 2017, Glasgow, Scotland.

Final decisions as to which of these conferences will be attended will be made over the coming months.

- Just a reminder that all documentation related to the project can be found at <https://www.ndph.ox.ac.uk/research/health-services-research-unit-hsru/research/oxpaq-initiative>

That completes our fourteenth newsletter. We would, as always, be grateful for any feedback you might have. The next edition of *Ox-PAQ Update* will be circulated prior to the Christmas break.

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

Kind regards to all,

The Ox-PAQ Team

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