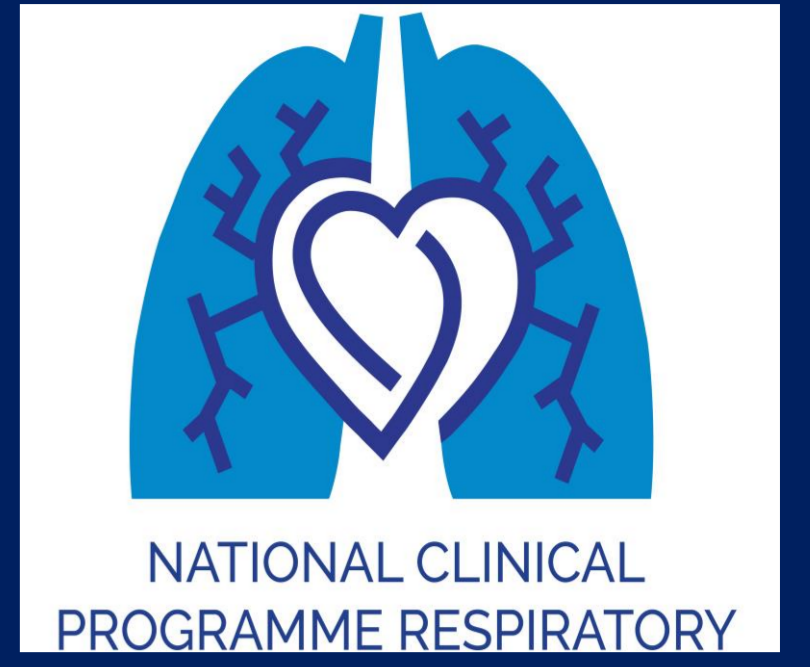




ENABLING QUALITY CARE: SUPPORTING CONTINUOUS PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF SPECIALIST TEAMS



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BACKGROUND

National Clinical Programme Respiratory priorities include:

- Supporting the implementation of our models of care for COPD and Asthma through the up-skilling of staff, thus enhancing the quality of patient care provided.
- Implementation of evidence-informed respiratory service pathways that reduce waiting times, improve access, and improve care provision.
- Shifting specialty patient care to the left, into a community setting.
- Workforce development: Continuous Professional Development (CPD), advanced practice, and the recruitment/retention of staff.
- Progression of advanced practice: Working on strategic reform programmes to deliver enhanced clinical decision-making capacity and timely access to care.

AIMS & OBJECTIVES

- To support the ECC model to develop communities of expertise.
- To provide high quality, evidenced-based, clinically relevant educational opportunities for clinicians working in both Specialist Ambulatory Care Hubs (Respiratory Integrated Care, Pulmonary Rehabilitation, COPD Outreach and Diagnostics) and Acute Care.
- To facilitate and fund **388 places** on advanced respiratory training courses by the end of 2023.

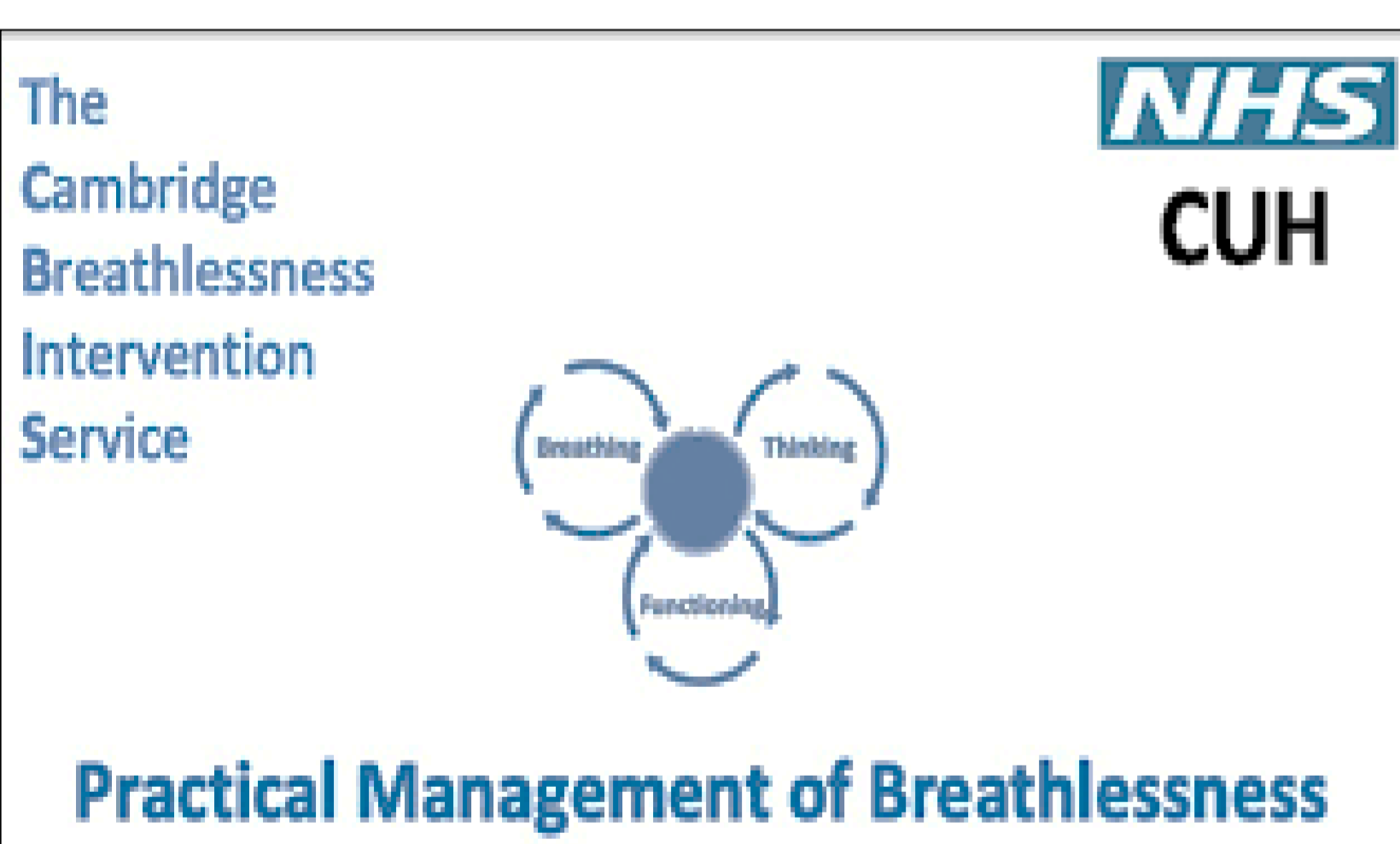
CONTINUOUS PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- We engaged with clinical interest groups of relevant multi-disciplinary professional bodies, including Chartered Physiotherapists in Respiratory Care (ISCP), Anáil, and the Irish Institute of Clinical Measurement Physiology, to identify priority specialist training.
- Targeted CPD was identified by NCP Respiratory to address variances in skill-set amongst clinicians, upskill professionals and standardise services provided.
- Training provided for Nurses and HSCP's in 2023 includes **Breathing Thinking Functional Model of Breathlessness, Advanced Respiratory Care, Spirometry Certification and Pulmonary Rehabilitation**.
- This training focuses on the multidimensional elements of respiratory care and is applicable across all levels of service of the ECC.
- Our main goal in providing this CPD is to facilitate the implementation of End to End Models of Care for COPD and Asthma, by supporting Specialist Ambulatory Care Hubs to provide end-to-end person-centred care.

CPD Training Events being facilitated by NCP Respiratory in 2023 are showcased below.



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in Respiratory Care



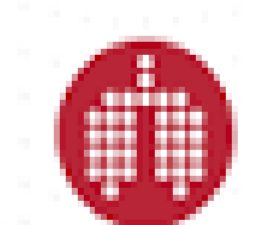
CAMBRIDGE BREATHLESSNESS INTERVENTION SERVICE:
BREATHING THINKING FUNCTIONING MODEL VIRTUAL STUDY DAYS
180 Clinicians provided with training
Jan 2023

CPRC ADVANCED PRACTICE RESPIRATORY PHYSIOTHERAPY COURSE
40 Participants received bursary funding
April 2023



ASSOCIATION FOR RESPIRATORY TECHNOLOGY AND PHYSIOLOGY (ARTP) SPIROMETRY CERTIFICATION
134 places funded to support delivery of ECC services
Sept/Oct 2023

EUROPEAN RESPIRATORY SOCIETY PULMONARY REHABILITATION COURSE, NETHERLANDS
34 Healthcare Professionals funded
Oct 2023



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