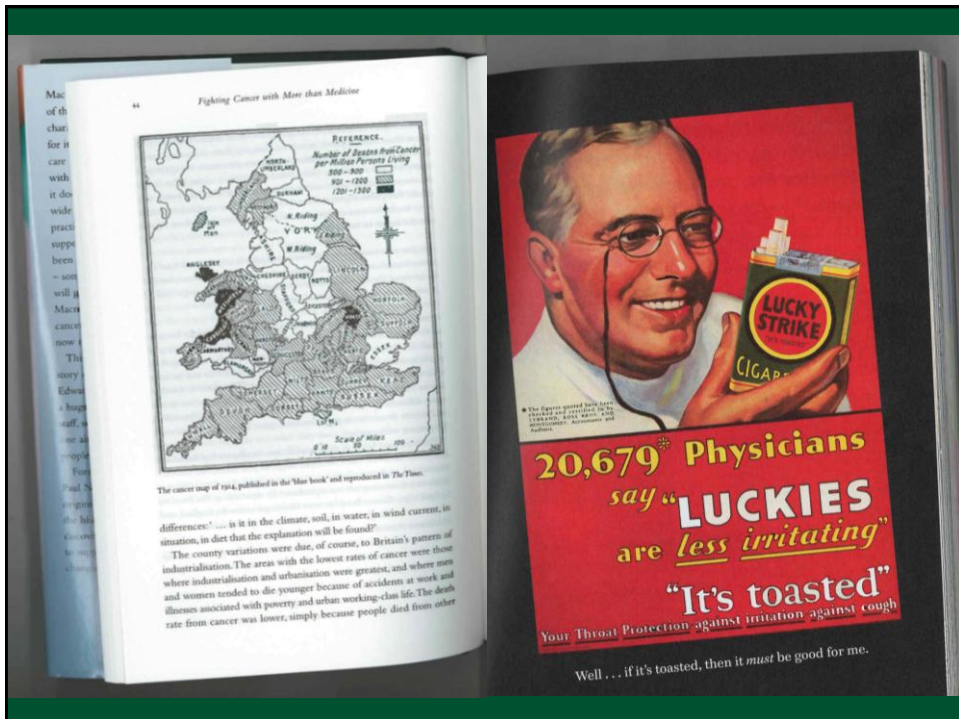


The impact of data on people living with cancer

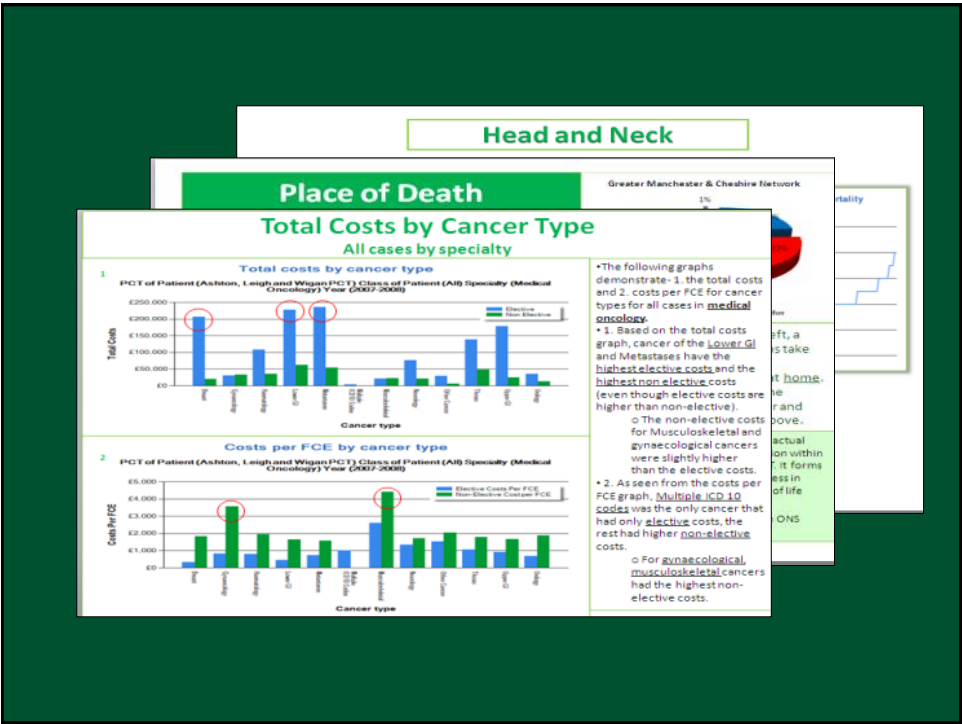
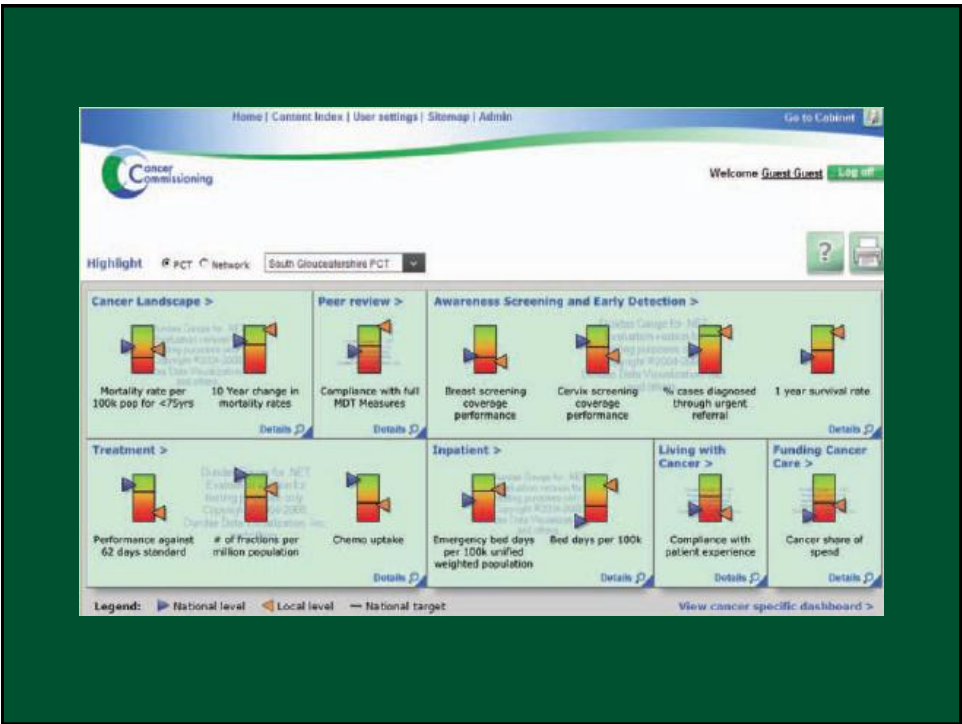
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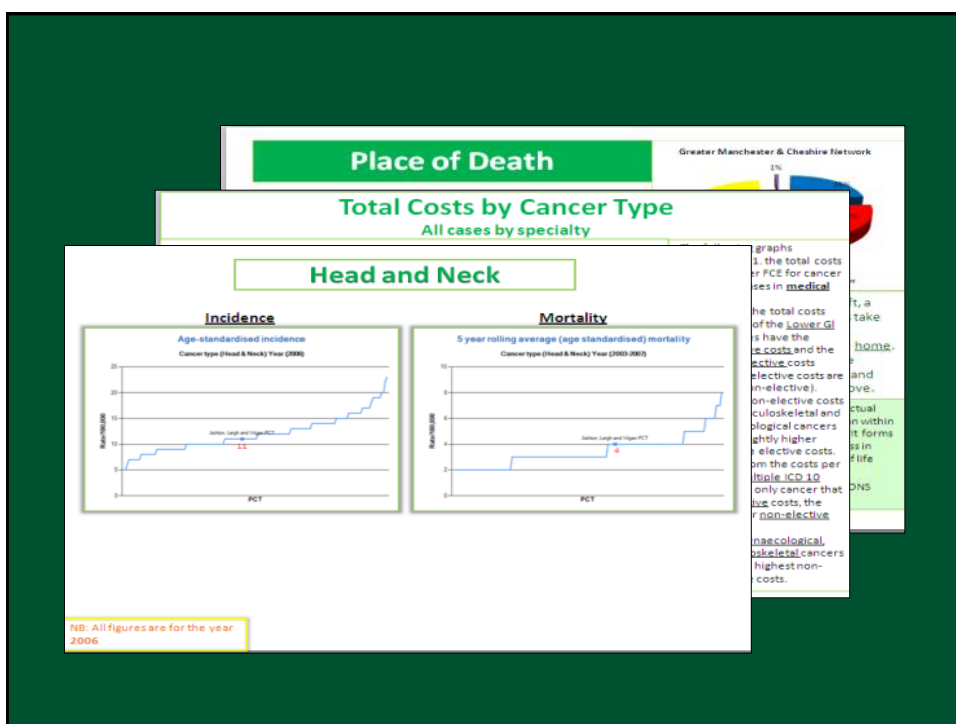
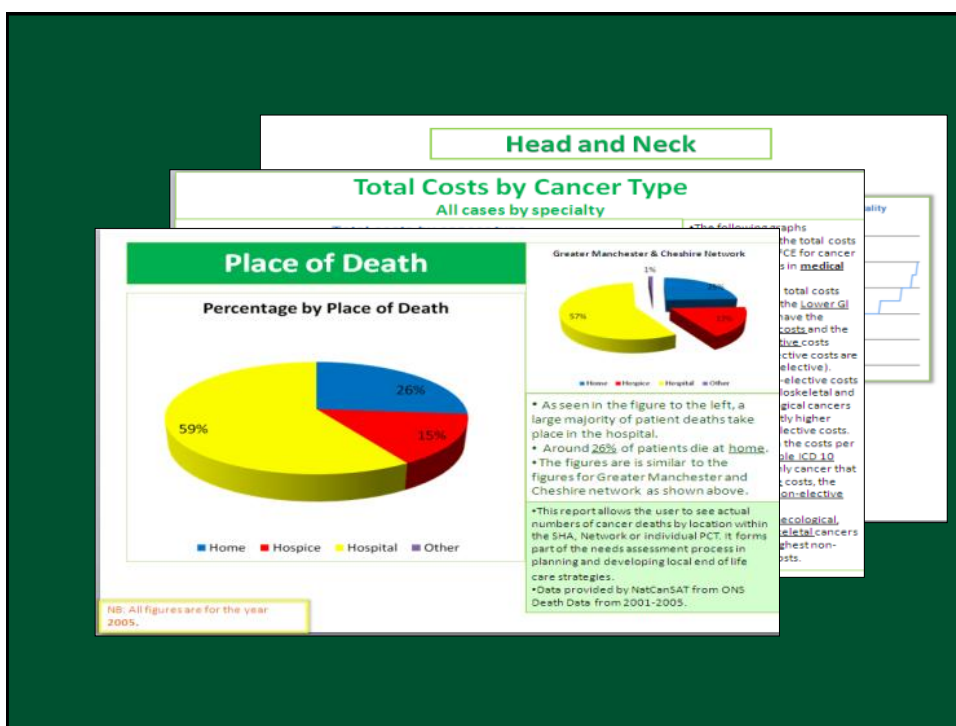
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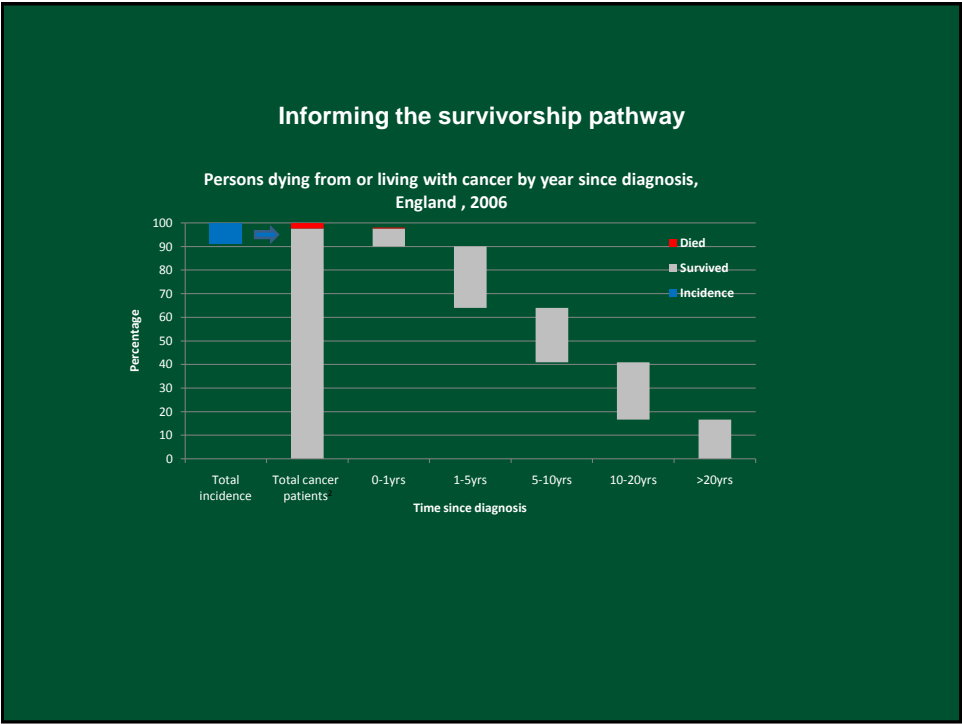


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National Cancer Survivorship Initiative Vision

NHS Improvement

Foreword
by Ciarán Devane and Mike Richards

Today over 1.6 million people living in England have had a diagnosis of cancer. In an ageing population, the swelling increase in cancer incidence and improved survival means cancer prevalence will continue to grow at over 5% a year. By 2030 there are likely to be over 2 million people in England living with or beyond their cancer. Our first challenge is to understand the needs of those living with cancer today and to develop models of care which meet their needs. The need to design services which accommodate the increasing numbers of our survivors in the future and are fit for a way which ensure the quality of NHS services and increase the quality of their lives. This document identifies a vision to achieve these aims.

Beyond cancer, we are neither ready, nor meeting them. A range of physical, financial, and social issues may impact on their health and well-being. They are not alone. They are not alone. They are not alone.

Preface
by Professor Ann Keen, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Health

As a nation, I am very aware that the significant treatment and improvements in cancer survival over the past 10 years mean that cancer services are improving and cancer mortality is falling.

The dramatic improvements in survival rates mean that we need to challenge widespread beliefs about cancer. Cancer is increasingly an illness which might be cured or which might have the characteristics of a long-term or chronic condition that people can live with for many years.

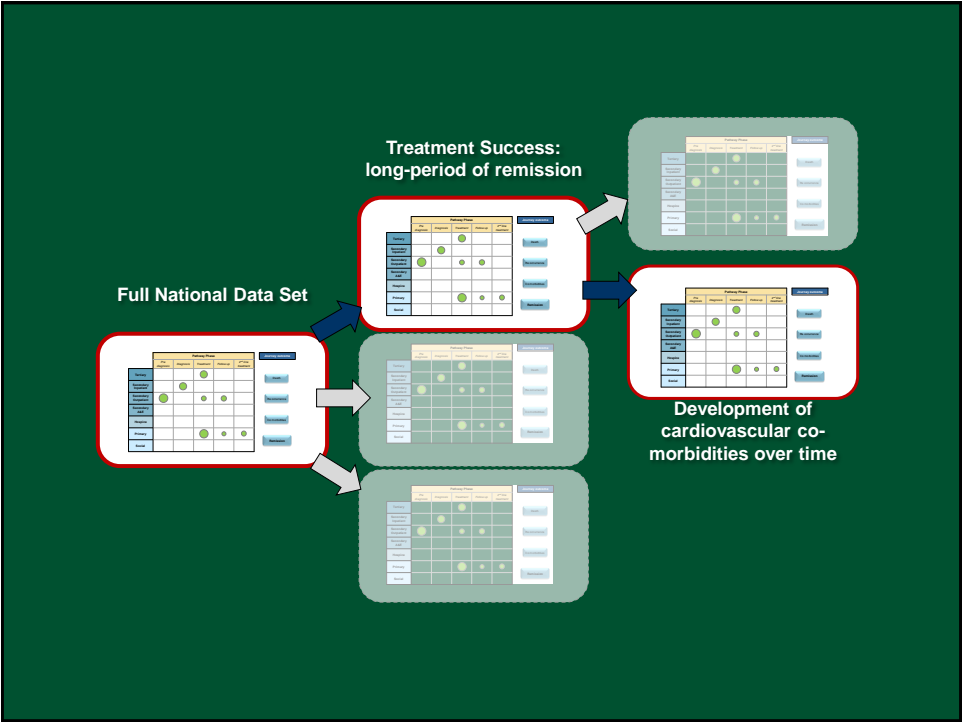
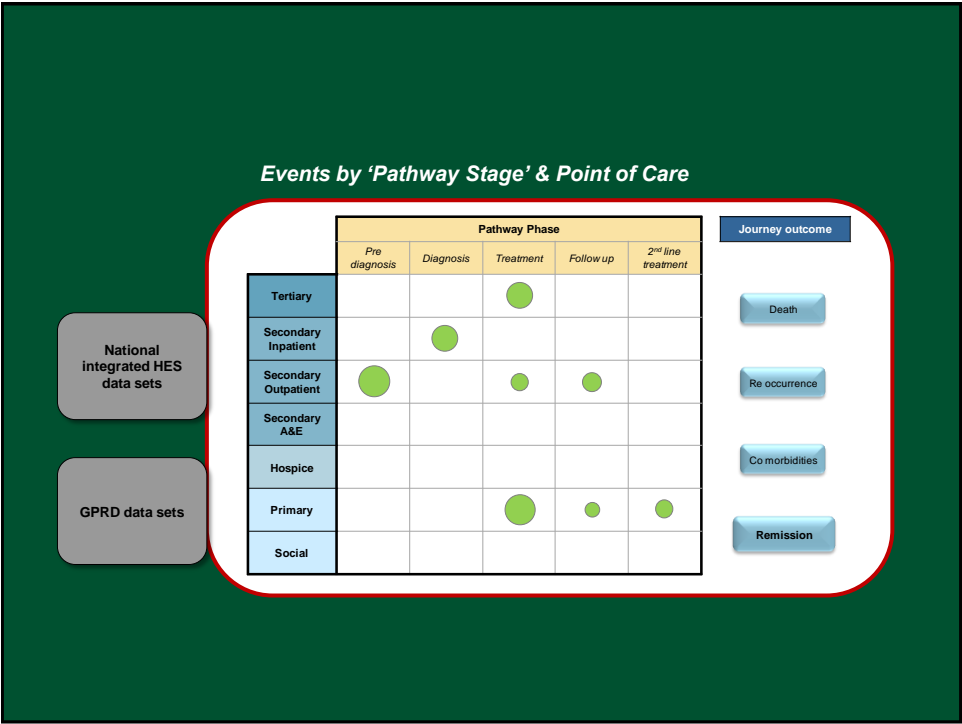
It is therefore very important that the increasing numbers of people living with and beyond cancer, their carers and their families have the support and services they need to ensure a normal life as they can following cancer treatment.

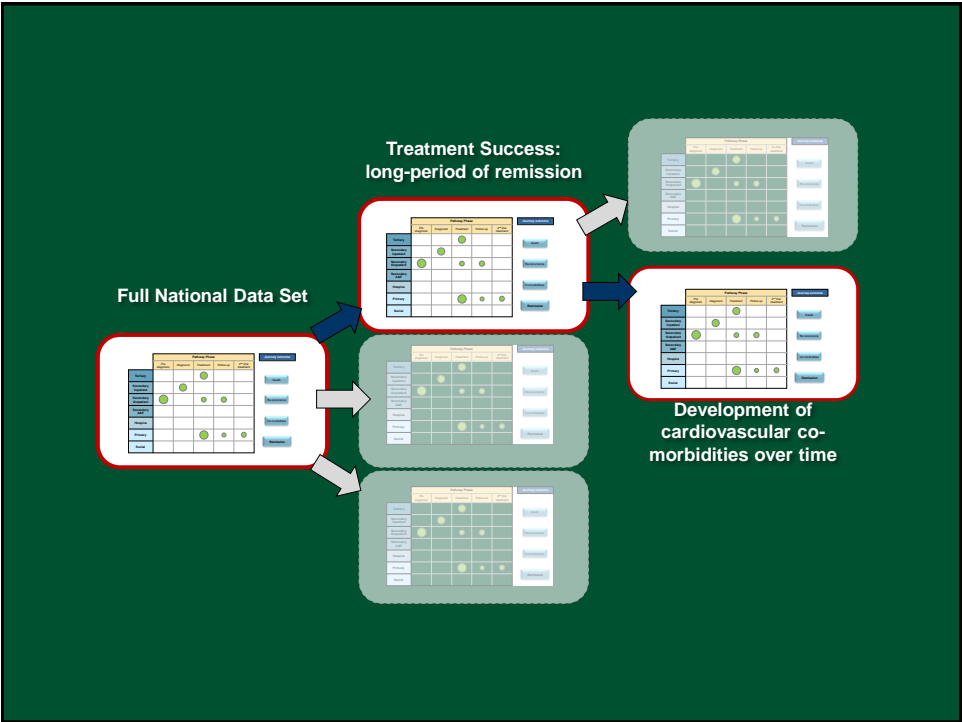
Through the National Cancer Survivorship Initiative we are committed to taking steps to ensure that all cancer survivors get the care and support they need to live as healthy and active a life as possible, for as long as possible.

Our vision is that people living with and beyond cancer have a personalised assessment, information and care plan and are empowered to manage their condition, based on their needs and preferences. Our vision is for people to be informed and prepared for the long-term effects of living with and beyond cancer, and that health and care services are responsive to individual needs and ensure access to specialist care when needed.

Following cancer treatment some people will be left with physical or psychological problems which affect their health and well-being. There are some very practical actions we can take to make a difference to people following cancer treatment. Some two following cancer treatment can cause huge distress and anxiety – just at a time when people are recovering from their treatment and wanting to get back to as normal a life as possible. That is why the Department of Health is working with these bodies to develop a new way to support cancer patients dealing with long-term effects of cancer treatment. This is just one of the many things we can do to make a huge difference to individual patients.

I am delighted that there are now 38 test communities around the country piloting improvements for cancer survivors. We







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