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Articles published by Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital Clinicians

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Research highlights at Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital

“LHCH is a local delivery partner of the **Genomics England 100,000 Genome Project**. The project will sequence 100,000 genomes from around 70,000 people in order to create a genomic medicine service within the NHS. LHCH is a partner for lung cancer and rare cardiac diseases.

Please go to www.genomicsengland.co.uk for more information.”

Top sites to browse

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Latest in Cardiology

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Chest

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Management of Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis in the Elderly Patient:

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CHEST Guidelines

[Prevention of Acute Exacerbations of COPD:](#)
American College of Chest Physicians and Canadian Thoracic Society Guideline (April 2015)

European Society of Cardiology

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- **Bleeding and stent thrombosis on P2Y12-inhibitors: collaborative analysis on the role of platelet reactivity for risk stratification after percutaneous coronary intervention**

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Current issue

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Education in Heart

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- **TAVI in 2015: who, where and how?**
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- **Registry Data Challenge CABG Survival Advantage in Diabetics vs PCI Using Contemporary Stents**
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Royal College of Nursing

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[End of life care - nutrition and hydration.](#) A new RCN resource has been launched, the first part focusing on nutrition and hydration- the fundamentals of end of life care, getting it right every time.

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- NG13: Workplace policy and management practices to improve the health and wellbeing of employees
- NG12: Suspected cancer: recognition and referral

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NICE Quality Standards:

- NQS 93: Atrial fibrillation: treatment and management
- NQS 92: Smoking: harm reduction
- NQS 90: Urinary tract infections in adults
- NQS 89: Pressure ulcers

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British Thoracic Society

<http://www.brit-thoracic.org.uk/>

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Society of Cardiothoracic Surgery

<http://scts.org/default.aspx>

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British Cardiac Society

<http://www.bcs.com>

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News releases:

National Confidential Enquiry into Patient Outcome and Death (NCEPOD)

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Department of Health

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Latest News

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www.ihl.org

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