

Consultation process

The consultation process for the Review has so far comprised the following stages:

1 Early engagement of stakeholders

Derek Wanless held one-to-one meetings with a range of stakeholders, including medical Royal Colleges, other professional organisations and patient groups. At these meetings he:

- outlined the purpose and process of the Review;
- sought initial views as to which experts should be involved in the Review and how best to do so; and
- took initial views on the issues to be addressed.

Organisation	Contact names
NHS Confederation	Stephen Thornton
	John Appleby
Nuffield Trust	John Wyn Owen
King's Fund	Julia Neuberger
	Jennifer Dixon
NHS Alliance	Dr Michael Dixon
Royal College of General Practitioners	Prof Mike Pringle
Royal College of Physicians	Prof Sir George Alberti
BMA	John Chisholm/Simon Fradd
Royal College of Surgeons of England	Sir Peter Morris
Royal College of Nursing	Deborah Rozansky
Medical Research Council	Sir George Radda
Patients Association	David Taylor
	Simon Williams
Age Concern	Helena Herklots
	Michaela Willmott
	Frances Hunt
Association of British Pharmaceutical Industries (ABPI)	Trevor Jones
	Adrian Towse

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2 Stakeholder workshops

The Nuffield Trust, the ABPI and the King's Fund each hosted one-day workshops attended by 25-30 of their key contacts. At the workshops presentations were given by leading academics, researchers and industrialists, outlining the current state of knowledge in the major areas of demographics, technology and medical trends. The issues of quality and public expectations were also examined. The process largely validated the list of factors and themes which the Review should cover.

Workshops were also held in Edinburgh, Cardiff and Belfast to reflect the differing health issues in Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.

3 Conference

A larger conference, attended by over 100 people was held at the Barbican Centre on 18 and 19 October. Sir Richard Sykes, Rector of Imperial College, London gave the keynote address. Experts in the fields of demographics, health technology and medical trends presented papers. The proceedings of this conference are being published together with this interim report.

4 International visits

In Canada and the US, members of the team visited the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (formerly the Health Care Financing Administration), the Congressional Budget Office, the Council of Economic Advisers and the Urban Institute. Derek Wanless also met Professor Patricia Danzon of the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania.

In Australia, Derek attended a conference organised by the Nuffield Trust and the Commonwealth Department of Health and Aged Care with delegates from Australia, New Zealand and the UK. He also visited the Department of Health and Aged Care. He subsequently met the Minister of Health for Queensland during her visit to the UK.

5 Submissions

The Review team has also received a number of very helpful papers and taken them into account in the drafting of this report.

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Conference speakers (*italics*) and attenders

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Mr John Appleby

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