

# Using Electronic Health Records to Support Patient Empowerment





# History

- Bethlem Royal Hospital Founded in 1247
- Oldest psychiatric institution in the world
- Bethlem Royal Hospital, for a long time the only mental health institution in the country





**Moorfields 1676** 



**Imperial War Museum site 1815** 



**Henry Maudsley** 

A HOSPITAL FOR MENTAL DISEASES.

Ar the weekly meeting of the London County Council, held on February 18th, Mr. H. P. HARRIS, Chairman, read the following letter:

" 13 Queen Street, Mayfair, W.,
"February 14th, 1908.

"Dear Mr. Harris,—In December last you kindly allowed me to put before you a scheme for the establishment in London of a fitly-equipped hospital for mental diseases. I said then that should the London County Council be willing to carry it into effect, I should be pleased to contribute £30,000 towards the cost of it. In the hope that the Council may look favourably on the scheme, I venture to ask its acceptance of that sum for the purpose. As a physician who has been engaged in the study and treatment of mental diseases for more than half a century I have been deeply impressed with the necessity of a hospital the main object of which would be (i) the early treatment of cases of acute mental disorder, with the view, so far as possible, to prevent the necessity of sending them to the county asylums; (2) to promote exact scientific research into the causes and pathology of insanity, with the hope that much may yet be done for its prevention and successful treatment; and (3) to serve as an educational institution in which medical students might obtain good clinical testruction. (1) It is believed that many cases of acute insanity, in which recovery usually occurs within a few weeks, or under three months—notably, cases of puerperal insanity—would be cared, and the persons thus saved from much of the prejudice which is sometimes a lasting injury to them when they have been sent to an asylum; and it is hoped that, in a small institution, with several medical and other attendants, the patient and apt

Maudsley's letter to London County Council

Published in the British Medical Journal 1908





Soldiers during World War I, Maudsley Hospital







**The Maudsley Hospital today** 



# **SLaM today**

Largest provider of specialist mental health services in Europe

Operates a specialist Biomedical Research Centre with Institute of Psychiatry, KCL

Member of Kings Health Partners Academic Health Sciences Centre



# King's Health Partners Academic Health Science Centre

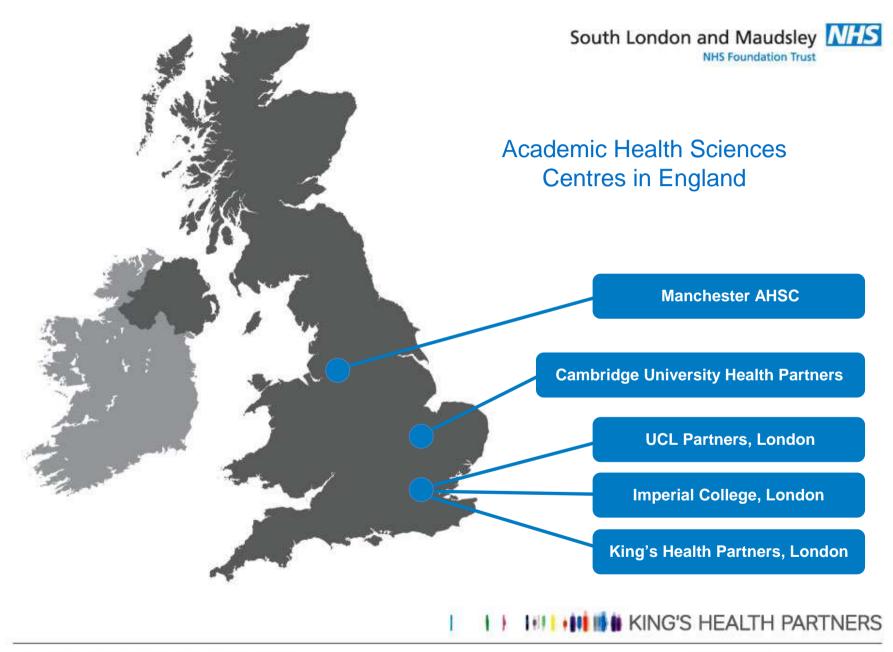
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Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust

King's College Hospital

South London and Maudsley NHS Foundation Trust







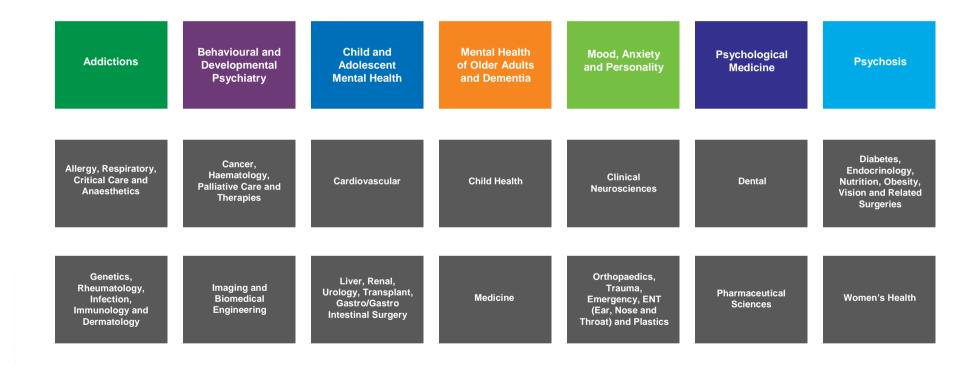


The Institute of Psychiatry Kings College, London





# Clinical Academic Groups



# Our vision – a radical change in healthcare

King's Health Partners is pioneering better health and well-being, locally and globally, through integrating excellence...

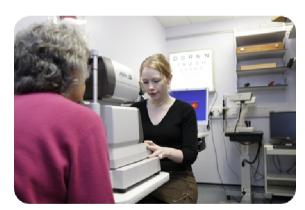
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in education/training



in patient care



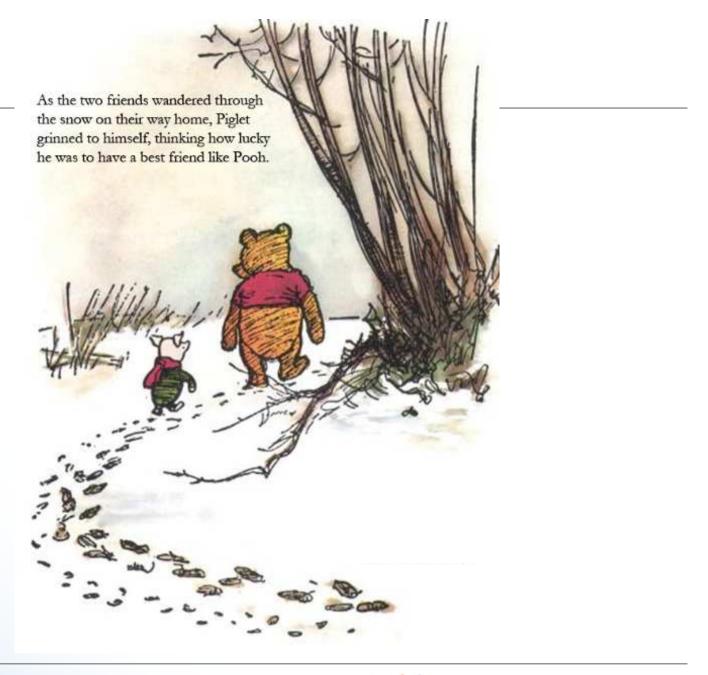
# The overall vision

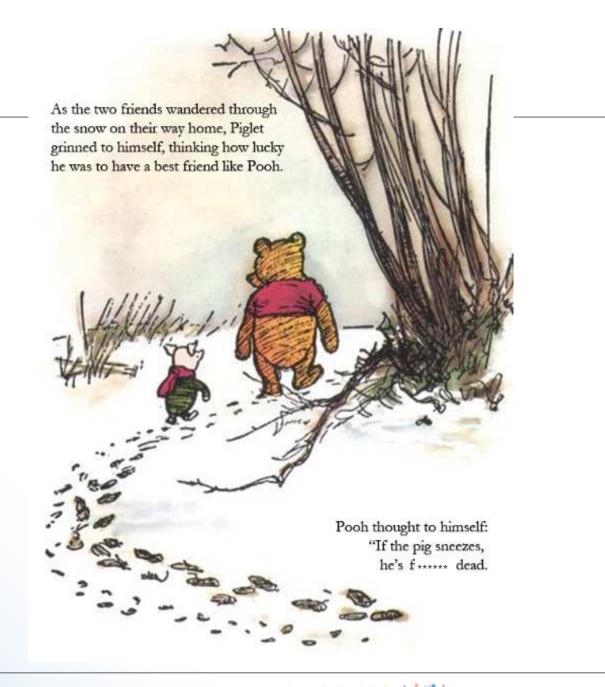
"The best care, delivered by the best people, in the best place, at the earliest opportunity"

# The vision – a radical change in healthcare

To advance health and well-being by integrating world-class research, care, education and training through:

- Translating research more rapidly into clinical practice and effectively disseminating these advances through education and training
- Integrating physical and mental healthcare to deliver a holistic approach to patient care
- Harnessing the power of discovery science to transform the nature of healthcare by moving from treatment towards population screening and disease prevention
- Developing a workforce that will transform healthcare delivering innovation through education





# **Exploiting Electronic Patient Records** to support Translational Research

#### Translational Research?

- Translating scientific discoveries into practical applications
- "bench to bedside"
- Personalised medicine

# Accessing data from electronic medical records is one of the top 3 targets for research

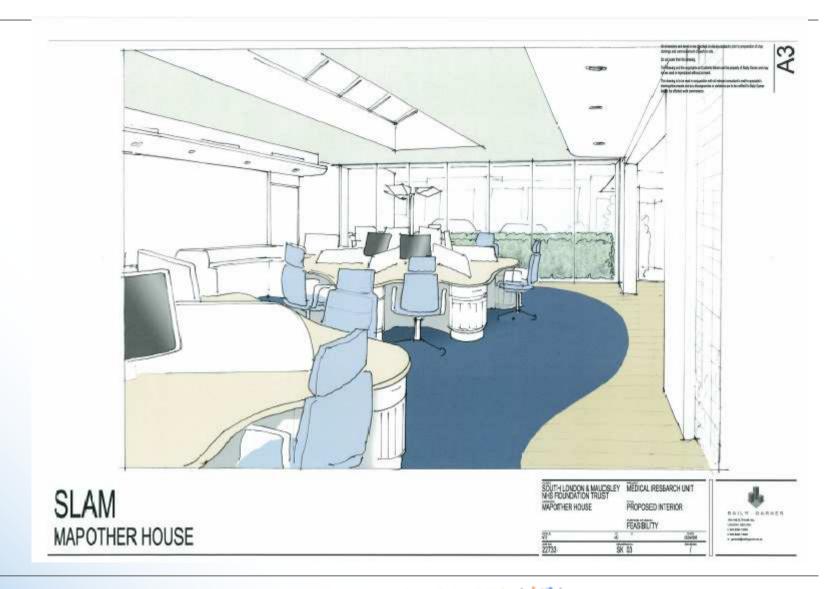
Sir William Castell, Chairman Wellcome Trust

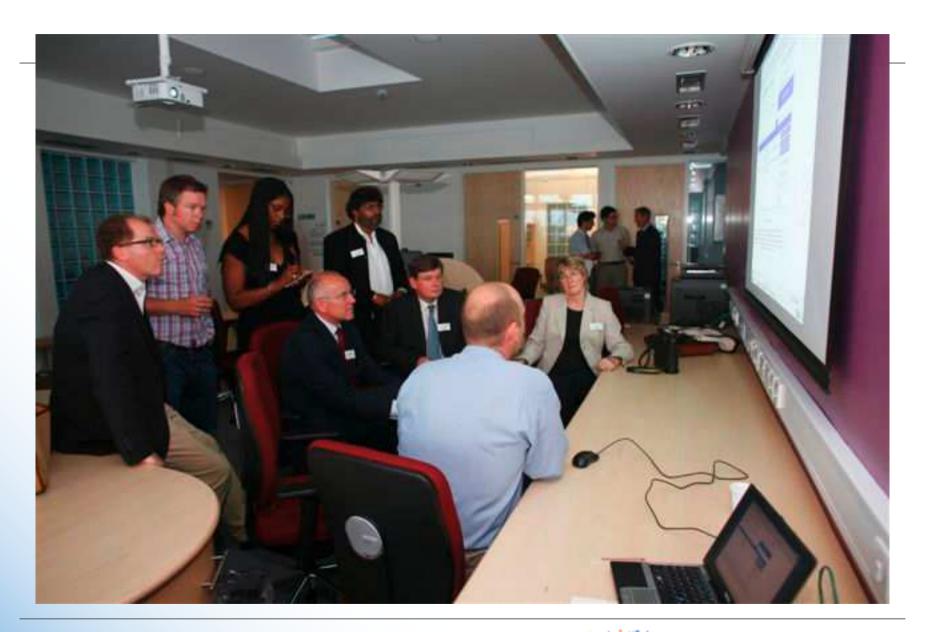
## Case Register

Provides information on specific disorders that is readily obtainable and available for meaningful analysis

Derived from EPR or local study data from recruited clients







#### Intended Use

#### **Short term:**

**Observational research** 

**Alerting** 

Recruitment (finding potential participants in BRC research projects)

#### Medium term:

Linking with other BRC databases (Imaging, genomics, proteomics....)

**External data Linkage** 

# Challenges for the Case Register

- Data protection, ethics, governance
- Quality of the data
- Complexity of the data
- Volume of the data

## Headline Functionality

Search one or more specified PJS fields

search structured and indexed unstructured (free text) fields

use arithmetic, date range, thesaurus, spell-checking, synonyms, wordstemming and other modern search strategies

Identify one or more fields to be returned

export the results dataset to other applications for further analysis, e.g. SPSS (but within SLAM firewall)

Set up proactive searches

whereby the CR will actively inform a researcher when a particular value has been entered or when there has been a particular change in circumstance for one of a specified cohort of participants

Save search parameters for future use

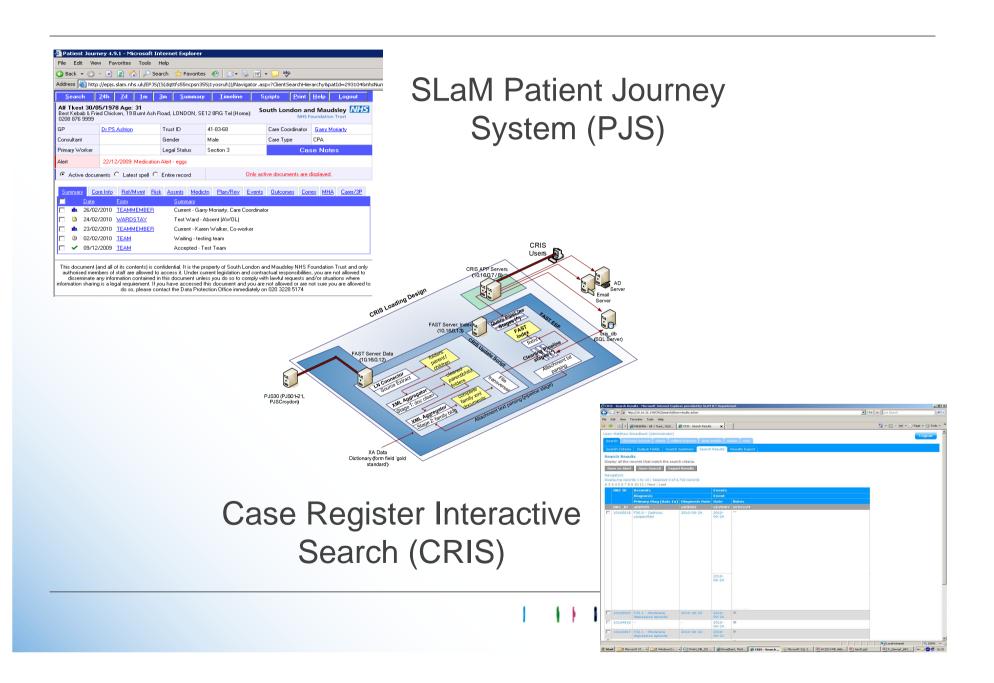
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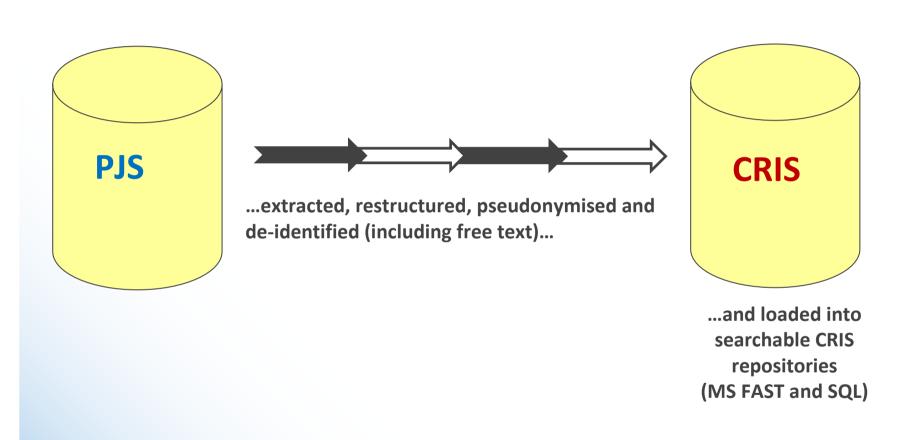
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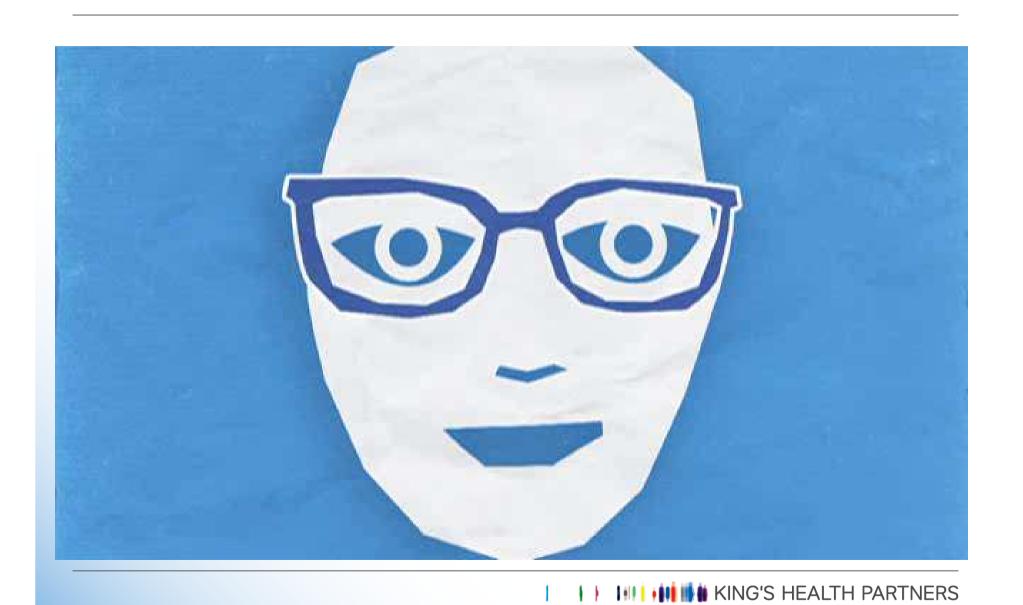
Identifiable information (names, DOB, address, carer details etc.) 'ZZZZZZ'-ed out in free text field returns

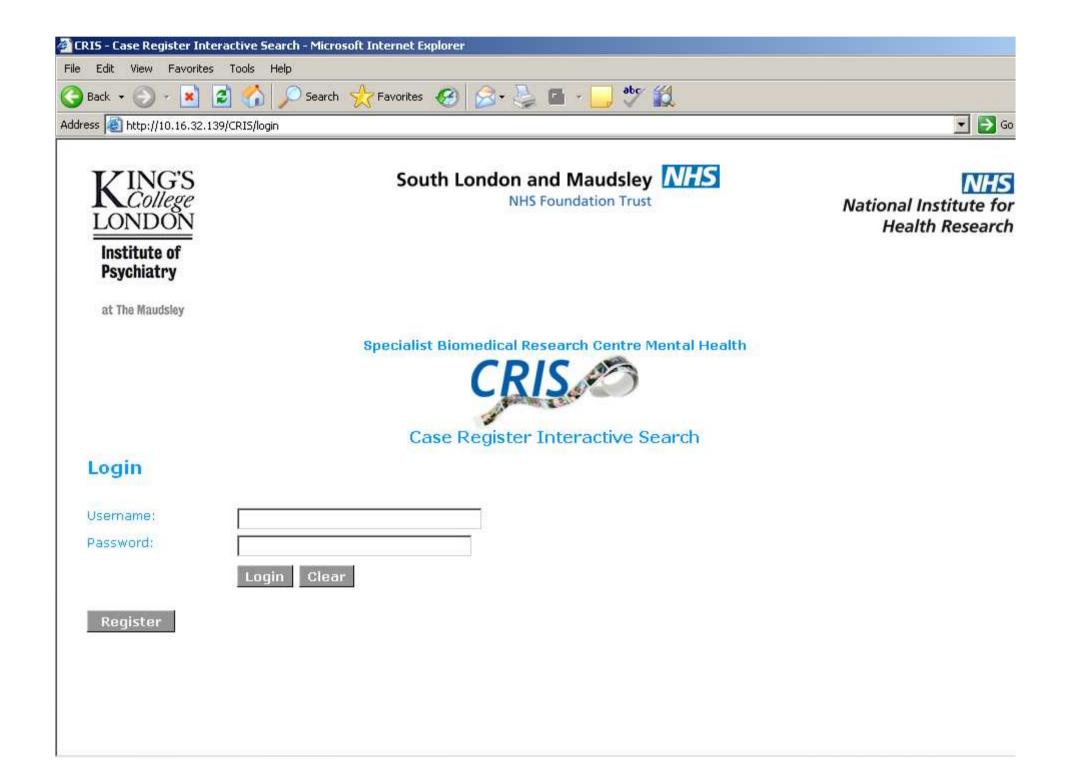
- 2. Role-based access
- Administrator manage access control and audit log
- Research 1 can convert BRC number to NHS number.
- Research 2 BRC number only
- 3. NHS number cannot be revealed without explicit assent in PJS
- 4. All searches to be labelled, e.g. with CRT, project, ethical approval code
- 5. Audit log
- Firewalled

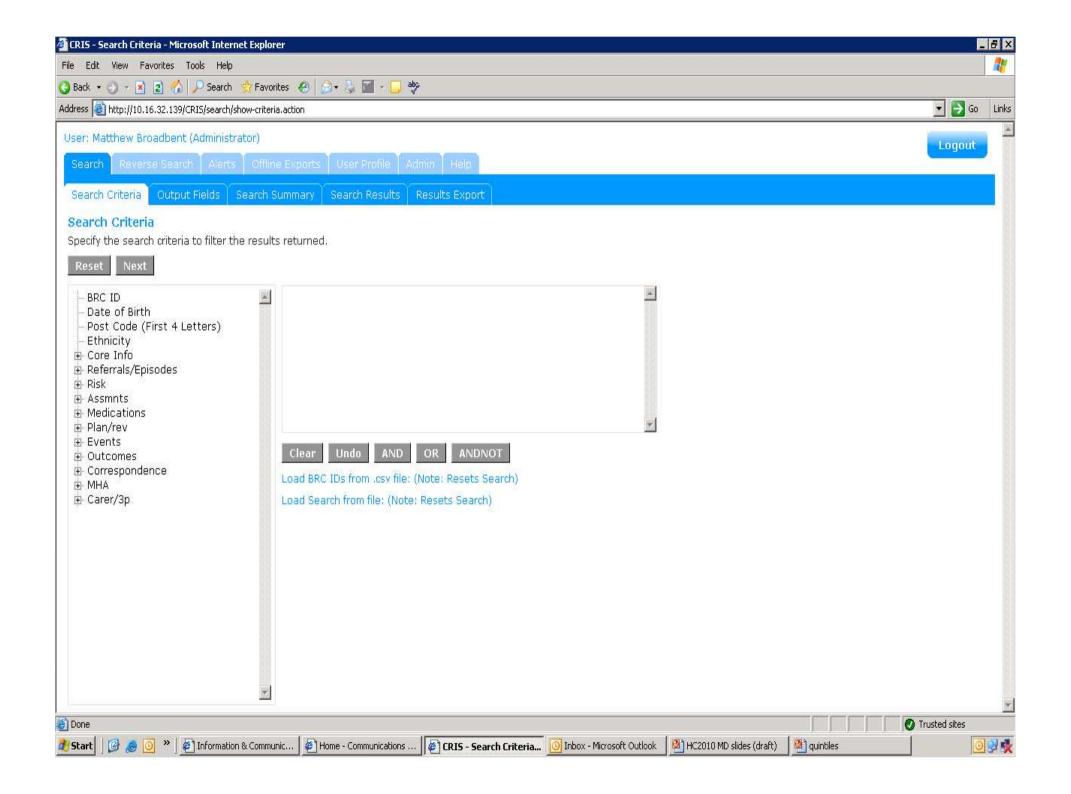
### **SLaM BRC Case Register**

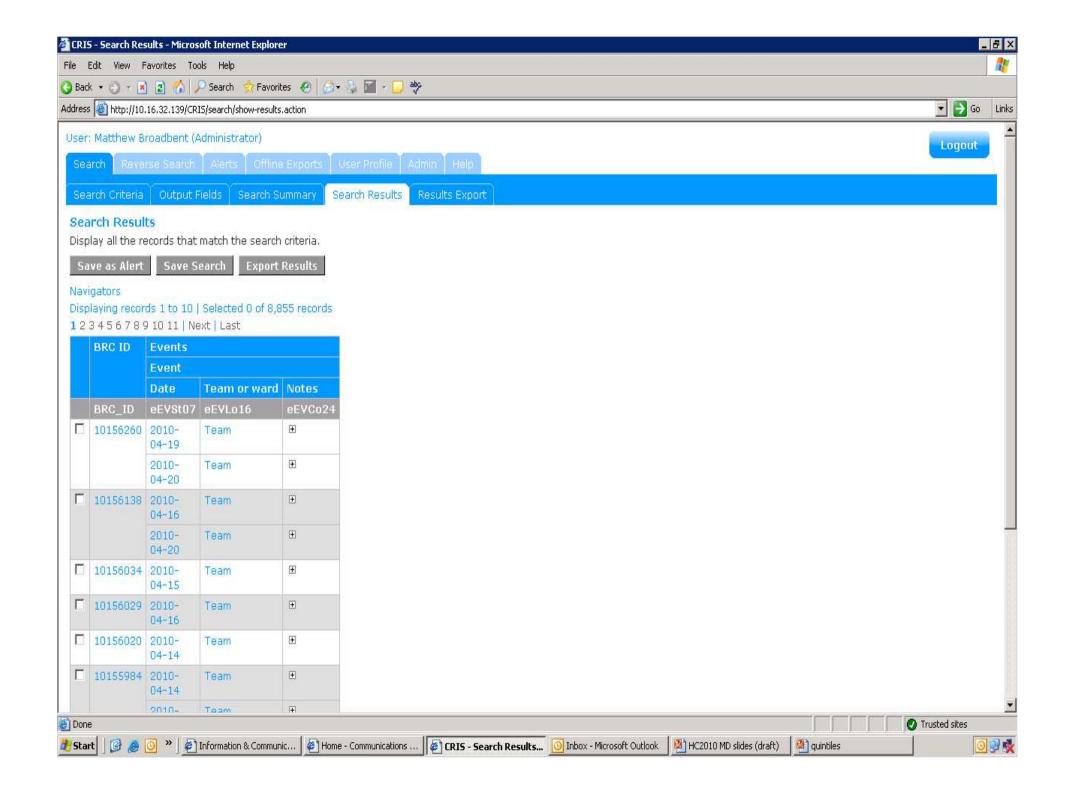


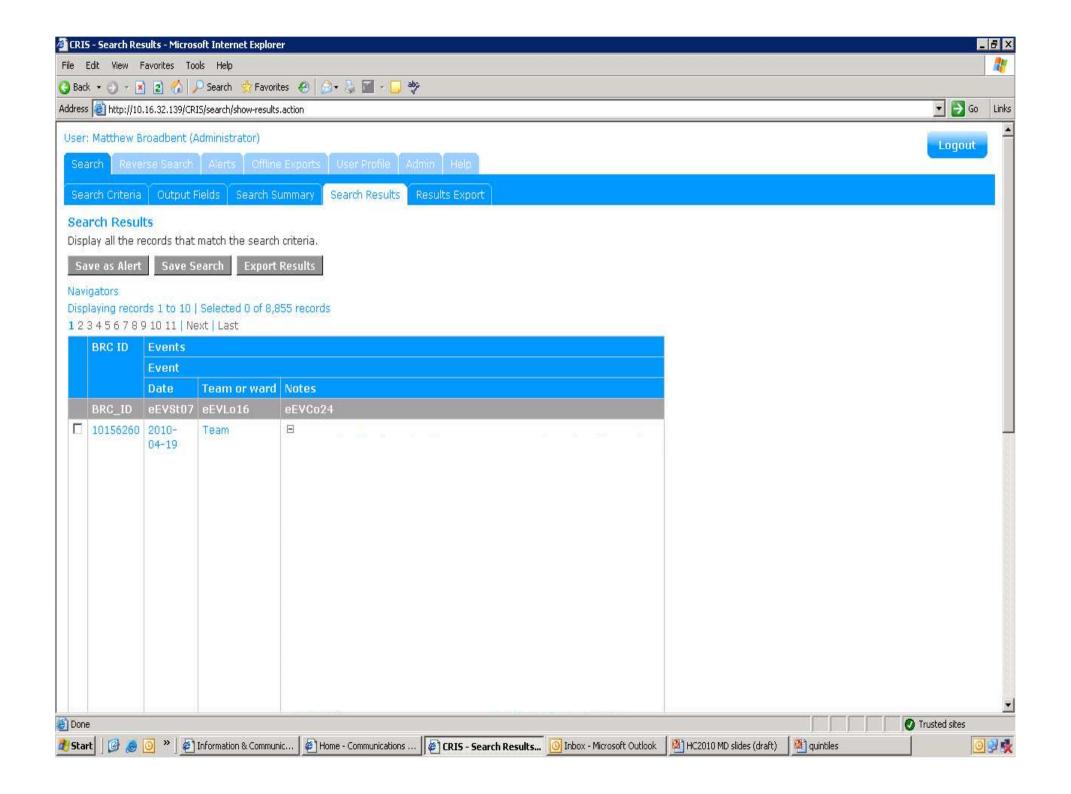












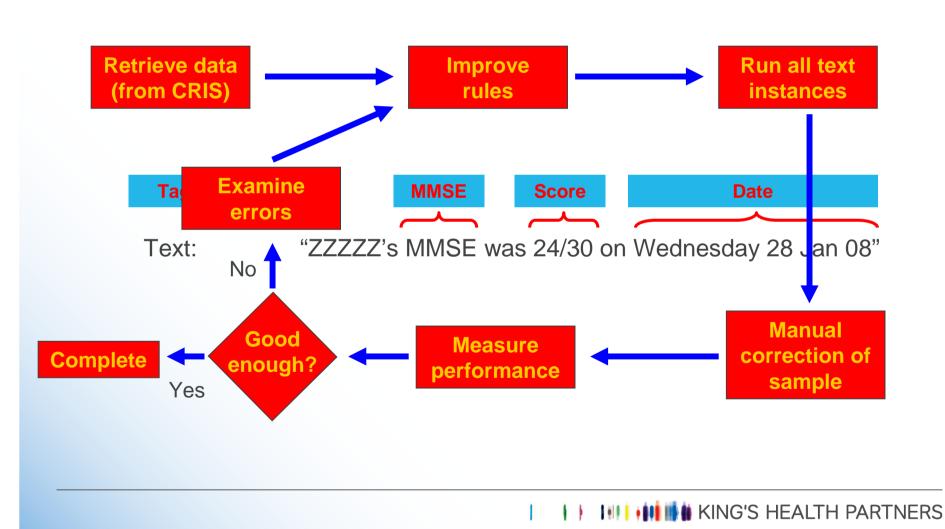
## **GATE – Text Parsing**

FAST enables information retrieval, i.e. search and retrieval by matching against user defined strings;

GATE enables information extraction, i.e. extracts 'meaning' (structure) from free text context

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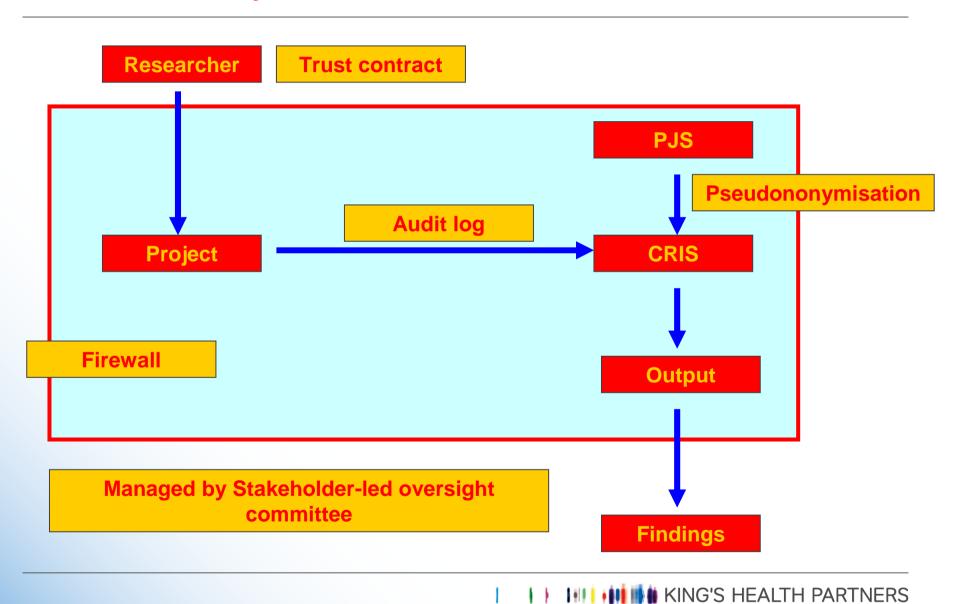
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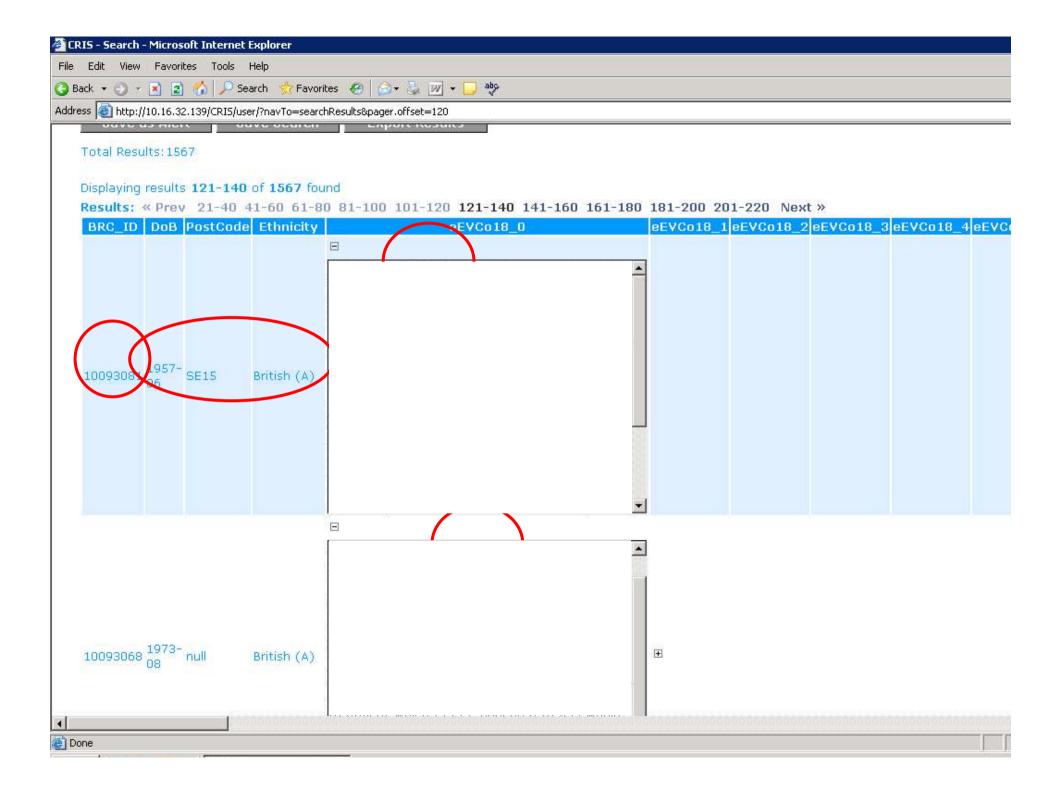
#### Results:

	1 <sup>st</sup> iteration	2 <sup>nd</sup> iteration	3 <sup>rd</sup> iteration
MMSE score only	0.90	0.97	0.99
Score and date	0.11	0.67	0.89

Accuracy better than manual coding rates for large data sets

## **CRIS Security**





## **CRIS Security Model - status**

CRIS granted ethics approval as an anonymised data source for secondary analysis

CRIS security model signed off by Trust Caldicott and Executive committees

NIGB approval for consent to contact/recruit model

## Service improvement – the next steps

- Consent →Identify → Approach → Recruit
- Personal Health Records, PROMs
- Record Linkage Thames Cancer Registry, Primary Care
- Listen to the Users, Industry
- Direct access to clinicians, e.g. to search for key events/terms in their own caseload; identify best practice in comparable cases, profiling

## Patient Empowerment?

Patient Empowerment means that patients have the right to make their own choices about their health care

## Why SLaM/IoP?

#### **Delivering the Trust's strategic aims**

Everything we do is to improve the experience of people using our services, and to promote mental health and wellbeing for all

- Working in partnership to promote mental wellbeing
- Supporting others by sharing our clinical knowledge and expertise
- We will underpin KHP's strategic objectives by working with our stakeholders to build information technology and resources to support our efforts.

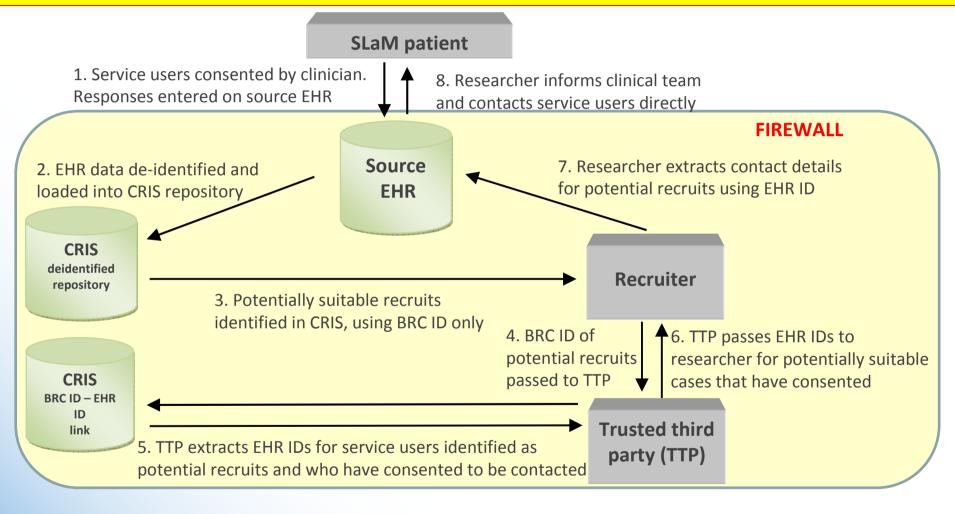
## **Purpose**

- To develop a SLaM/IoP innovation model for service user empowerment
- To improve the use of outcome measurement across SLaM services
- To explore the development of a connected health model (between SLaM and primary care)
- To promote research for the development and use of personal health records

# SLAM BRC Case Register – new application for participant recruitment

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#### Consent-for-consent model – the main steps:

- 1. Service users are approached by their clinical team and asked if they would like to be approached by researchers for potentially relevant studies (capacity assessed at this time)
- 2. Clinicians enter responses into PJS
- 3. Researchers enter inclusion/exclusion criteria into CRIS to identify potential cases.
- 4. A Trusted Third Party de-anonymises potential cases that have consented only
- Researchers inform the clinical team and contact the service users directly

## **Key components**

#### **Procedures**

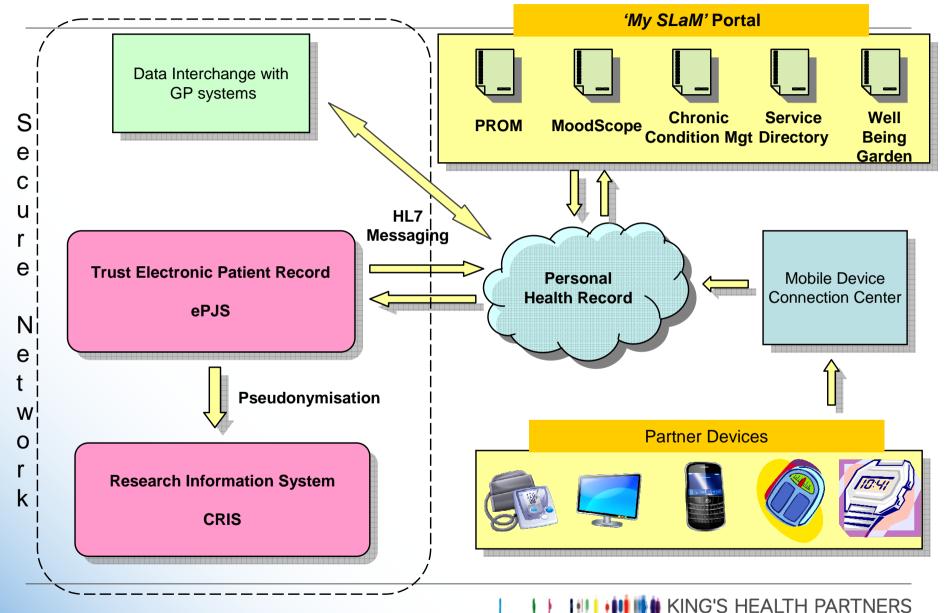
- Recording approaches and participation (PJS)
- Safeguards (e.g. re-consent at discharge)
- Reminders about participation (newsletter)
- Capacity assessment and training
- Information leaflet
- Implementation strategy

## **Approvals**

- National Information Governance Board (NIGB) approval ✓
- Research Ethics approval ✓
- Caldicott Guardian ✓ (minor amendment)
- CAMHS ✓ (minor amendment)
- Trust Executive ✓

NIGB: "... Committee members had reiterated their view that this posed an elegant solution to the issue of participant recruitment, and noted the significant amount of work that had taken place in regard to developing this model."

## SLaM *eMPOWERMENT* – Connected Health Model



### **Thank You**