

#### Smart Referrals

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## Acute and Emergency Care

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A&E

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Not only are we helping to reassure and better manage our patients by giving them the benefit of specialist advice, we are also reducing demand on busy hospitals by making properly informed decisions.

DR MALCOLM GERALD GP and CCG Clinical Lead for IT

#### A&E PERFORMANCE IS AFFECTED BY POOR PATIENT FLOW

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Cinapsis enables us to turn Emergency Care into Urgent Planned Care, setting up the beginning of the patient journey for a whole range of acute medical conditions before they even arrive at the hospital.

Emma Wylie Clinical Lead for Acute Medicine

# Emergency Departments are struggling to cope with demand

#### Challenge

Patients are waiting longer than ever in A&E. For the past six years, the 4-hour target has been missed in hospitals across England. 330,000 patients waited longer than 12 hours in A&E in 2018.<sup>1</sup>

This increases the workload for an already understaffed healthcare workforce, contributing to burnout and vacancies. Between 8 and 12% of full-time positions are currently unfilled in the NHS.<sup>2</sup>

Data from NHS Digital shows that at least 11% of first time attendance in A&E could have been avoided.<sup>3</sup>

Preventing non-urgent A&E attendances has never been more crucial than now. Maintaining social distancing is a logistical challenge that hospitals must be able to meet in order to prevent virus transmission between patients and healthcare staff.

<sup>1</sup>NHS Digital. 2019. *Hospital Accident & Emergency Activity 2018-19* 

<sup>2</sup>Nuffield Trust. 2019. *The NHS workforce in numbers* <sup>3</sup>NHS Digital. 2019. *Non-urgent A&E attendances* 

#### Solution

Cinapsis SmartReferrals is a brilliantly simple Advice & Guidance platform that removes non-urgent attendances to A&E.

Generalist clinicians can make joint decisions with specialists about their patients who stay in the community or get referred into the appropriate assessment unit.



**IMPACT OF ADVICE & GUIDANCE THROUGH CINAPSIS FOR AN** NHS FOUNDATION TRUST



Improved flow through **Acute Services** 

**Referrals from** primary care and ambulance services

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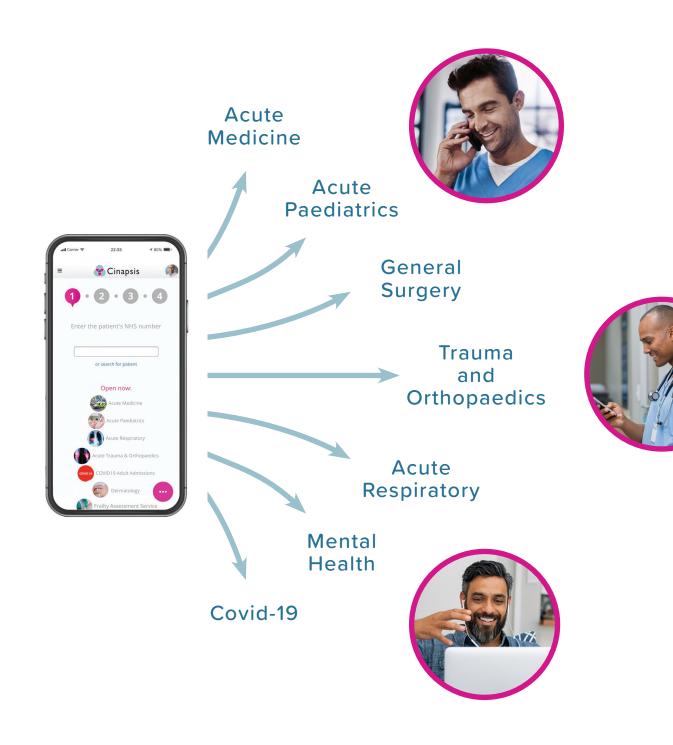
#### Primary Care and Community Services

More patients managed in **Primary and Community Services** 

#### COMMUNICATE WITH ALL TEAMS THROUGH ONE APP

**66** Cinapsis is very intuitive and easy to use!

Dr Chin Whybrew GP Stoke Road Surgery



#### CONNECT USING THE BEST CHANNEL FOR YOUR NEEDS FROM WITHIN THE APP



Video call



Telephone call (direct and call back)

Secure messaging



Image-sharing



















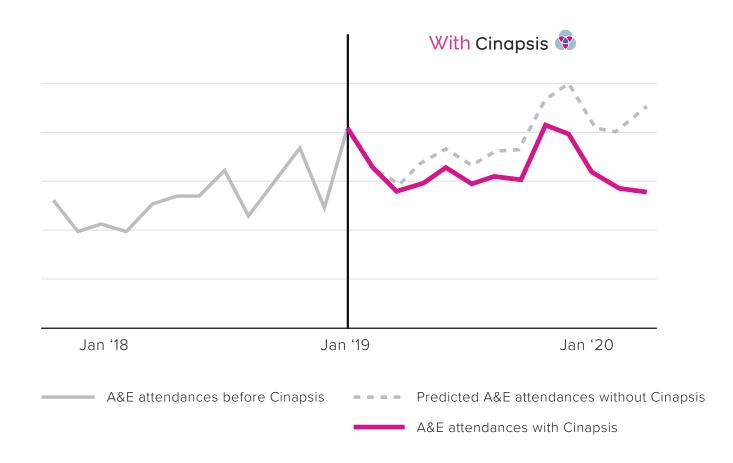
#### REDUCE A&E ATTENDANCES AND DELIVER IN-YEAR SAVINGS

The system allows clinicians to manage patients together, which translates to faster clinical decision making and better patient flow.

This means that hospitals and commissioners can drive down costs by slashing demand for face-to-face services and design the delivery of specialist healthcare services using their own triage data.

#### By switching to Cinapsis SmartReferrals, Trusts have transformed the way they work

Analysis performed by One Gloucestershire ICS



83% of patients bypass A&E to receive care in the community (30%) or a same-day emergency care unit or clinic (53%).

#### CONNECTING GPs, NURSES AND HOSPITAL CLINICIANS IN SECONDS

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Cinapsis is a great platform for seeking direct advice and managing patients, often helping to avoid admissions. Being able to get advice and discuss management plans has been invaluable during COVID to help manage the demands on the NHS.

Dr Elisha Beg GP **,** 

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#### SAVING TIME FOR HOSPITAL CLINICIANS

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The portability of Cinapsis is one of the things that we were impressed by - we can actually see patients and not be stuck working at the desk.

Dr Chris Custard Consultant In Acute Medicine Use the App on the move from any device, securely Turn off notifications, so you're never disturbed when not at work

Work as a team and hand patients over to colleagues easily No need to remember patient information – it's always recorded for you in patient lists

#### WHAT HAVE OUR NHS PARTNERS DELIVERED WITH CINAPSIS?

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Cinapsis is not only quick, it also sorts out image compression, GDPR and helps with audit.

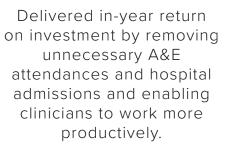
Dr Alan Gwynn GP Board Member Gloucestershire CCG







Joined up healthcare silos by rolling out a personalised A&G platform that connects healthcare professionals across primary, secondary, tertiary and emergency care. Reduced pressure on urgent care services by decreasing the number of patients attending local Accident and Emergency Departments.





Reduced gaps in consultant rotas by enabling them to organise it according to peak in demand and complete patient cases quicker and easier.



Joined up clinical data along the whole patient journey from primary to secondary care with outcome and financial data held by the CCG.



Improved patient pathways between primary and secondary care in line with local and national guidelines and data collected through Cinapsis.

#### GET STARTED QUICKLY WITH 24-HOUR SUPPORT ON HAND

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based on feedback from 400 users



Once you decide to join Cinapsis, we will onboard users and go live within days.

We're here when you need us to make sure you get the best out of Cinapsis.



When you join Cinapsis, you will get bespoke training and access to helpful online resources so that you're ready to use the service from Day 1.

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The responsiveness to clinician feedback is second to none with suggested development improvements sometimes implemented within days.

Dr Thomas Kus Consultant Paediatrician

#### WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE NHS



Selected to take part in the Digital Triage sandbox by the



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