



SEMINAR

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BODE³ update

This seminar, chaired by Nick Wilson, will give updates on outputs of the Burden of Disease Epidemiology, Equity and Cost Effectiveness programme (BODE³):

- 1. Salt reduction league tables. Tony Blakely and Nhung Nghiem**
We will briefly outline ranking by QALYs gained of 22 salt reduction strategies, then compare some of these salt reduction strategies with selected other BODE³ evaluations (e.g. Trastuzumab/Herceptin, tobacco tax, HPV vaccination, etc) using league tables.
- 2. Colorectal cancer screening. Melissa McLeod**
Cost effectiveness of colorectal cancer screening, especially variation by age and ethnicity, will be presented. This work has been used by the Ministry of Health to inform development of a national roll-out.
- 3. H Pylori screening. Andrea Teng**
Cost effectiveness of screening for H Pylori to prevent stomach cancer will be presented.
- 4. Trastuzumab/Herceptin. Nisha Nair**
Whilst long funded for HER-positive breast cancer, the (huge) variation in cost effectiveness by age, hormone status and stage has not been considered too much. This seems odd; in the age of personalized medicine at the bedside, why are funding decisions so 'crude'?
- 5. Knowledge translation. Tony Blakely**
We will briefly outline our knowledge translation PLATFORM, using Pembrolizumab (Keytruda) as an example: data access tools → rapid cost-effectiveness calculators → PHE Blogs → policy engagement.

12.30 to 1.30 Friday 13 May 2016, Small Lecture Theatre ALL WELCOME!