

Protecting and improving the nation's health

# Physical activity for prevention and management of health conditions and practitioner resources

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# Health benefits of physical activity



## Physical activity to prevent & manage CVD



Hypertension in adults: diagnosis and management

NICE guideline
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www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng13

1.4.1 Offer lifestyle advice to people with suspected or diagnosed hypertension, and continue to offer it periodically. [2004]

1.4.2 Ask about people's diet and exercise patterns because a healthy diet and regular exercise can reduce blood pressure. Offer appropriate guidance and written or audio-visual materials to promote lifestyle changes. [2004]

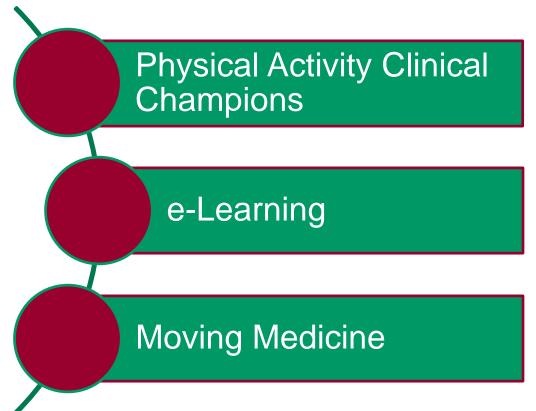
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### Need to support healthcare professionals



#### Moving Healthcare Professionals Phase 2





#### Physical Activity Clinical Champions

Free peer-to-peer training by a **national network of 47 expert HCPs** (Medics, Nurses / Midwifes, AHPs) to increase knowledge, skills and confidence to incorporate physical activity within clinical care.

Over **22,000 HCPs trained** with an independent evaluation demonstrating improvements in participant knowledge confidence and frequency of patient physical activity conversations.

Training can be provided for **groups of 12** or more healthcare professionals, sessions last for one or more hours

To be in put touch with your local champion email physicalactivity@phe.gov.uk





#### eLearning

#### **E-learning for Healthcare- Physical Activity for Health**

8 'Bite-sized' modules offering 5 mins quick look or full version (30 mins)

- The modules cover the current UK Chief Medical Officers' guidelines for physical activity.
- Health benefits physical activity for specific conditions (CVD, type 2 diabetes, COPD and asthma, cancer)
- Motivational interviewing 'how to' video.

For NHS staff accessing through ESR completed modules will transfer with you through your NHS career.

To access e-learning search:
Physical Activity for Health e-Learning for Healthcare







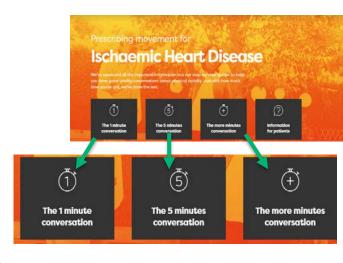
Moving Medicine

Faculty of Sport & Exercise Medicine-led development of tool covering nine conditions with **evidence based scripts** and resources for conversations

Co-produced with over 300 healthcare professionals, endorsed by Medical Royal Colleges and health charities and launched by SoS in 2018

Around **3,000 users** each month of beta version.

To access the resources: movingmedicine.ac.uk





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