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<b>MEETING:</b>	North Area Council
<b>DATE:</b>	Monday 15 January 2024
<b>TIME:</b>	2.00 pm
<b>VENUE:</b>	Council Chamber, Barnsley Town Hall

### SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA

- 3 Targeted Lung Health Checks - Hannah Young Cancer Alliance  
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To: Chair and Members of North Area Council:-

Councillors Leech (Chair), A. Cave, T. Cave, Denton, Howard, Hunt, Lofts, Newing, Pickering, Tattersall and N. Wright

Area Council Support Officers:

Tom Smith, North Area Council Senior Management Link Officer  
Rosie Adams, North Area Council Manager  
Rachel Payling, Head of Service, Stronger Communities  
Cath Bedford, Public Health Principal - Communities

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Targeted Lung  
Health Check  
Programme



# Targeted Lung Health Checks Programme North Area Council

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Hannah Young

January 2024



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## Why is the Programme so important?

[Sandra's story](#)

[Sky News feature](#)

[BBC Look North feature](#)

Programme success has been acknowledged and it has been approved as a national greening initiative

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## Who is eligible?

People aged 55-74 who have ever smoked will be invited by letter and receive an appointment for a quick telephone call confirming eligibility

## What is the process?

Once eligibility is confirmed, there are two steps involved in the process:

**Step 1:** A 30-minute telephone call with a Respiratory Nurse to assess a person's lung cancer risk (includes smoking cessation advice and a referral for support if welcomed)

**Step 2:** Those at higher risk are referred for a Low Dose CT scan

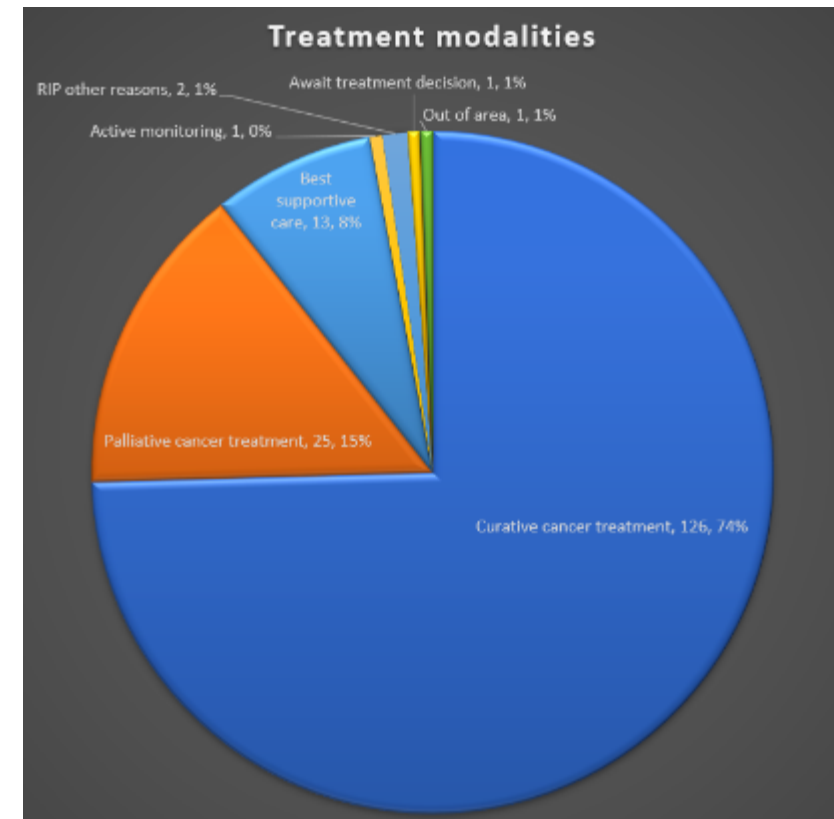
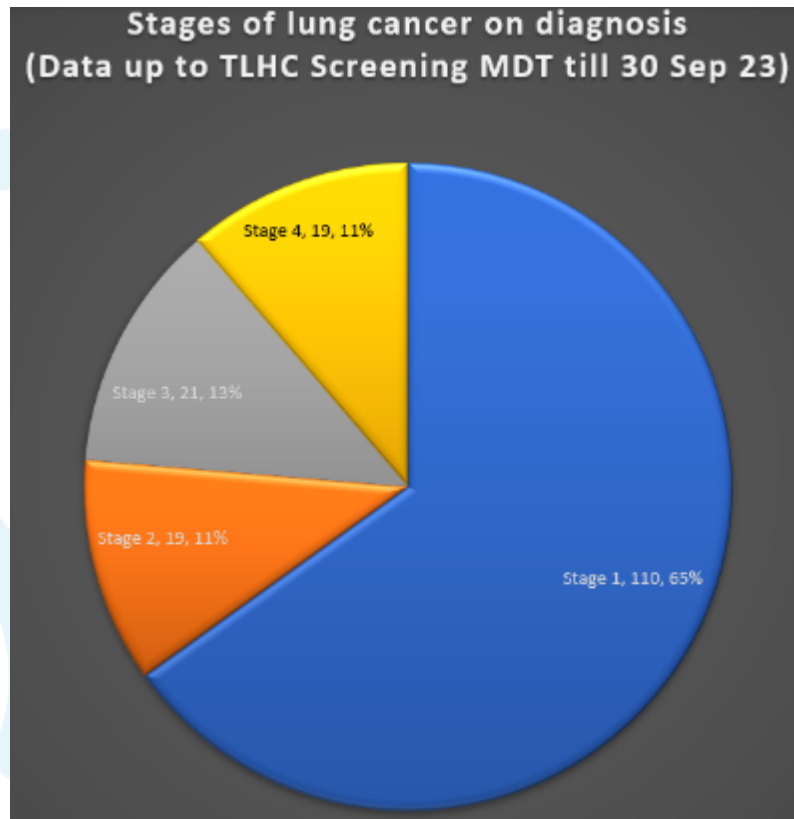


# Doncaster outcomes

As at 30 September 2023:

222 cancers have been found:

- 169 lung cancers
- 53 other cancers\*
  - 76% lung cancers found at an **early stage**
  - 74% of patients suitable for **curative treatment**



\*Breast, Urology, Haematology, Gastroenterology, Endocrinology, Dermatology, and unknown origin

# Prioritisation and rollout

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PCN*	First invitations*	Lung Health Checks*	Baseline Scans*	Scanner location*
Dearne	1 March 2023	14 March 2023	21 March-12 May 2023	Wath Tesco
Central	11 April 2023	2 May 2023	15 May-19 June 2023	Stairfoot Tesco
Northeast	22 May 2023	12 June 2023	26 June-15 July 2023	Priory Campus
South	24 July 2023	7 August 2023	1 September-3 October 2023	Hoyland Tesco
North	23 August 2023	13 September 2023	4 October-25 November 2023	Mapplewell Lidl
Penistone	February 2024	March 2024	April 2024	TBC

*\*subject to change*

# Messages

- **It will take time to reach everyone eligible for the programme**, but when the programme reaches an area, those eligible will be invited by letter
- **Some people might receive an invitation letter even though they've never smoked** – if this happens, they can let us know as part of their first telephone appointment
- **Some people might *not* receive an invitation letter even though they meet the criteria** – if this happens, please let us know on the email below
- Please encourage your networks and contacts to **endorse the programme and encourage uptake** (scam / apathy / feel fine)
- **Support is available to patients with additional needs**, and can be flagged in the initial appointment

For service issues or general patient queries further to receipt of a letter, contact Acacium on:

**0330 236 8484**

For commissioning issues or queries, contact the TLHC Programme team on:

[syicb-doncaster.sybtlhc@nhs.net](mailto:syicb-doncaster.sybtlhc@nhs.net)

## Online resources:

- [Targeted Lung Health Check main website](#)
- Watch patient stories and download a [Barnsley FAQ](#)
- [Digital posters can be downloaded](#) and printed off for display
- [Images and infographics](#) for use on screens and social media

## Support – for you and for the Programme:

- Events or meetings we could attend
- Helpful contacts in your networks we could reach out to
- Your suggestions on seldom-heard groups we could speak to
- You may contact us whenever you need anything Programme-related

