



HIGHLIGHTS REPORT 2023/24

This report summarises our 2023/24 work and achievements as a national health technology assessment (HTA) organisation.

“This year we have balanced our commitments to selecting, appraising and promoting the adoption of novel, evidence-based, non-drug technologies, with taking on new roles to support the innovation and medtech ecosystem in Wales and beyond.”

Peter Groves, Chair, Health Technology Wales



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Topics proposed to HTW



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Topics progressed to evidence appraisal



11

Pieces of guidance published



30

Topic Exploration Reports (TERs) published



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Evidence Appraisal Reports (EARs) published

HTW joined a UK-wide network of partners to develop and implement the Innovative Devices Access Pathway (IDAP) pilot.



In collaboration with partners across health, social care and innovation we supported the development of innovative artificial intelligence (AI) technologies for use in Wales.

We adapted our topic identification process using the International HTA database to ensure that our work aligns with Welsh Government health and social care priorities.



To ensure our work can be clearly understood by our stakeholders, we published an Appraisal Process Guide.

Throughout 2023/24 we continued to conduct rapid evidence reviews as a Collaborating Partner of the Health and Care Research Wales Evidence Centre.



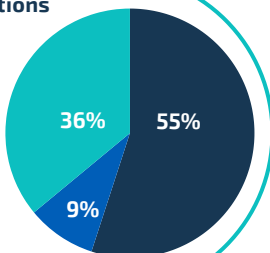
In partnership with the Velindre Cancer Centre we ran focus groups on health technologies that incorporate AI.

HTW guidance recommendations 2023/24

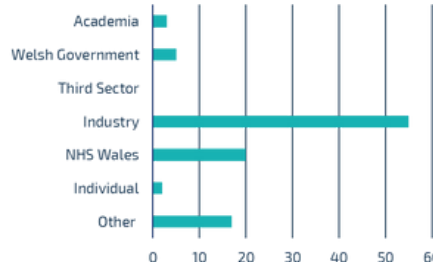
Routine adoption

Selective adoption

Insufficient evidence to support adoption



Source of topics referrals to HTW in 2023/24



Do you know about a technology or model of care and support in health or social care that HTW could appraise?

To suggest a topic, please complete our online form below.

[Suggest a topic form](#)