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About the Analyst Team of the Year and Analyst of the Year Competitions

The Analyst Team/Analyst of the Year competitions set analysts the challenge of turning complex datasets into an interactive, engaging report that tells the story within the data.

This year's brief was slightly different from previous tasks, and both the analyst teams and the individual analyst entrants received the same details, though obviously there was an expectation that the teams would be able to produce a more detailed response, ensuring a level playing field. The task centred on the growing concern in many healthcare systems around the world about possible cases of opioid addiction through inappropriate use of these molecules in the treatment of chronic pain (rather than in acute pain or end-of-life care).

Entrants received a number of complex data sets, including prescribing data drawn from published NHS resources under the Open Data Licence, demographic and deprivation data, and some background reading. They had to analyse the data provided and highlight national and local areas of concern in relation to possible over-use of opioids, with conclusions & recommendations presented in a clear format, with a supporting analytical tool to allow the user quickly to identify areas of concern.

The BHBA are hugely grateful to the organising team, who put in many hours of hard work to design the tasks and ensure that this competition was a success, as well as the judges who gave their time and expertise to assessing the entries.



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Highly Commended Entries:

AbbVie Ltd. and Quick Intelligence



Lazaros Mavridis
AbbVie Ltd.



Tristan Nichols
AbbVie Ltd.



Steve J. Johnstone
AbbVie Ltd.



Steve Dark
Quick Intelligence



Alexander Cook
AbbVie Ltd.



Murray Wood
AbbVie Ltd.

Insight Dojo



Genevieve Hall
Insight Dojo

IQVIA/Boehringer Ingelheim



Tom Woods
IQVIA



Ben Hope
IQVIA



Gary Hamilton
Boehringer Ingelheim



Simon Vincent
Boehringer Ingelheim



Nick Gorostidi
Boehringer Ingelheim



James Warren
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Ashfield



James Atley
Ashfield



Mark Tunnicliff
Ashfield



Emily Smith
Ashfield

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Karina Cui, Ashfield

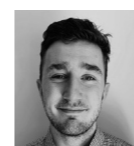
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Jonathan Sammut
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Andrew Moody
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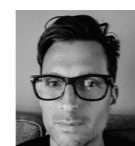
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