

## National Asthma and COPD Audit Programme (NACAP) Quality Improvement Priorities

### Children and young people's asthma

1. Record smoking status (11yr+) and exposure to second-hand smoke (all) for 95% of children and young people admitted to hospital with an asthma attack
2. Administer systemic steroids within 1 hour of arrival at hospital to 95% of children and young people (6yr+) who have not received systemic steroids as part of pre-hospital care
3. Provide 95% of children and young people with the following as part of their discharge bundle:
  - a. Review or issue of a personalised asthma action plan (PAAP).
  - b. Check of their inhaler technique.
  - c. A follow-up appointment in a paediatric asthma clinic requested within 4 weeks

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