



Section 6 – Case Ascertainment and Previous Audit Participation	
6.1 How many patients were eligible for inclusion in the audit?	
6.2 How many patients are managed with acute NIV annually in your institution?	
6.3 Did your institution participate in the BTS national NIV audit 2013?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
6.4 If you participated in the previous NIV audit, have you or your group	<input type="checkbox"/> Discussed and/or circulated the results of the previous audit with clinicians involved in managing this group of patients? <input type="checkbox"/> Discussed and/or circulated the results of the previous audit with managers involved in services for this group of patients? <input type="checkbox"/> Changed anything about the way your hospital manages this group of patients in light of the results of the last audit?
6.5 If you have made changes to the way in which your hospital manages this group of patients in response to the results of the last audit, please give details:	
Section 7 – Hospital Resources	
7.1 Do you have designated NIV area(s) in your institution?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
7.2 If yes to 7.1, where are these areas located (<i>tick all that apply</i>)	<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency department <input type="checkbox"/> Acute medical unit <input type="checkbox"/> Respiratory ward <input type="checkbox"/> Respiratory high care area <input type="checkbox"/> High dependency unit <input type="checkbox"/> Critical care unit <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify):
7.3 Do you have provision for continuous pulse oximetry for all patients treated with acute NIV?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
7.4 Do you have provision for point of care blood gas analysis within, or adjacent to, all designated NIV area(s)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
7.5 Do you have a clinical lead for the acute NIV service?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
7.6 If yes to 7.5, does the clinical lead have time allocated in their job plan to provide leadership for the NIV service?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

7.7 Do you have a nursing lead for the acute NIV service?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
7.8 Do you have a physiotherapy lead for the acute NIV service?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
7.9 Is the practical delivery of NIV led by	<input type="checkbox"/> Nursing <input type="checkbox"/> Physiotherapy <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
7.10 What is your routine nursing staffing in designated the NIV area where most patients are treated?	<input type="checkbox"/> 1:2 <input type="checkbox"/> 1:2-1:4 (including capacity to flex staffing to 1:2 for all patients until NIV requirements reduce to nocturnal use only) <input type="checkbox"/> 1:4 – 1:8 (limited or no capacity to flex staffing to 1:2 on a routine basis)	
7.11 Does your organisation provide a training programme for staff who have responsibility to start or continue treatment with NIV?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
7.12 Does your organisation keep a register of NIV-trained staff?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
7.13 If yes to 7.12, are consultants with on-call responsibility for the acute NIV service included in this register?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
7.14 Does your organisation conduct an annual NIV training update for permanent staff?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
7.15 Is NIV included in induction training for rotating medical staff with responsibility to deliver NIV in your organisation?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
7.16 Does your organisation have sufficient capacity to deliver the routine acute NIV service? <i>Routine = meeting expected demand such that all patients with an indication for NIV are treated with NIV without unwarranted delay.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
7.17 If no to 7.16, please rank all that apply (1 = most likely to affect capacity)	<input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient staffing <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient beds <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient ventilators / masks <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please indicate)	