



Brain Health Clinic Patient Day introduction

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The challenge



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30 years of advances in how we understand the human brain

New discoveries that might help, but access to 'real world' patients is difficult



Little change in how dementia is assessed or treated in 30 years

Limited access to research opportunities for patients

Our Aim

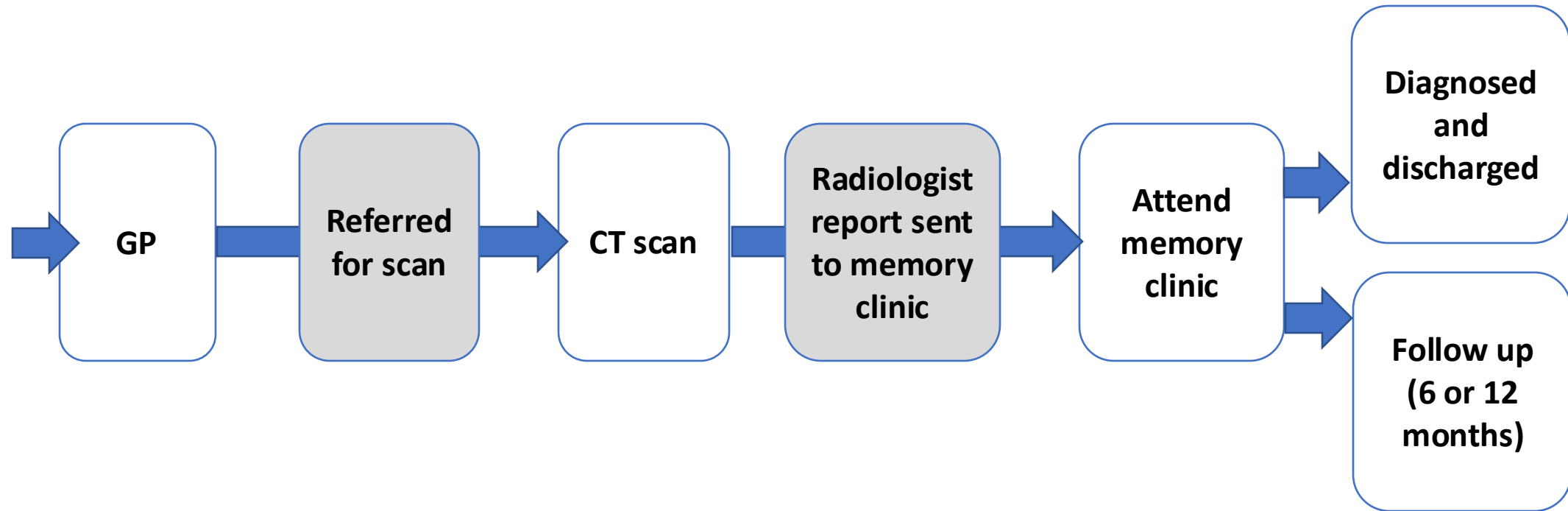


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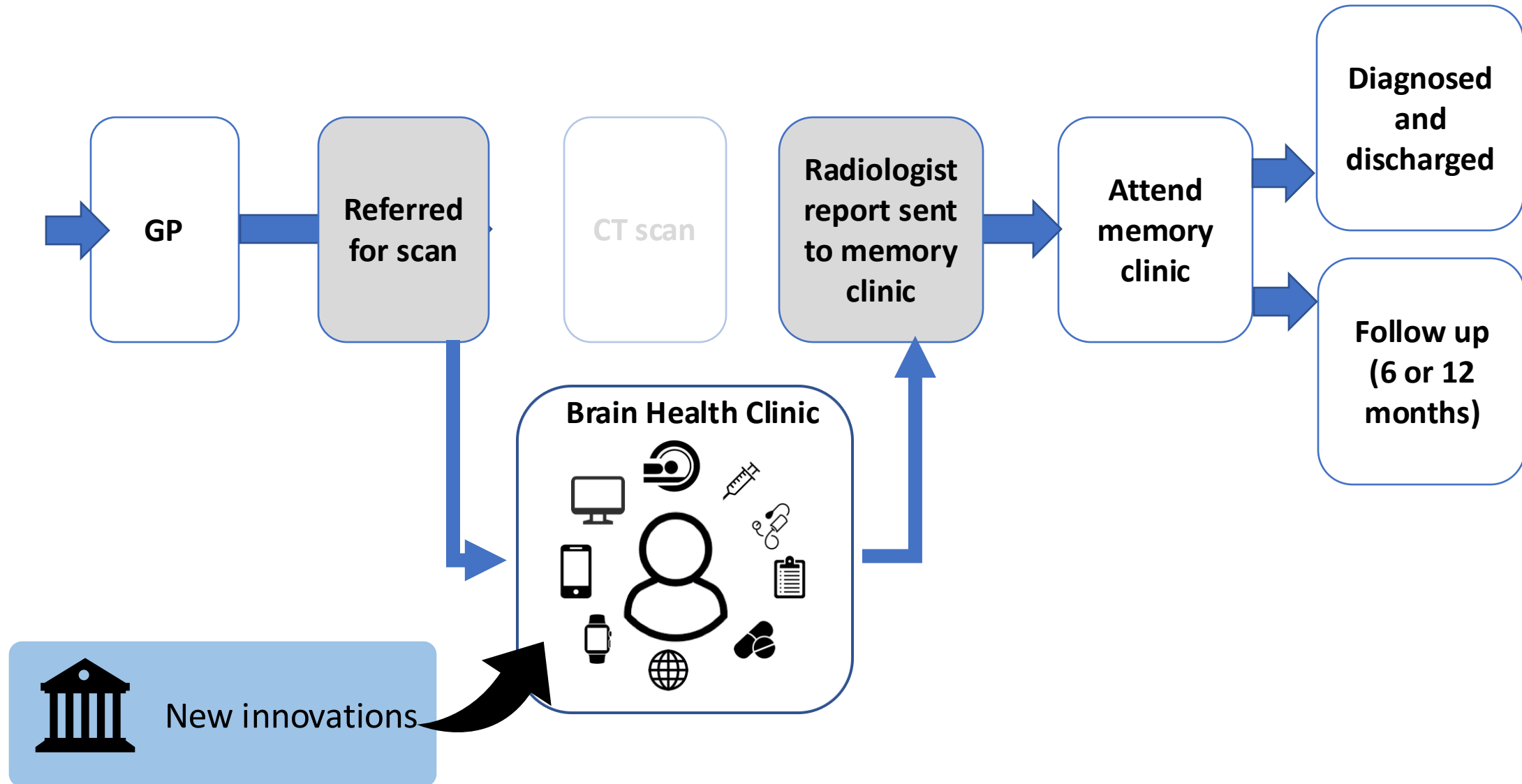


To bring research opportunities into the
clinical pathway

The clinical pathway



Patients diverted to the Brain Health Clinic



Your visit to the BHC

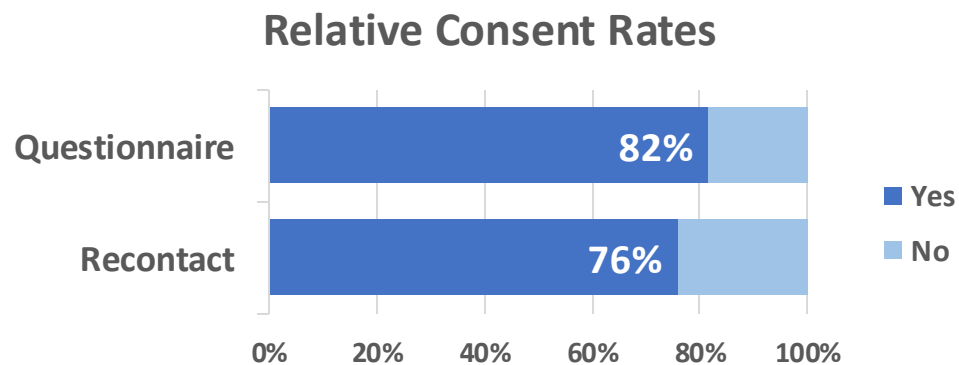
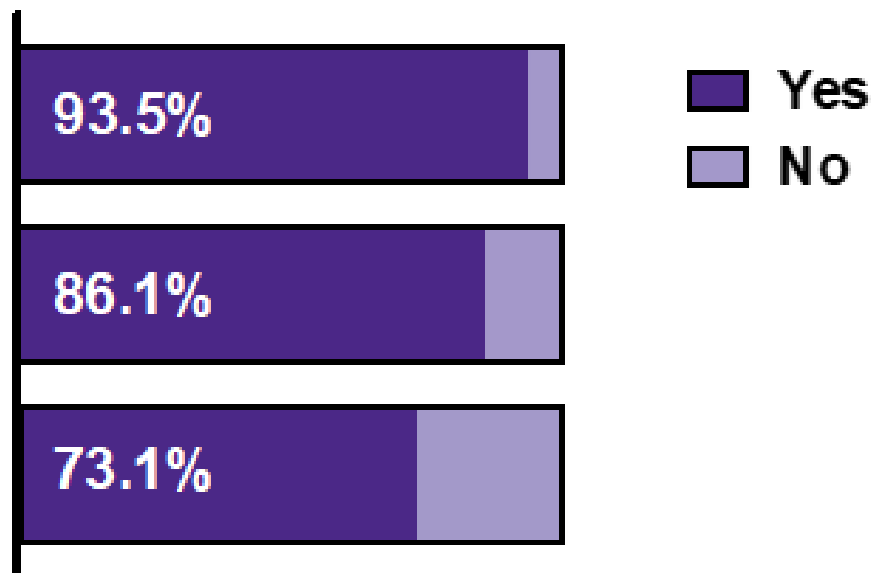


Brain Health Centre – consent


☐ No thanks

☐ Yes you can use my data

☐ Yes, I'm happy to do a bit more while I'm here

☐ Yes, I'm happy to be contacted about future studies and trials


Thank
you!



Patient satisfaction



100% of patients who responded (90%) were satisfied

84% said they would have been able to do more if asked

*"Had I known in advance how **easy** the MRI was going to be, I would have opted for the additional research scans"*

"The most in-depth treatment I have ever experienced"

"Charming staff team, all well organised and very good"

"We have been kept well informed and been given the opportunity to ask as many questions as we want"

Clinical team feedback

- Saved consultant time by up to 35%
- Increased confidence in diagnosis

“surprised that so many patient tolerate {MRI and longer assessments}”

Great improvement in MRI report – now standardised, reported with dementia in mind, helpful for diagnosis and giving patient feedback

The BHC report is *“a useful tool and it can get a lot of information in quite a short amount of time”* – particularly in borderline cases



Types of research you have supported

Improving memory
clinic services

Understanding brain
health and dementia
risk

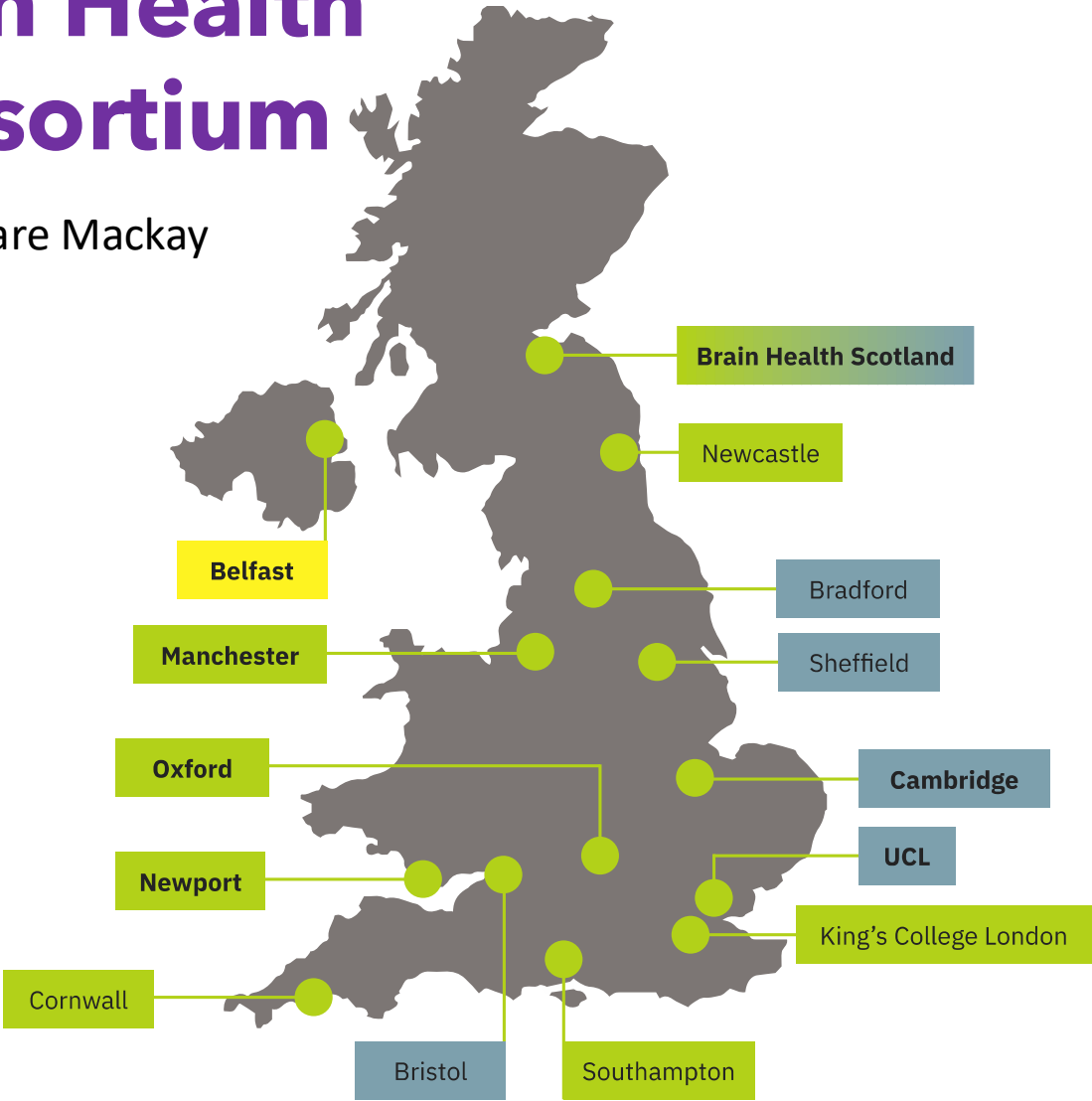
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Developing new
assessments

Opportunities to take
part in new studies or
trials

Brain Health Consortium

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Established clinic Clinic in set up

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