



# LEARNING AND IMPACT FROM CASES OF CANCER

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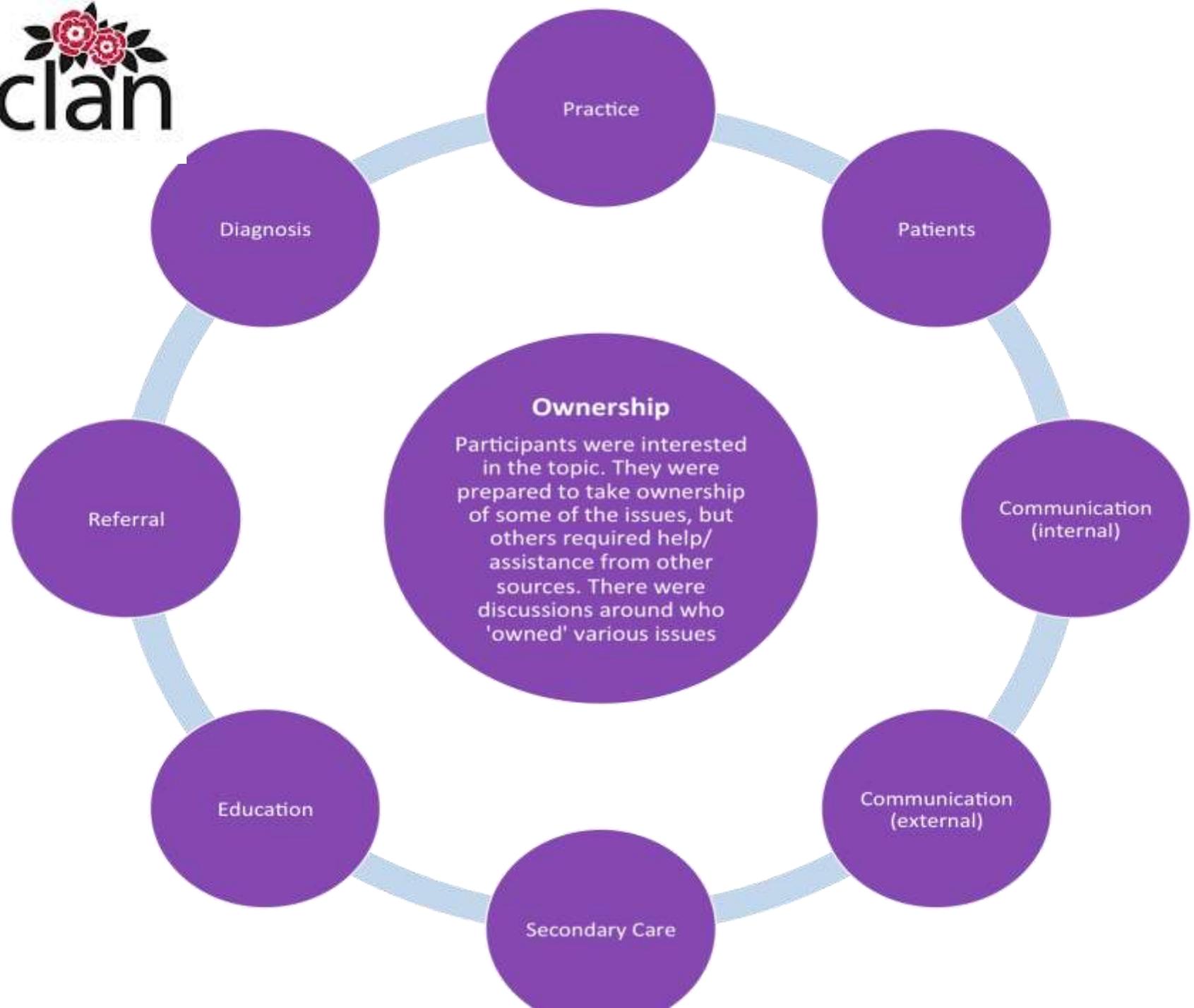




# EMERGENCY PRESENTATIONS



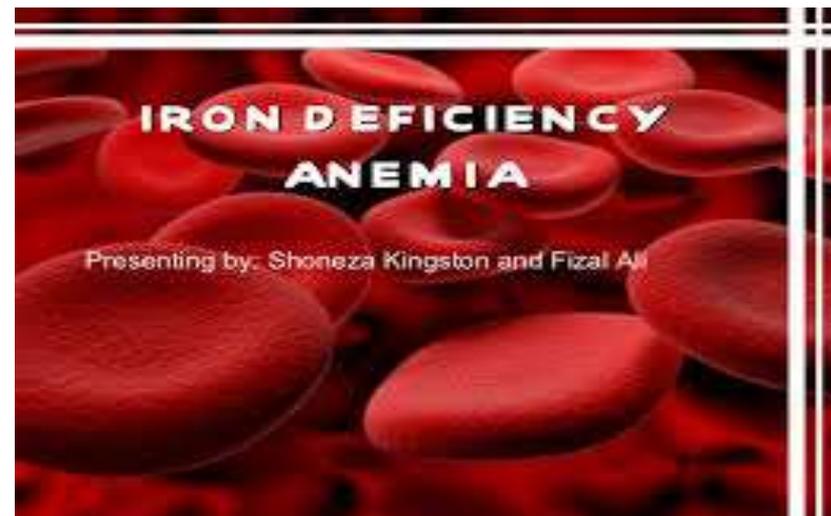
- Support G.P.s to undertake SEAs of new cancer cases.
- Discuss in practice
- Peer review learning
- Recommendation and action
- UCLAN independent analysis



# PENNINE LANCASHIRE

- Established annual SEAs cancer cases
- Emergency presentation
- None specific symptoms
- Bowel cancer
- SO WHAT?- learning and impact

# Presentations to be vigilant



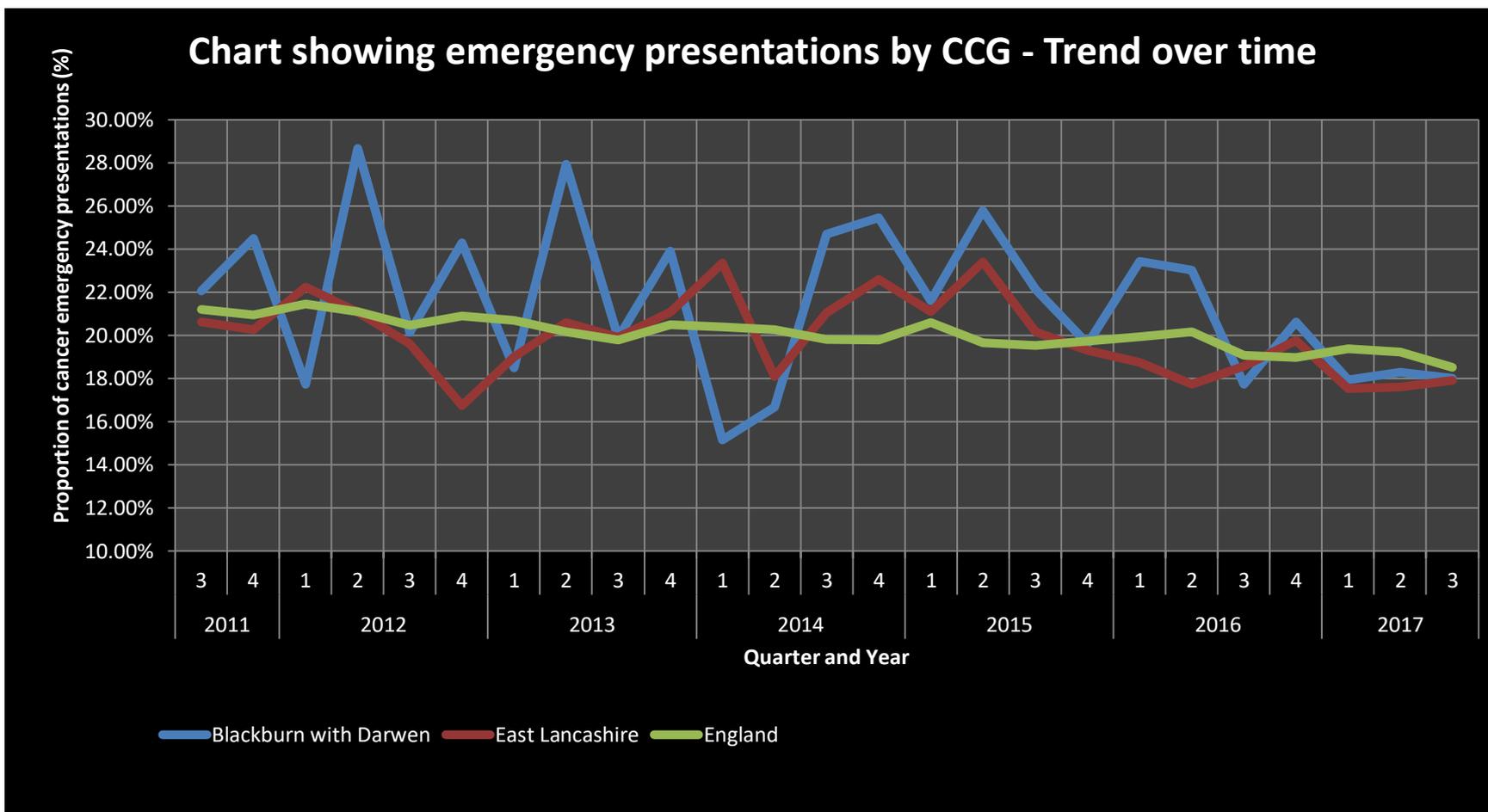
# RECOMMENDATIONS

- PRACTICE- **systems**: encourage screening; know 2WW; encourage attendance; act on results; safety netting
- CCG- **commission**: encourage screening, access urgent diagnostics; G.P. education
- EHLT- **communication**: patient responsibility; between departments; to G.P.

# G.P. LEARNING

1. Value using 2WW referrals
2. Challenges when some cases don't fit
3. Importance false negatives e.g. CXR
4. Need to encourage patient engagement
5. Never too young for cancer
6. Beware Infrequent attenders

# Emergency presentations of cancer used to be the highest in the country and are now lower than the national average



# CURRENT PROJECT –until March 2019



- Lancashire and South Cumbria
- 1/3000 population
- Potentially >500 SEA
- Lung cancer
- Safety netting

# SCALE, FOCUS & IMPACT



- Thematic analysis
- Add value
- Improve pathway
- Better patient care
- Earlier diagnosis
- Save lives