

# National Advisory Group for Clinical Audit & Enquiries

## Consultation on Future of Audit staff in Trusts

Responses to the overall document and to the specific questions should be sent to [clinicalaudit@dh.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:clinicalaudit@dh.gsi.gov.uk) by Monday 17 September 2012.

The full document can be downloaded from [www.dh.gov.uk/health/2012/07/audit-staff/](http://www.dh.gov.uk/health/2012/07/audit-staff/)

Q1	Do you agree with this assessment of the current concerns of audit staff in Trust?]	Yes
Q2	Do you agree that the current situation is not sustainable?	Yes
Q3	Do you agree with this analysis of the underlying reasons for the current situation?]	Yes
Q4	Do you agree this would be helpful?	Yes
Q5	Do you agree this would be helpful?	Yes
Q6	Do you agree this would be helpful?	Yes
Q7	Do you agree this would be helpful?	Yes
Q8	Do you agree this would be helpful?	Yes
Q9	What is your view of each component in the proposal?	Distinguishing between quality assessment /improvement is a key aspect for the achievement of better quality care. Leadership and board representative is also important and required in the process of CA/NCA. Education, training and development on a wide aspects of CA/NCA i.e. governance, risk etc to support best practice.
Q10	Do you have suggestions for other components?	As CA/NCA are important components in healthcare organisations, a formal education i.e. as part of medical students curricular, university modules etc. is necessary to promote CA.