

DeNDROn
Dementias & Neurodegenerative
Diseases Research Network

A VISION

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Director

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The Vision




- Support the development of new clinical research in dementia and neurodegenerative diseases.
- Support the delivery of clinical research
- Foster patient and public involvement
- Collaborate with funding bodies
- Engage with industry
- Involve NHS patients and staff in clinical research
- Deliver the right clinical trials, on-time, to high standards

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- Local Research Networks
- Patient & Public Involvement
- UK-wide working
- Corporate management
- Communications

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- Clinical Studies Groups
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Local Research Network
Supplementary resources for MND & HD

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Clinical Studies Groups & Special Interest Groups

- **Dementias**
- **Parkinsons Disease**
- **Huntingdon's Disease**
- **Motor Neurone Disease**
- **Primary Care**
- **Neuropathology and Brain Banking**

- **Neuropalliative Rehabilitation**
- **Clinical Research Methodology**

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The Challenges

- Old Age Psychiatry & Neurology
- Multiple diseases
- Primary and Specialist services
- Lack of service networks
- Consent for research
- Long-term studies
- Emerging therapeutic field

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