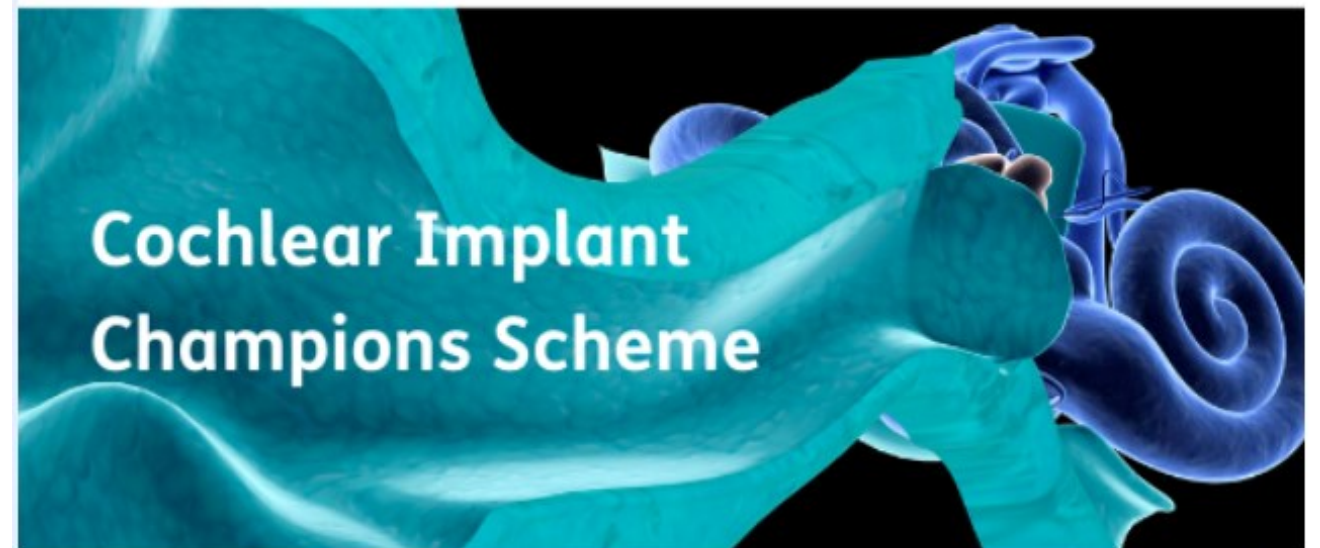


BAA/BCIG Cochlear Implant Champions

7th July 2022

Welcome all!

Linor Llwyd Jones



Where are we now...

- **120** registered champions
- **22** registered mentors
- Three key themes: **Training**, **Resources** and **Awareness**
- **Audit** supports all three themes

- **Sept 2020** - webinar focused on audit and case studies
- **May 2021** - online training event alongside BCIG 2021 focused on counselling
- **April 2022** – training event alongside BCIG 2022
- **Today**



Champions



Mentors



Where are we going....

- Our aims remains the same....

To ensure all eligible patients have **informed-choice** and **shared-decision making** when considering CI referral.

To establish CI champions within Audiology departments to **train, support and empower** colleagues to talk about CI with their patients.

To **audit and monitor** CI referral counselling and monitor the outcome of CI referrals.

Recent projects and work ongoing..

Speech test videos

- These will be available on the Champions webpage in the summer, along with advice from the committee on interpreting speech tests scores.

Sharing audit results / raising awareness

- The audit work was written into an article by Helen for BSA Audacity magazine - edition 19, March 2022: <https://www.thebsa.org.uk/audacity/previous-editions/>
- The audit work is now being continued by the ENT network <https://entintegrate.co.uk/circa> with Ann Marie, Helen and Rhian advising on the project.
- BCIG are also requesting referral audit data as part of a national audit: <https://www.bcig.org.uk/champions-scheme/>
- Helen and Ann Marie recorded a BSA online learning presentation on CI referral audit results last month - this will be available soon: <https://www.thebsa.org.uk/about/bsa-online-learning/>

Recent projects and work ongoing..

British Society of Hearing Aid Audiologists

- BSHAA webinar on CI referral earlier this year, led by Alison Stone from Oticon.
- Members of the committee supported the content and answered questions during the session (Helen and Kirsty).

Optimally Aided document

- Optimally aided document updated - to be discussed today and should be out for consultation soon.

Committee vacancies

- Committee places will soon be available
- We encourage Champions to volunteer
- Need for more referring clinicians on the committee to inform future work
- More information and details of how to apply will be announced soon....

Today's agenda

9:30	Introduction	Linor Jones
9:45	Adult Champions Breakout – Optimally aided document update	Ann-Marie Dickinson
	Paediatric Champions Breakout – Non-routine case studies MS TEAMS – LINK TO BE POSTED IN CHAT	Linor Jones Susan Johnson
10:00	Non-routine adult case studies	Ann-Marie Dickinson Judith Bird Linor Jones
11:00	Comfort break	
11:15	Manufacturer presentation – Advanced Bionics	Shahad Howe
11:30	Manufacturer presentation – Cochlear	
11:45	Manufacturer presentation – Med-el	Nicola Royle
12:00	Shared decision making: a systematic and unbiased approach	Ann-Marie Dickinson
12:15	BCIG referral poster	Helen Cullington
12:30	Q&A and close	All panellists

Thanks to all the presenters today and to the CI Champion committee members who have supported this webinar.

Thanks to the CI clinicians who contributed to the case studies.

Thanks to BAA and especially Victoria for her help running the webinar.

Thanks to you for attending and supporting this scheme.

Enjoy the morning!