NEW STAFF, STUDENTS AND TRAINEES

A very warm welcome to our new colleagues, Laura McGinn, Claire Miles, and Alison Rowsell!

RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS

Grant funding awarded

- Amlôt R., Rubin G.J., White P., Yardley L., Michie S., Briggs P. & Harris P. Improving communication with the public about antivirals and vaccination during the next pandemic. Department of Health Policy Research Programme: £506,878
- Kirby S, Thomas M, Bruton A, Hankins M, Yardley L. Barriers to effective self-management of asthma: A systematic review. Asthma UK: £30,000

Publications


**Publications (continued)**


• **Dennison, Morrison, Conway and Yardley** (2013). A qualitative study on smartphone ‘apps’ to support health behaviour change: opportunities and challenges. Journal of Medical Internet Research. 15(4):e86


Invited Presentations

- **Alarcos Cieza** was an invited keynote speaker on ‘the first draft of the model disability survey and recommendations on the next steps’ at a high level conference meeting organized by the WHO to plan future steps in the Model Disability Survey project. Dec 4th – 5th 2012, Geneva.
- **Alarcos Cieza** was an invited academic at the WHO department of health statistics and information systems meeting on the measurement of healthy life expectancy and wellbeing. Dec 11th – 12th 2012.
- **Alarcos Cieza** coordinated the last yearly meeting of the EC-FP7 project PARADISE (Psychosocial Difficulties Relevant to Brain Disorders in Europe). November 14th to 16th 2012, Warsaw.

Books and book chapters


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