

Appendix 2: CVD prevention indicators (2025/26 QOF points and thresholds)

2024/25 scheme					2025/26 scheme			
ID	Description	Lower threshold	Upper threshold	QOF points		Lower threshold	Upper threshold	QOF points
CHOL003	Percentage of patients on the QOF Coronary Heart Disease (CHD), Peripheral Arterial Disease (PAD), Stroke/ Transient Ischaemic Attack (TIA) or Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) Register who are currently prescribed a statin, or where a statin is declined or clinically unsuitable, another lipid-lowering therapy	70%	95%	14		70%	95%	38
CHOL004	Percentage of patients on the QOF Coronary Heart Disease (CHD), Peripheral Arterial Disease (PAD), or Stroke/Transient Ischaemic Attack (TIA) Register, with the most recent cholesterol measurement in the preceding 12 months, showing as ≤ 2.0 mmol/L if it was an LDL (Low-density Lipoprotein) cholesterol reading or ≤ 2.6 mmol/L if it was a non-HDL (High-density Lipoprotein) cholesterol reading. For multiple readings on the latest date the LDL reading takes priority.	20%	35%	16		20%	50%	44

HYP008	The percentage of patients aged 79 years or under with hypertension in whom the last blood pressure reading (measured in the preceding 12 months) is 140/90 mmHg or less (or equivalent home blood pressure reading)	40%	77%	14		40%	85%	38
HYP009	The percentage of patients aged 80 years or over, with hypertension, in whom the last blood pressure reading (measured in the preceding 12 months) is 150/90 mmHg or less, (or equivalent home blood pressure reading)	40%	80%	5		40%	85%	14
STIA014	The percentage of patients aged 79 years or under, with a history of stroke or TIA, in whom the last blood pressure reading (measured in the preceding 12 months) is 140/90 mmHg or less (or equivalent home blood pressure reading)	40%	73%	3		40%	90%	8
STIA015	The percentage of patients aged 80 years or over, with a history of stroke or TIA, in whom the last blood pressure reading (measured in the preceding 12 months) is 150/90 mmHg or less, (or equivalent home blood pressure reading)	46%	86%	2		46%	90%	6

CHD015	The percentage of patients aged 79 years or under, with coronary heart disease, in whom the last blood pressure reading (measured in the preceding 12 months) is 140/90 mmHg or less, (or equivalent home blood pressure reading)	40%	77%	12		40%	90%	33
CHD016	The percentage of patients aged 80 years or over, with coronary heart disease, in whom the last blood pressure reading (measured in the preceding 12 months) is 150/90 mmHg or less, (or equivalent home blood pressure reading)	46%	86%	5		46%	90%	14
DM0362 2 Note	The percentage of patients with diabetes, on the register, aged 79 years and under without moderate or severe frailty in whom the last blood pressure reading (measured in the preceding 12 months) is 140/90 mmHg or less (or equivalent home blood pressure reading)	38%	78%	10		38%	90%	27