

‘Influencing objectives’ for JLA

1. To increase the impact of research priorities shared by patients and clinicians on the therapeutic research agenda, and encourage research funding bodies to take account of these shared priorities when funding research.
2. To increase the potential for patients and clinicians to work in partnership throughout the whole process of therapeutic research.
3. To help re-orientate the therapeutic research agenda towards questions and priorities shared by patients and clinicians about the effects of treatments.
4. To promote and demonstrate the value of working partnerships and collaborations between patients and clinicians.
5. To increase public and professional knowledge about therapeutic research.
6. To increase public and professional acknowledgement that recognition of uncertainty about the effects of treatments can be the first step towards improving healthcare.