

**A DECLARATION OF JOINT WORKING BETWEEN BARTS HEALTH NHS TRUST AND  
ASTRAZENECA UK LTD**

Barts Health NHS Trust and AstraZeneca UK Ltd are engaged in a Joint Working Project entitled “ The Post ACS Medicines Optimisation and Heart Failure Detection Project”.

The aims and objectives of the project are;

- To improve long term cardiovascular outcomes for patients following an Acute Coronary Syndrome (ACS) event.
- To create virtual patient clinics, ran by a specialist cardiac pharmacist, with the support of consultant cardiologists at the Barts Heart Centre.
- To design a virtual patient pathway for patients following an ACS event.
- To improve adherence to secondary prevention medications for patients experiencing an ACS event.
- To identify and initiate patients suitable for long term therapy.
- To improve the detection, diagnosis and management of post MI Heart Failure within 12 months.
- To improve patient experience.

The project will run from September 2020 to September 2022. Both parties have contributed resources to the initiative.