## RETAKE NEWS <u>RE</u>turn To Work <u>After StroKE</u> December 2018

**Edition 1** 

A big welcome to the first RETAKE newsletter. Thank you for your continued contribution to the study. We have created this newsletter to help keep people updated about recent study developments.

#### WHAT IS RETAKE?

WELCOME!

This study tests whether individuals who receive Early Stroke Specific Vocational Rehabilitation alongside NHS rehabilitation are better able to return to work and maintain their job up to 12 months after stroke compared to people who only receive usual NHS care.

#### RAISING AWARENESS

Julie Phillips has published a paper on Return to Work After Stroke—6 vear follow up. Read a summary here. Kate Radford will be presenting on 'Vocational Rehabilitation & Return to Work After Stroke' at the UK Stroke Forum in December.

#### 3 month follow-up has started

- 19 postal & 7 online questionnaires have been completed.

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# Merry Christmas

RECRUITMENT UPDATE

Correct as of 27/11/18

site, per month.

sites. We have recruited

study.



RETAKE

### CONGRATULATIONS!

Katie Powers, our Research Assistant, has started her PhD looking at patient and therapist attributes and whether these affect return to work.

## ABOUT THIS NEWSLETTER

Any suggestions or contributions for this newsletter -please email Rachel (Rachel.Cripps@kcl.ac.uk).

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