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Healthcare Social Media Transcript

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change time period

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Welcome to this month's [#HEJC](#). For links to the paper and some possible discussion points visit <http://t.co/nqTJRdH0>

Mon Dec 3 12:01:48 PST 2012

ChrisSampson87

so who's going to kick us off? [#HEJC](#)

Mon Dec 3 12:04:38 PST 2012

captain_canaway

[@aheblog](#) I have my annual review tomorrow so not had a chance to read it fully as desperately trying to learn my slides! [#priorities #HEJC](#)

Mon Dec 3 12:06:01 PST 2012

ChrisSampson87

[@captain_canaway](#) poor show. You can't let my skepticism dominate [#HEJC](#)

Mon Dec 3 12:07:13 PST 2012

ChrisSampson87

Well, unfortunately the study doesn't dispel my concerns about the indivisibility of functionings and capabilities [#HEJC](#)

Mon Dec 3 12:09:31 PST 2012

ChrisSampson87

I'm not convinced that putting "able to..." at the start of a statement about functioning makes it a capability [#HEJC](#)

Mon Dec 3 12:10:42 PST 2012

ChrisSampson87

... or at least that it will make people consider it in terms of capabilities [#HEJC](#)

Mon Dec 3 12:11:19 PST 2012

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we tried a variety of ways of phrasing it in the qual work for both ICECAP measures [#hejc](#)

Mon Dec 3 12:15:01 PST 2012

captain_canaway

[@ChrisSampson87](#) disagree, gives you the option regardless of whether you choose to do it. E.g I am able to drive, but I don't drive! #HEJC

Mon Dec 3 12:15:12 PST 2012

ChrisSampson87

[@captain_canaway](#) driving is not a realistic comparison as it is not by definition good. #HEJC

Mon Dec 3 12:15:57 PST 2012

tflynnhealth

yes the "natural loners" are out there #hejc

Mon Dec 3 12:16:51 PST 2012

ChrisSampson87

stability, attachment, autonomy, achievement and enjoyment are all good. If people can have them they will. Result: functionings #HEJC

Mon Dec 3 12:16:52 PST 2012

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[@ChrisSampson87](#) is why the levels are important #hejc

Mon Dec 3 12:19:46 PST 2012

captain_canaway

[@ChrisSampson87](#) interesting point - has any analysis been done on whether responses change depending on 'I am able' or I am? #HEJC

Mon Dec 3 12:20:44 PST 2012

captain_canaway

[@ChrisSampson87](#) if so then would indicate there is a meaningful difference and capabilities to some degree are being captured?! #HEJC

Mon Dec 3 12:21:53 PST 2012

tflynnhealth

[@captain_canaway](#) recall offhand am afraid - jo coast wanted to #hejc

Mon Dec 3 12:22:30 PST 2012

ChrisSampson87

[@captain_canaway](#) [@tflynnhealth](#) would still be tough (impossible?) to attribute to func/cap split. #HEJC

Mon Dec 3 12:23:47 PST 2012

Paul_M_Mitchell

[@ChrisSampson87](#) There is no doubt they are closely related. You can't achieve a functioning without having the capability to do it #HEJC

Mon Dec 3 12:24:45 PST 2012

ChrisSampson87

[@Paul_M_Mitchell](#) ... but are capabilities 100% reflected in functionings? I think so... for the stuff that matters #HEJC

Mon Dec 3 12:26:33 PST 2012

Paul_M_Mitchell

[@ChrisSampson87](#) It's something we have looked into in a think-aloud study with ICECAP-A. Nothing published yet but hopefully soon #HEJC

Mon Dec 3 12:26:46 PST 2012

ChrisSampson87

[@Paul_M_Mitchell](#) look forward to it! #HEJC

Mon Dec 3 12:28:16 PST 2012

ChrisSampson87

I quite like ICECAP as a QoL measure. Probably more so as a result of this

paper. #HEJC
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HajBrum

evening. Study paul alludes indicates *some* people would diverge on *some* capabilities #hejc #HEJC
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tflynnhealth

@ChrisSampson87 it's just a shame the -A version doesn't work in the USA, Canada, and nz #hejc
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HajBrum

for gold standard test, you'd probably want to randomise to a capability version and a functioning version #HEJC
Mon Dec 3 12:34:24 PST 2012

captain_canaway

@ChrisSampson87 Chris...liking Ice-Cap?! This is a revelation! #HEJC #ICECAP
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hoping some more sceptics join in! #HEJC
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ChrisSampson87

If we wanted, could the data from this study show EQ-5D to be a valid measure of capabilities? #HEJC
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captain_canaway

@ChrisSampson87 what are your thoughts on the anchoring issue? Anchor on death/full health as per Qaly or no caps/full caps? #HEJC #icecap
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ChrisSampson87

@captain_canaway I think anchoring on dead is probably less wrong for ICECAP than for QAL Ys/EQ-5D #HEJC
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Paul_M_Mitchell

@captain_canaway @ChrisSampson87 I think it needs a better hash-tag than #ICECAP - it could get very confusing for environmentalists! #HEJC
Mon Dec 3 12:40:51 PST 2012

ChrisSampson87

@Paul_M_Mitchell ICECAP would be an excellent evaluation tool for climate change interventions #HEJC
Mon Dec 3 12:42:52 PST 2012

captain_canaway

@ChrisSampson87 not sure...I've not actually read the paper but I guess potentially as both will be v highly correlated etc?! #HEJC
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ChrisSampson87

@captain_canaway therein lies the problem with all validity studies. One finds what one's looking for. #HEJC
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Paul_M_Mitchell

Any thoughts on methods/results? I was surprised by the weak relationship between local deprivation through IMD and the ICECAP-A #HEJC

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captain_canaway

@tflynnhealth @ChrisSampson87 was that due to linguistic issues...misinterpretation of levels etc or something else? #HEJC

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tflynnhealth

@Paul_M_Mitchell icecap-o did fairly well in Bristol (only published the over 65s so far) #hejc

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tflynnhealth

@captain_canaway "quite a lot" is more than "a lot" among many non British English speakers #hejc

Mon Dec 3 12:50:26 PST 2012

ChrisSampson87

@Paul_M_Mitchell hmm, people rescale the questions to their own expectations. I wasn't surprised by the deprivation result #HEJC

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captain_canaway

@ChrisSampson87 could you elaborate on that please.... #HEJC

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Paul_M_Mitchell

@tflynnhealth I guess that's why I was surprised. Not that familiar with IMD as a measure of deprivation. Is it commonly used? #HEJC

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ChrisSampson87

@captain_canaway well, I think it's because we're still measuring the extent to which preferences are being satisfied #HEJC

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captain_canaway

@ChrisSampson87 @Paul_M_Mitchell wellbeing literature suggests u only compare 2 those immediately around you if I remember correctly?! #HEJC

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ChrisSampson87

@captain_canaway presumably said literature is about functional wellbeing #HEJC

Mon Dec 3 12:55:20 PST 2012

captain_canaway

@tflynnhealth thanks - v interesting, will bear that in mind in the future! #HEJC

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@captain_canaway @ChrisSampson87 @Paul_M_Mitchell adaptation one poss - more likely imd just a proxy for deprivation at individ level #HEJC

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ChrisSampson87

Good paper anyway. I look forward to the day someone finally cracks the problem of capturing capabilities. It's on you, Brum. #HEJC

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tflynnhealth

@captain_canaway yeah found that out in first pilot valuation exercise here in Australia #hejc

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That's all for #HEJC this month. Thanks for taking part. A transcript will be available shortly at <http://t.co/nqTJRdH0>

Mon Dec 3 13:02:15 PST 2012

HajBrum

[@ChrisSampson87](#) thanks for the feedback. TV awaits! #HEJC

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captain_canaway

[@aheblog](#) oh no, I was just getting warmed up as well! #HEJC

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[@captain_canaway](#) Apologies! You may continue without our oversight. We cannot shut down Twitter #HEJC

Mon Dec 3 13:05:58 PST 2012