

Clinic number	Block number	3-month periods from the beginning of the trial. Each block represents 1x 3-month period								
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1 and 2										
3 and 4										
5 and 6										
7 and 8										

**Figure 1:** Implementation plan for stepped wedge cluster randomised controlled trial. Striped blocks represent subgroups for collection of emergency/hospital service use data