The Vascular Priority Setting Partnership
Setting the Agenda for UK Vascular Research

Vascular patients, carers and healthcare professionals have agreed the top ten research priorities across nine vascular sub-specialties.

DIABETIC FOOT
Special Interest Group

If you have an interest in the top ten Diabetic Foot priorities you can contact the Diabetic Foot Special Interest Group via: davidrussell1@nhs.net and j.shalhoub@imperial.ac.uk
## Vascular PSP Top 10s

### Diabetic Foot

A final workshop facilitated by the James Lind Alliance was held 14.06.21 and brought together patients and health care professionals to jointly agree a priority list for diabetic foot research.

1. What is the most effective way of preventing diabetic foot ulcers?
2. What is the most effective way of preventing further amputation after toe amputation for diabetic foot disease?
3. Why are there delays in referral for diabetic foot disease?
4. How can outcomes in diabetic patients with foot infection be improved?
5. What is the best way of improving blood flow to the leg in people with diabetes?
6. Can risk assessment be improved in patients with diabetic foot complications?
7. What is the most effective way of preventing recurrence of diabetic foot ulcers?
8. What factors affect healing time in diabetic foot disease?
9. How can awareness of diabetic foot complications be promoted?
10. Is an annual foot check for diabetic foot problems worthwhile?