**Action needed to address stark inequalities in care across UK pelvic floor services**

A new report reveals significant short-comings in the care of UK patients with pelvic floor disorders (PFDs), and calls for urgent action to improve treatment and access to surgery.

To improve outcomes, six areas for change are proposed:

* Empowering, educating patients
* Making use of technology
* Integrating expertise
* Looking again at surgical procedures
* Making the most of teams
* Considering collaborations

COVID-19 has magnified pre-existing disparities in PFD services, but also offers opportunity to change models of care. The report is authored by over 30 PFD experts. [www.pelvicfloorreport.com](http://www.pelvicfloorreport.com)