

# Medical guidelines that mention work participation (Up-to-date till 2021).

Medical guidelines	Main finding(s)	Year	Source
<i>General</i>			
Screening for psychosocial distress (in Dutch, the Netherlands)	- General guideline on screening for psychosocial distress in cancer patients (including work)	2017	GIN, <a href="https://www.venvn.nl/media/2ocnee0g/detecteren-behoefte-psychosociale-zorg.pdf">https://www.venvn.nl/media/2ocnee0g/detecteren-behoefte-psychosociale-zorg.pdf</a>
Workplace health: long-term sickness absence and capability to work (UK)	- Guideline on how to help people return to work after long-term sickness absence, reduce recurring sickness absence, and help prevent people moving from short-term to long-term sickness absence	2020	GIN, <a href="https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng146">https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng146</a>
<i>Cancer</i>			
American Cancer Society/American Society of Clinical Oncology Breast Cancer Survivorship Care Guideline (USA)	Includes minor mentioning of work, that is: - Limited information on the impact of cancer to return-to-work support	2015	GIN, <a href="https://ascopubs.org/doi/full/10.1200/JCO.2015.64.3809">https://ascopubs.org/doi/full/10.1200/JCO.2015.64.3809</a>
Blueprint cancer and occupation (in Dutch, the Netherlands)	- General guideline with regard to cancer and work for all phases of cancer targeted at different actors involved in treatment  <i>[note tbv generieke module arbeid] deze richtlijn heeft inmiddels een update, echter deze stond niet op de website van GIN, daarom staat deze in de lijst</i>	2009	GIN, <a href="https://nvab-online.nl/sites/default/files/bestanden-webpaginas/BLAUWDRUK_Kanker&amp;Werk.pdf">https://nvab-online.nl/sites/default/files/bestanden-webpaginas/BLAUWDRUK_Kanker&amp;Werk.pdf</a>
Breast cancer (in Dutch, the Netherlands)	Work is mentioned at several places in this guideline: - Work/occupations should be mentioned during treatment  - Refers to guideline ‘Blueprint cancer and occupation’	2012	GIN, <a href="https://richtlijnendatabase.nl/richtlijn/borstkanker/organisatie_van_zorg/de_behandelfase.html">https://richtlijnendatabase.nl/richtlijn/borstkanker/organisatie_van_zorg/de_behandelfase.html</a>
Colorectal carcinoma (in Dutch, the Netherlands)	Work is mentioned at several places in this guideline: - Work/occupations should be mentioned during treatment  - Mentions that one common complication has impact on work  - Section on support for RTW	2020	GIN, <a href="https://richtlijnendatabase.nl/richtlijn/colorectaal_carcinoom_crc/nazorg_en_nacontrole_bij_crc/ondersteunende_zorg_bij_crc.html">https://richtlijnendatabase.nl/richtlijn/colorectaal_carcinoom_crc/nazorg_en_nacontrole_bij_crc/ondersteunende_zorg_bij_crc.html</a>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Refers to an update of guideline 'Blueprint cancer and occupation'</li> </ul>		
Hepatocellular carcinoma (in Dutch, the Netherlands)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Includes minor mentioning of work, that is:</li> <li>- Refers to guideline 'Blueprint cancer and occupation'</li> </ul>	2013	GIN, <a href="https://richtlijnendatabase.nl/richtlijn/hepatocellair_carcinoom/hepatocellair_carcinoom_-organisatie_van_zorg/hepatocellair_carcinoom_nazorgfase.html?query=werk#preface">https://richtlijnendatabase.nl/richtlijn/hepatocellair_carcinoom/hepatocellair_carcinoom_-organisatie_van_zorg/hepatocellair_carcinoom_nazorgfase.html?query=werk#preface</a>
Intracranial meningioma (in Dutch, the Netherlands)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Includes minor mentioning of work, that is:</li> <li>- Mentions that work is covered as part of rehabilitation</li> </ul>	2015	GIN, <a href="https://richtlijnendatabase.nl/richtlijn/intracraaniel_meningeoom/cognitie_en_revalidatie/revalidatie.html?query=werk#considerations">https://richtlijnendatabase.nl/richtlijn/intracraaniel_meningeoom/cognitie_en_revalidatie/revalidatie.html?query=werk#considerations</a>
Medical specialist rehabilitation in oncology	Includes a module on work		GIN, <a href="https://richtlijnendatabase.nl/richtlijn/medische_specialistische_revalidatie_bij_oncologie/arbeid.html">https://richtlijnendatabase.nl/richtlijn/medische_specialistische_revalidatie_bij_oncologie/arbeid.html</a>

### Cardiology

Acute coronary syndromes NICE guideline (UK)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Includes minor mentioning of work, that is:</li> <li>- Offer cardiac rehabilitation programs in a choice of venues and at a choice of times of day, for example, sessions outside of working hours</li> <li>- Take into account the physical and psychological status of the patient, the nature of their work and their work environment when giving advice on returning to work.</li> </ul>	2020	GIN, <a href="https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng185/chapter/Recommendations">https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng185/chapter/Recommendations</a>
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### Neurology

Clinical Practice Guideline for the Management of Patients with Parkinson's Disease (Spain)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Includes minor mentioning of work, that is:</li> <li>- Includes work as a factor to consider in the management</li> <li>- When the patient's work capacity is compromised, this justifies to start pharmacological treatment</li> </ul>	2014	GIN, <a href="https://portal.guiasalud.es/wp-content/uploads/2018/12/GPC_546_Parkinson_IACS_comp_en.pdf">https://portal.guiasalud.es/wp-content/uploads/2018/12/GPC_546_Parkinson_IACS_comp_en.pdf</a>
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### Obesity

Management of Obesity in Adults (Qatar)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Includes minor mentioning of work, that is:</li> <li>- Sedentary and night-shift work listed as risk factors</li> <li>- Work-life balance listed as barrier to physical activity in management of obesity</li> </ul>	2022	GIN, <a href="https://www.moph.gov.qa/english/OurServices/eservices/Pages/Clinical">https://www.moph.gov.qa/english/OurServices/eservices/Pages/Clinical</a>
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Clinical Practice Guideline for the Management of Glaucoma (Malaysia)	Includes a key recommendation on work, that is:  - Patients should be referred to rehabilitation including vocational rehabilitation	2017	GIN, <a href="https://www.moh.gov.my/moh/resources/Penerbitan/CPG/Eye%20Condition/CPG%20Management%20of%20Glaucoma%20(Second%20Edition).pdf">https://www.moh.gov.my/moh/resources/Penerbitan/CPG/Eye%20Condition/CPG%20Management%20of%20Glaucoma%20(Second%20Edition).pdf</a>
<i>Respiratory disease</i>			
Clinical Practice Guideline: Allergic Rhinitis (USA)	Includes minor mentioning of work, that is:  - Impairment of work listed as factor of disease classification as more severe	2015	GIN, <a href="https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/0194599814561600">https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/0194599814561600</a>
Cough: Occupational and Environmental	- Guideline on the role of occupational and environmental factors in causing and contributing to cough	2006	GIN, <a href="https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0012369215528481">https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0012369215528481</a>
Considerations – ACCP Evidence-Based Clinical Practice Guidelines (Canada)			
The Assessment & Management of Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary disease in Adults (Qatar)	Includes minor mentioning of work, that is:  - During history taking to assess the impact on patient's life including missed work and socioeconomic impact.	2020	GIN, <a href="https://www.moph.gov.qa/english/OurServices/eservices/Pages/Clinical">https://www.moph.gov.qa/english/OurServices/eservices/Pages/Clinical</a>
The Diagnosis and Management of Asthma in Adults (Qatar)	Includes minor mentioning of work, that is:  - During history taking to elicit information about: Materials with which they work. Whether their symptoms improve regularly when away from work.  - Provide information that 1 in 6 cases of new or recurrent asthma is attributable to occupation  - To consider Occupational Asthma  - During monitoring to include asking about time off work	2019	GIN, <a href="https://www.moph.gov.qa/english/OurServices/eservices/Pages/Clinical">https://www.moph.gov.qa/english/OurServices/eservices/Pages/Clinical</a>
Managing the long-term effects of COVID-19 (UK)	Work is mentioned throughout this guideline, included is:  - Advice to discuss the effect of symptoms on work  - RTW advice  - Use an ability to return to usual activities, including work, as measure of recovery  - Provide integrated, multidisciplinary rehabilitation services, including support to work	2022	GIN, <a href="https://sign.ac.uk/our-guidelines/managing-the-long-term-effects-of-covid-19/">https://sign.ac.uk/our-guidelines/managing-the-long-term-effects-of-covid-19/</a>

- Refers also to guideline 'Workplace health: long-term sickness absence and capability to work'

#### *Rehabilitation*

Brain injury rehabilitation in adults (UK)	- Includes a chapter about vocational rehabilitation	2013	GIN, <a href="https://www.sign.ac.uk/our-guidelines/brain-injury-rehabilitation-in-adults/">https://www.sign.ac.uk/our-guidelines/brain-injury-rehabilitation-in-adults/</a>
Cardiac rehabilitation (UK)	- Includes a chapter about vocational rehabilitation	2017	GIN, <a href="https://www.sign.ac.uk/our-guidelines/cardiac-rehabilitation/">https://www.sign.ac.uk/our-guidelines/cardiac-rehabilitation/</a>
Clinical Practice Guideline for the Rehabilitation of Adults with Moderate to Severe TBI (Traumatic Brain Injury) (Canada)	- Includes a section about vocational rehabilitation	2016	GIN, <a href="https://braininjuryguidelines.org/modtosevere/">https://braininjuryguidelines.org/modtosevere/</a>
Rehabilitation after critical illness in adults Clinical guideline (UK)	<p>Includes minor mentioning of work, that is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- To give patients information before their discharge to home or community care (if applicable) about driving, returning to work, housing and benefits.</li> </ul>	2009	GIN, <a href="https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/cg83/chapter/1-Guidance">https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/cg83/chapter/1-Guidance</a>
Rehabilitation for persons with traumatic brain injury (USA)	- Includes a chapter about rehabilitation for work to help a person return to work after a brain injury	2004	WHO, <a href="https://www.who.int/publications/item/rehabilitation-for-persons-with-traumatic-brain-injury">https://www.who.int/publications/item/rehabilitation-for-persons-with-traumatic-brain-injury</a>
Stroke rehabilitation in adults	- Includes a section about RTW	2013	GIN, <a href="https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/cg162">https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/cg162</a>
Clinical guideline (UK)	- Refers also to guideline 'Workplace health: long-term sickness absence and capability to work'		