

## JISC update December 2019-January 2020

Very little JISC conversation over this period - we await the explosion of COVID - related discussion later in the year.

### How to best manage hypersexuality in dementia

A clinician wonders if there was literature/advice on hypersexuality management in fronto-temporal dementia for a patient in his 80s. He has no comorbidity and his cognitive function is relatively well preserved; and there has been no change in his behaviour despite significant environmental modification and a SSRI. She has used anti-androgens in younger male patients but not in this age group.

She was considering finasteride or a progestogen.

There are significant forensic risks as well with ongoing criminal justice involvement.

**Respondent one:** Is aware that her colleagues treating older adults in the community use Cyproterone not infrequently.

**Respondent two** cited an excellent CPD online article from the Royal College of Psychiatrists on this topic - by Singhal and Tomar from 2015.

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