

Changing Age

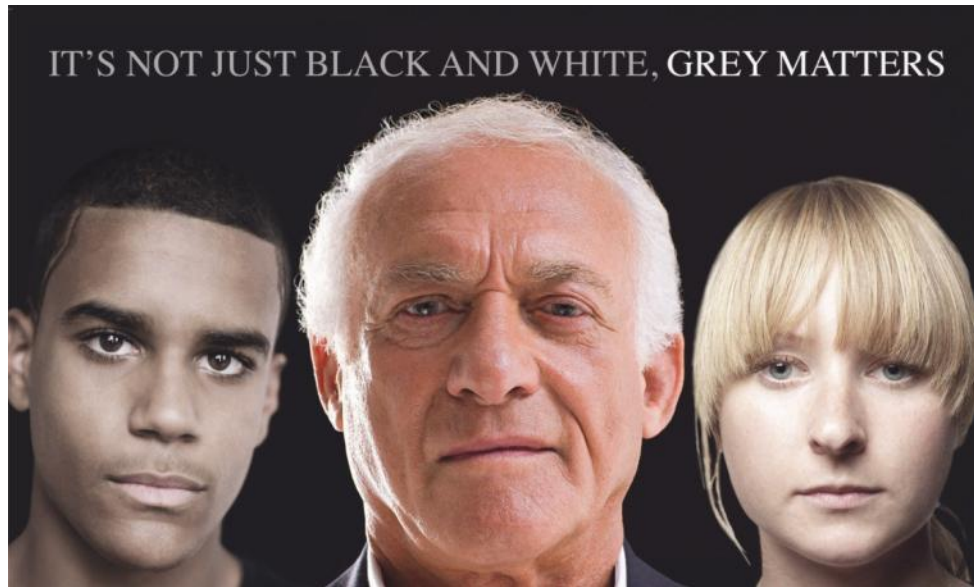
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What is Changing Age

- The Changing Age initiative aims to address the opportunities and challenges presented by an ageing population



Teaching & Learning

- Teaching and learning is a key part of the Changing Age mission and Newcastle University currently offers programmes and modules in this field at both UG and PG level:

Undergraduate:

- Biology of Ageing module offered by the School of Biomedical Sciences which examines the key biological mechanisms that effect ageing.



What Our Students Say?

Q1 I found this module interesting 63 responses



Q2 The module was well structured 63 responses



Q3 The module was well taught 62 responses



“I enjoyed the [Biology of Ageing] module as a whole.

It was very well put together and extremely well taught. It was obvious that the lecturers enjoyed teaching us and that helped us to understand the content.”

Teaching & Learning

Postgraduate:

- MRes modules in Ageing & Health, Systems Biology and Biology of Ageing – run by the Institute for Ageing and Health.
- MSc Modernising Scientific Careers: Clinical Sciences (Medical Physics) (36 months part time).
- MClinResearch (Debbie Carrick-Sen)



NIHR Training School

(Professors Julia Newton & David Jones)

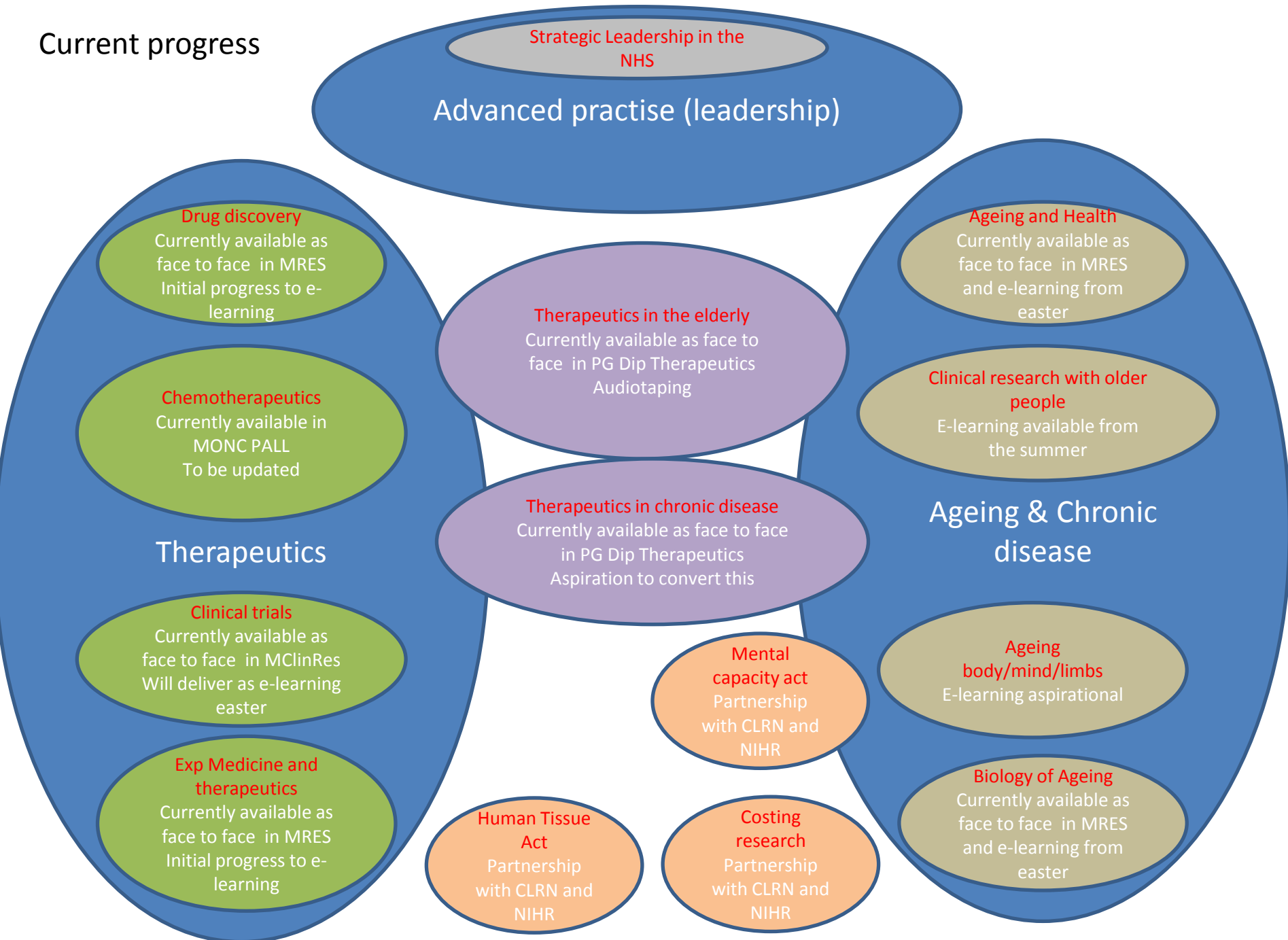
- To enhance the reputation of Newcastle as the premier centre for ageing and age-related disease research.
- To increase the opportunities for students to study in Newcastle and to have the benefits of a Newcastle University programme despite being unable to travel to Newcastle.
- To develop business opportunities for Newcastle University and the BRC/BRU by developing new educational programmes at masters level and for delivery as cpd.
- To maximize access to existing material in Newcastle by developing modules that are applicable to a wide range of courses within the Faculty enhancing our ability to deliver bespoke training with a relatively short development time.



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What Next?

- Meeting is scheduled for June to develop future teaching and learning opportunities in the field of ageing



Any Questions?

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