Very many thanks for doing this. Please find attached a version with a few changes made and I have inserted the statistics at the point you suggested. If you like you can add this reference for those stats:

<http://www.bmj.com/content/354/bmj.i3697>

If you want a reference that includes a table about rapid falls in self-reported health after 2011 (which will almost all be by the elderly). This reference has that table in:

<https://www.psa.ac.uk/insight-plus/blog/austerity-rapidly-worsening-public-health-across-uk-and-brexit-0>

If Kate can do the brutal editing and get it back to you that would be great. It may not need to be brutal! I agree it is good to think it to both the great recession and the subsequent cuts.

I am around Tuesday and Wednesday next week but very busy. then away for about 2 weeks on holiday and at a wedding.

I would be happy for you to send this off to a journal if Kate is happy and then we can look at their comments and polish it at a later stage? Or wait until I am back around August 1st?

I think the lancet would be good - or anywhere else you two are happy with.

I think the only thing we need to be very careful about is that people reading this realise that the greater increase for men is as compared to what would have been expected had the improvements for the them continued.

All the best,

Danny