## IPF Asbestos Exposure Study (IPF AES) Flow Chart Controls Cases Inclusion criteria: Inclusion criteria: - Male - Male - New diagnosis of IPF - New diagnosis of IPF between 10.16 and between 10.16 and 10.19 10.19 4800 new diagnoses of IPF per year at 25 specialist centres 4 age and sex matched controls for each case Estimated 3000 potential cases at 17 randomised sampling from all incident outpatient participating centres attendances occuring in the randomised sampling from list of all potential cases same month Exclusion criteria: Exclusion criteria: - Unable to consent - Unable to consent - Worked outside of UK - Worked outside of UK - Diagnosis of IPF - Diagnosis of Asbestosis 120 Cases 480 Controls Telephone interview for historic asbestos exposure asessment and blood test for genetic suceptibility Analysis