# A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

# To be held in public on Thursday 5 December 2019 at 09:30am

In the Boardroom, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Kemp House, 152 – 160 City Road, EC1V

# **AGENDA**

No.	o. Item		Paper	Lead	Mins	<b>S.O</b>
1.	Apologies for absence	Note	Verbal	TG		
2.	Declarations of interest	Note	Verbal	TG		
3.	Minutes of the meeting held on 3 October 2019	Approve	Enclosed	TG	00:05	
4.	Matters arising and action points	Note	Enclosed	TG	00:05	
5.	Chief Executive's Report	Note	Enclosed	DP	00:15	All
6.	Integrated Performance Report	Assurance	Enclosed	JQ	00:15	1
7.	Finance Report	Assurance	Enclosed	JW	00:15	7
8.	Learning from deaths	Assurance	Enclosed	IT	00:05	1
9.	Q2 Complaints	Assurance	Enclosed	TL	00:20	1
10.	Amendments to the constitution	Approve	Enclosed	HE	00:05	6
11.	Report from the quality and safety committee	Assurance	Enclosed	RGW	00:10	1
12.	Report from the audit and risk committee	Assurance	Enclosed	NH	00:10	6
13.	Membership council report	Note	Enclosed	TG	00:05	3
14.	2020 Cycle of business	Note	Enclosed	HE	00:05	6
15.	Identify any risk items arising from the agenda	Note	Verbal	TG	00:05	
16.	AOB	Note	Verbal	TG	00:05	

18. Date of the next meeting - Thursday 23 January 2020 09:30am





# MOORFIELDS EYE HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HELD ON THURSDAY 3 OCTOBER 2019

Attendees: Tessa Green (TG) Chairman

David Probert (DP) Chief executive

Andrew Dick (AD) Non-executive director

Peng Khaw (PK) Director of research & development

Nick Hardie (NH)

David Hills (DH)

Ros Given-Wilson (RGW)

Tracy Luckett (TL)

Non-executive director

Non-executive director

Director of nursing and AHPs

Johanna Moss (JM) Director of strategy and business development

John Quinn (JQ)

Sumita Singha (SS)

Nick Strouthidis (NS)

Jonathan Wilson (JW)

Chief operating officer

Non-executive director

Medical director

Chief financial officer

Steve Williams (SW) Vice chair and senior independent director

In attendance: Nora Colton (NC) Director of education

Sandi Drewett (SD)

Helen Essex (HE)

Ian Tombleson (IT)

Director of workforce and OD

Company secretary (minutes)

Director of quality and safety

Elisa Steele (ES) Chief information officer (from item 2362)

Richard MacMillan (RM) Head of legal services

Governors present: Brenda Faulkner Patient governor

Richard Collins
John Sloper
Public governor
Brenda Faulkner
Patient governor
Emily Brothers
Public governor
Public governor
Public governor
Remija Mponzi
Staff governor

By invitation: Bhavini Makwana Patient journey

Public: Mike Sealy Liaison Workforce

#### 19/2354 Patient Journey

Bhavini Makwana took the board through the challenge of her diagnosis at the age of 17. She first attended Moorfields in 2002 but wanted to share an experience she had with the service within the last few years that highlighted a number of errors in communication and customer service. These included being asked to use the checkin kiosks and fill out a FFT form despite her visual impairment. She met with staff that were not welcoming and who spent her appointment speaking to husband rather than her and not giving her the information she needed as a patient. Staff did not appear to have had the relevant training to deal with her guide dog and the whole appointment left her feeling extremely vulnerable and concerned about what other





patients may go through. PK apologised to BM on behalf of the trust and said that the customer service she received was not acceptable for what is a world-leading eye hospital and that he was very disappointed that this is the case for patients. The trust needs to do much better with these issues and it is no good for clinical care to be excellent if patient experience is poor. This kind of services makes a patient feel that staff don't care even if that is not the case and goes to the essence of what we are as a hospital.

RGW discussed the challenges with giving patients a difficult diagnosis and how the trust captures the feedback we get on this issue. A lack of time and empathy from clinicians is often cited and it is particularly important for clinicians to understand the impact on someone's life. Having an ECLO present can make a huge difference and there are still a lot of consultants that don't know that the service is being provided, although the trust has ECLOs at every site as well as counselling teams.

There are a number of different contact points where BM was failed by the organisation and in particular NS highlighted the need to work with the new Fellowship director about communication skills. Leading and guiding sessions for staff on induction include how to deal with guide dogs but there is clearly a gap, particularly if staff have been in the organisation for a long time and have not had their training refreshed, or if they are temporary staff.

The trust also needs to think about how to have the conversation with individuals, or a forum where patients come and talk to staff about their experience. Visual awareness training needs to be delivered by people with sight loss and should be part of compulsory training for clinicians as it is in a number of different specialties. The visibility of the executive team is also important to allow a dialogue with patients to discuss their experience.

To report back to the board on action taken to address the points raised – TL 05.12.19

TG thanked BM for sharing her story with the board.

#### 19/2355 Apologies for absence

Apologies were received from Kieran McDaid.

#### 19/2356 Declarations of interest

There were no declarations of interests.

## 19/2357 Minutes of the last meeting

The minutes of the meeting held on the 5 September 2019 were agreed as an accurate record.

#### 19/2358 Matters arising and action points

NH had raised the issue of assets being higher than planned. JW advised that of the £5m increase, £1m was related to stock levels in pharmacy and the rest related to current debt. Focus will be on the stock levels issue for the moment and any disconnect between the pharmacy system and finance ledger.





All other actions were either completed or attended to via the agenda.

#### 19/2359 Chief Executive's Report

October is national freedom to speak up month and there will be a number of different events going on throughout the month and opportunities to further communicate the work of the guardians to the organisation.

A number of new appointments were announced and in particular DP welcomed Will Tucker as the new divisional director for Moorfields South and thanked Alison Davis, who continues in a new role focused on external engagement and consultant job planning. Congratulations also go to NC on her appointment as Pro-vice provost which is an opportunity to further integrate the education agenda with UCL.

The trust has been announced as one of the seven new health research data hubs along with a number of different collaborative partners from industry and the charitable sector. The board congratulated the bid team and commended the commitment to work with patients on the use of their data.

DP provided assurance about the focus the trust has had on the key areas of significant risk that will impact the organisation in the event of an exit from the EU. The main risks are medicines management, research and workforce to a lesser extent. Another issue is likely to be people that are no longer eligible to receive clinical care. The risks to the organisation are being mitigated as far as possible and assurance has been received from national bodies that a medicines supply will be available for six months.

# Oriel public consultation update

JM thanked all patients, members of staff and the public who have engaged in the process. The public consultation has now closed and over 1500 survey responses are being collated.

Specific work has been done with groups with protected characteristics and rare conditions and established that changes to services could have a greater impact on these groups. A number of key themes have been raised, such as making it more possible for people to be independent, empowering people to take control of their own care, the importance of good communication, understanding hidden disabilities and how we support people over the period of transition.

This learning will be used by commissioners to help inform their decisions and by the trust to inform how the building and operation of the new centre is designed, as well as how we deliver services across the whole network from today.

Initial feedback suggests that the consultation has been inclusive and TG formally thanked all those who worked on the consultation, and in particular Emily Brothers who has co-chaired the Oriel Advisory Group.

SS mentioned that the percentage of staff engagement appears low and asked how the trust proposes to further engage staff. JM replied that a 17% staff response is





what we might expect as the consultation was primarily for patients and the public.

How to engage staff in the wider consultation is an important issue and the trust is starting to think more actively about broader staff engagement. A wider group of staff need to briefed about how to have the conversation with their teams. There are a number of staff who are directly engaged in redesign as well as those who need more general awareness.

## 19/2360 Integrated performance report

A&E activity continues to rise and may increase to 100,000 by the end of the year. This is being closely monitored in terms of the potential impact on performance.

The position remains strong against national access targets. There have been some cancer 14-day breaches which relates to a specific issue around internal referrals.

Journey times have improved although beginning to plateau and the trust needs to establish if there is anything further to be done or whether this a natural plateau. This may be a suitable point to look at different ways to manage clinics (i.e. face to face vs virtual consultations). Currently the figures for the two are averaged together but waiting times should be reviewed separately.

An electronic friends and family test option is now in place and this has improved the nature and quality of feedback from patients. The response rate has increased to over 30%.

RGW raised the issue of incidents as the target is 20 but the number of open incidents at 120. She asked whether the target should be revised or whether there are challenges in managing the situation. JQ advised that the target is being revised although the position is improving in terms of incidents remaining open for longer than 28 days. Each division has been asked to review how they manage incidents as there has been an over-reliance on individuals in the past and processes need to be more systematic.

AD asked how the trust is planning to achieve a target of a reduction of 10% in clinic journey times without affecting care. JQ stressed that the intention is to take waste out of the system without removing time spent with clinicians. It is important to try to reduce the amount of time patients spend waiting but need a mechanism to make sure that clinical face to face time is not being reduced.

#### 19/2361 Finance report

The trust overachieved against the deficit plan in month (the planned deficit is £850k, currently £30k adrift). The Q2 position is likely to be achieved which is positive in relation to release of PSF and FRF. The trust has also overachieved on its income target in-month at City Road and Moorfields North. It is important to understand patient flows and what has changed, particularly in the cataract service.

Pressures relate to health records, theatres and the IOL contract where the trust is working with existing suppliers to see what can be done in terms of mitigating the cost pressure.





There is a revenue pressure £200k in year on the Oriel project and undelivered CIP of just under £0.5m adverse, although this is £600k up from the last board meeting. The overall CIP target is £1.9m adverse to plan in terms of forecast but has significant focus across the organisation. It was acknowledged that this is a significant gap although a number of schemes are phased towards the end of the year. The trust needs to maintain £0.7m achievement per month in order to deliver the outturn. There has been renewed vigour in a number of areas and good progress made in City Road. There are two trust-wide schemes that could potentially release £600k. There may be a requirement to utilise reserves in order to mitigate the Oriel cost pressure.

Working capital is good, with debt down on last month. Focus will be on billings for non-core patient services. Capital outturn is coming in just under plan and a mid-term review will take place to assess the position.

There is a risk of between £0 and £600k on stock. Pharmacy systems work on an average pricing basis and issues out may not equate to values that have gone in. Currently looking at potential mitigations for any emerging risk. The stock level number needs to be revalidated.

In relation to financing and adjustments, JW advised that ideally the trust wants to focus on operational variances and keep any special items separate in order to be able to see the real picture.

#### 19/2362 Service improvement reports

JQ presented the annual report for 18/19 and the bi-annual report for 19/20. The reports focus on three main areas; building a culture of continuous improvement, running a suite of service improvement projects and working with divisions on developing CIP schemes.

The trust is a training centre for quality and service improvement and can accredit staff in QSIR training. 79 staff have been trained so far and this needs to continue in order to embed the culture.

The board was provided with updates on two of the key projects, which are high volume cataract lists at City Road and the Big Picture pilot in Croydon which allows better triage of complex and urgent patients.

TG asked how the board is able to assess the targets and milestones against what the trust is looking to achieve (i.e. how many clinics on how many sites, etc.) This needs more clarity and should be reported in the format of a programme with a tracker that can be measured for progress more easily.

Amendments to be made for the next report – JQ March 20

Discussion took place about outpatient journey times and the blocks to maintaining progress. The process was started with larger services and looked at stratification. The trust needs to now start looking at which other services can be reviewed to see where the next step change can be made. The board would be keen to see the plan as to how this work is going to progress.





An update was also given about the 'Hand holding' project, where volunteers go into theatres with patients to provide support. Although it is early in the process feedback has been given that it is working very well.

#### 19/2363 Q1 complaints, compliments and PALS report

Over the first quarter of the year the trust has received 70 written complaints, which is a relatively static number. Complaints focus on three main areas; information given to patients, quality of consultation and managing patient expectation and communication with patients/staff behaviours.

There are no themes that relate to specific teams, services or members of staff at the moment although this will continue to be an issue for scrutiny. Similar themes are coming from PALS, as well as a focus on the administration, booking and appointments systems.

Lessons learned have been identified but need to be tackled on a trust-wide basis. An event was held with staff to focus on solutions and a number of actions arose from this. A review is also taking place of the management of complaints including write-up and the quality of responses.

There are a number of areas that have seen improvement such as the relaunch of the buzzer system, although these projects tend to highlight issues with logistics that may not have been identified, such as the availability of buzzers at kiosks rather than just at reception.

It was agreed that reception staff should be trained to explain to patients the likely differences in their patient journey as this is a key way of keeping patients informed. However, there has also been an increase in abusive behaviour towards staff, and the board strongly condoned the trust's policy to take firm action to support staff in such situations.

NS said that complaints are often multifactorial and often include a medical component, particularly about perception of clinical management. Responses are often done at Fellow level and this is an area that the fellowship director is actively reviewing and wants to see a real improvement.

#### 19/2364 Annual freedom to speak up report

The trust freedom to speak up guardians took up post in September 2018 and cover a wide range of professions and sites. The role is independent of management and concerns are kept anonymous. The guardians have a lot of visibility across network sites and have a rolling programme of visits so that staff know the guardians are available.

Over the last year some concerns have been raised, although no specific patient safety concerns. Staff often come for signposting to other services. Guardians spend direct time with the chair and chief executive to identify themes, particular areas that require focus and whether guardians need any support. At this stage the guardians have given assurance that there is a good process in place that is working well and that





their activities are manageable within the time they have available. There will be a lot of work taking place as part of freedom to speak up month in October.

Board members asked about the process for reviewing the effectiveness of guardians. The trust is required to report figures nationally and the regular meetings with senior members of the board provide assurance. There has been a demonstration of effectiveness in a particular service which was reviewed by the guardians and revisited to see if concerns had been addressed.

#### 19/2365 Guardian of safe working

This quarterly report triangulates with results from GMC trainee survey which saw a particular improvement in SGH. There were two breaches; one relating to a serious clinical issue that needed to be addressed and another relating to an overbooked clinic.

In relation to exception reporting sign off the trust will be moving towards a clinical supervisor rather than an educational supervisor undertaking the process.

HEE has also awarded the trust a £30k grant to be used to see how we might improve the welfare of junior doctors. There are proposals to use the money to fund educational benefits.

The board was keen to understand how the trust is assured that trainees are empowered to make exception reports. NS replied that consultants have been advised of the trust position and are expected to adhere to it. The only risk is the OOH service on a site like SGH but there are no current concerns that trainees are not reporting.

# 19/2366 Administration and booking process

JQ provided a summary of themes that are coming through complaints and the patient feedback route. Patients often find it difficult to get appointments and are having to rebook multiple times. This is a direct response to lost to follow up issues that happened historically. The trust sought to avoid these problems by giving every patient an appointment, which could be moved closer to the time if that was required. However, this leads to overbooking clinics and the system allows the overbooking from multiple sites. In order to put more control into who has booking privileges, there are technical fixes that need to be made to the PAS system but these will take up to a year to address.

Patient experience of calling is another issue in that patients can't always get through or get through to the wrong service. Letters are not standardised across all sites. The plan is to implement a new patient portal so that patients have more control over their experience.

The trust is also looking at implementing a single point of access which would involve implementing a call management system. This would allow services to better analyse calls, dropped calls, etc.





Buzzers not being used in the way that was first anticipated and needs a specific piece of work to address some of the practical issues that have arisen.

The issue of whiteboards was raised and the fact that they are not used consistently across clinics. The trust needs to be clear that using whiteboards to communicate with patients is not the best option and that better use of electronic screens should be made.

The Board acknowledged the difficulties in addressing some of these issues and will receive an update every three months.

Next update to be provided in January – JQ 23.01.20

# 19/2367 Report from the quality and safety committee

RGW highlighted three key issues; that of health records, considerable improvement and discussion about research governance and associated clinical risk that is mitigated by having appropriate governance in place.

19/2368 Identify any risk items arising from the agenda

None.

19/2369 AOB

None.

19/2370 Date of next meeting - Thursday 5 December 2019

#### **BOARD ACTION LOG**

Meeting Date	Item No.	Item	Action	Responsible	Due Date	Update/Comments	Status
05.09.19	19/2344	•	Investigate figures in the SoFP which show assets higher than planned	JW	03.10.19		Closing
05.09.19	19/2345	Workforce strategy	Update on progress to be provided in six months	SD	27.03.20		Open
03.10.19	19/2354	,	To report back to the board on action taken to address the points raised	TL	05.12.19		Open
03.10.19	19/2362		Targets and milestones to be reported in programme format with tracker for the next report	JQ	27.03.20		Open
03.10.19	19/2366	Administration and booking process	Update to the board on progress in three months	JQ	23.01.20		Open





	Glossary of terms – December 2019
Oriel	A project that involves Moorfields Eye Hospital NHS Foundation Trust and its
	research partner, the UCL Institute of Ophthalmology, along with Moorfields Eye
	Charity working together to improve patient experience by exploring a move from
	our current buildings on City Road to a preferred site in the Kings Cross area by 2023.
AAR	After action review
AHP	Allied health professional
AIS	Accessible information standard
ALB	Arms length body
AMRC	Association of medical research charities
ASI	Acute slot issue
BAF	Board assurance framework
BAME	Black, Asian and minority ethnic
BRC	Biomedical research centre
CCG	Clinical commissioning group
CIP	Cost improvement programme
CPIS	Child protection information sharing
CQC	Care quality commission
CQRG	Commissioner quality review group
CQUIN	Commissioning for quality innovation
CSSD	Central sterile services department
СТР	Costing and transformation programme
DHCC	Dubai Healthcare City
DMBC	Decision-making business case
DSP	Data security protection [toolkit]
ECLO	Eye clinic liaison officer
EDI	Equality diversity and inclusivity
EDHR	Equality diversity and human rights
EMR	Electronic medical record
EU	European union
FBC	Full business case
FFT	Friends and family test
FRF	Financial recovery funding
FTSUG	Freedom to speak up guardian
GDPR	General data protection regulations
GIRFT	Getting it right first time
GoSW	Guardian of safe working
HCA	Healthcare assistant
I&E	Income and expenditure
IFRS	International financial reporting standards
IOL	Intra ocular lens
IPR	Integrated performance report
iSLR	Integrated service line reporting
KPI	Key performance indicators





LCFS	Local counter fraud service
LD	Learning disability
MFF	Market forces factor
NCL	North central london
NHSI/E	NHS Improvement/England
NIHR	National institute for health research
NIS	Network and information systems
NMC	Nursing & midwifery council
ОВС	Outline business case
OD	Organisation development
PAM	Premises assurance management
PAS	Patient administration system
PDC	Public dividend capital
PID	Patient identifiable data
PP	Private patients
PROMS	Patient related outcome measures
PSF	Provider sustainability fund
QIA	Quality impact assessment
QIPP	Quality, innovation, productivity and prevention
QSC	Quality & safety committee
QSIS	Quality service improvement and sustainability
RAG	Red amber green [ratings]
RCA	Root cause analysis
R&D	Research & development
RTT	Referral to treatment
SCC	Strategy & commercial committee
SGH	St Georges University Hospital
SI	Serious Incident
SLA	Service level agreement
STP	Sustainability and transformation partnership
TMC	Trust management committee
UAE	United Arab Emirates
UCL	University College London
VFM	Value for money
WDES	Workforce disability equality standards
WRES	Workforce race equality standards
	Year to date





Agenda item 05
Chief executive's report
Board of directors 5 December
2019



Report title	Chief executive's report					
Report from	David Probert, chief executive					
Prepared by	David Probert and the executive team					
Previously discussed at	Management Executive					
Link to strategic objectives	The chief executive's report links to all eight strategic objectives					

# **Brief summary of report**

The report covers the following areas:

- New appointments
- Financial position M7
- Awards and recognition
- Moorfields Academy
- Oriel public consultation
- Emergency planning assurance

# Action required/recommendation.

The board is asked to note the chief executive's report.

For assurance	For decision	For discussion	To note	✓

#### MOORFIELDS EYE HOSPITAL NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

#### **PUBLIC BOARD MEETING – 5 DECEMBER 2019**

#### **Chief Executive's report**

# 1. Quality

I am pleased to confirm that Moorfields Private was successful in winning a 2019 LaingBuisson Award for clinical services – healthcare outcomes category. This award is given for excellence in the delivery of better healthcare outcomes with a focus on the ability to deliver those outcomes. This category was particularly competitive with ten organisations in total being shortlisted.

Alongside the LaingBuisson award I am pleased to report that Moorfields Private has also earned **joint first place in a survey by consumer watchdog Which?** for their review of laser eye surgery providers. Which? awarded Moorfields Private's services four stars out of five across various categories including: explaining the procedure, sales practice, time with the surgeon and aftercare. The report, which included data from 1000 customers, singled out Moorfields Private for 'overall communication during the surgery itself', with a customer rating of 'excellent' (five stars) in that category.

#### 2. Financial

The trust over-achieved against the **financial plan** in October with a surplus of £1.06m against a planned surplus of £0.96m. The year to date position now stands at a surplus of £0.17m – a favourable variance of £0.15m. Forecast Cost Improvement Plan (CIP) performance for the year now stands at £5.85m – an improvement of £0.6m on the prior month as several new schemes were added and several others finalised. This CIP performance remains £1.15m adverse against the plan for the year and continues to be an area of organisational focus. The Use of Resources rating achieved a score of 1 in-month (against a plan of 1) as the financial plan was achieved.

#### 3. People

I would like welcome the following senior **new appointments**; Andrew Robertson as the director of private care, Gordon Hay as service director for A&E and City Road urgent care services, Alessandra Martins as paediatric and adult glaucoma consultant and Mark Redhead as the head of system partnerships.

The trust was proud to host Ruth May, chief nursing officer for NHS England who awarded **Chief Nursing Officer awards** to two members of nursing staff on a recent visit. The gold award went to nurse consultant Adam Mapani in recognition of his outstanding achievements and exceptional contributions to ophthalmic nursing. The silver award was presented to Mally Scrutton, paediatrics matron, for going above and beyond the expectations of her role and putting children and families at the centre of what she does.

The nomination process for **Moorfields' Stars of 2019** opened on 5 November and will close on 10 December. Paper nomination forms for the patient choice award and volunteer of the year award are available a number of sites. Patients, families, carers and volunteers can use these nomination forms or nominate online via the website. All other categories are nominated by staff.

The Cayton Street urgent care and optometrist-led glaucoma team has been shortlisted for the 'Hospital Optometry Team of the Year' award, and optometrist Zachary Cairns is a finalist for 'Newly Qualified Optometrist of the Year' at the **Association of Optometrist awards**. The team was shortlisted in recognition of the expansion of the service they provide, improvements in the patient experience and increased capacity, whilst conducting clinics in a safe, efficient manner and maintaining clinical standards.

#### 4. Research and innovation

Peter Thomas, Moorfields' director of digital innovation and lain Livingstone, consultant ophthalmologist and acute tele-ophthalmology system lead from NHS Forth Valley, have delivered the world's first **tele-examination of an eye** in 4k resolution using 5G broadband. The examination was streamed live at a conference in Edinburgh. The quality of the image was good enough to be used in clinic and can be streamed in real time, opening up huge potential for telemedicine in the future. There are many potential benefits for patients, especially those who travel long distances for appointments. Provision of detailed examinations could also increase access to specialist advice for patients in under-resourced countries.

#### 5. Education

The **Moorfields Academy** celebrated its 28th meeting on November 20th, 2019 with a half day programme of inspirational talks on topical issues important to staff and students. Our speakers covered wellness and resilience, reducing the carbon footprint of clinical activity, understanding and communicating clinical 'risk', robotic surgery and citizen facing technology in the NHS.

A total of 122 people (66 staff, 17 trainees and 39 students) attended, travelling from across the globe to join the meeting. The audience feedback demonstrated high levels of satisfaction and both informal and formal feedback with regards to our six speakers demonstrated that the meeting was an inspirational and enjoyable educational networking event for all, offering concrete guidance and practical steps on how to improve health care delivery now and in the future.

#### 6. Infrastructure

The 2019 **annual EPRR** assurance **process** review for the trust took place on 21 October 2019. The aim of this process is to assure NHS England & Improvement (London) that the trust is prepared to respond to an emergency, and to have the resilience in place to continue to provide safe patient care during a major incident or business continuity event. Prior to the meeting the trust carried out and submitted a RAG rated self-assessment against the NHS Core Standards for EPRR. In addition to this a set of 'deep dive' questions in relation to severe weather planning and long term adaptation planning formed part of this year's process. This year the trust was awarded a green RAG rating with full compliance in all standards. This is an improvement on last year's performance whereby the trust was awarded substantial compliance. The summary report is appended to this paper.

#### Strategy

Adjustments have been made to the **schedule for decision-making** following the public consultation on Oriel, which ended on 16 September 2019. In line with Cabinet Office guidance on the conduct of public service business during a pre-election period, commissioners have agreed to pause the process until after the General Election on 12 December 2019. New dates for decision-making phase are:

31 January 2020 North Central London JHOSC to consider the Moorfields proposal at its meeting in public

February 2020 NHS England Specialised Commissioning and CCGs' Committees-in-Common consider

outcome of consultation and Decision-Making Business Case

David Probert
Chief Executive
December 2019

#### **Executive Summary**

This paper provides a summary of the outcomes of Moorfields' emergency preparedness, resilience and response (EPRR) annual assurance survey submission to NHS England & Improvement during 2019. It assures as far as reasonably practicable, cohesive coordination in all aspects of emergency preparedness, resilience and response, across all sites and services provided by the trust.

Section 1 pg 3: introduction – overview of assurance process, including 2019 assurance results.

Section 2, pg 6: EPRR sustained improvement - brief overview of the improvement achieved from 2018 inspection.

Section 3, pg 6: NHS England (London) (NHSEL) 2019 assurance review summary – summary from the submission and subsequent meeting with NHSEL, about areas of good practice.

**Section 4, pg 6: post assurance action planning and next steps** – assurance that the standard achieved will continue, and scope for further EPRR work streams.

#### 1. Introduction

The trust is required to prepare for and respond to a wide range of incidents or emergencies that could impact on health or patient care. These could be anything from extreme weather events, infectious disease outbreaks, terrorist attacks to major transport accidents. The trust must be internally resilient and be able to respond safely to such incidents, or other internal disruptions, whilst maintaining its services to patients.

The Trust is termed as 'a Category One Responder' under the Civil Contingencies Act (2004) due to its 24 hour A&E ophthalmic service; however Moorfields is **not** a designated receiving hospital. This being the case, the trust is still required to meet all EPRR core standards. The trust also has a duty to cooperate with the wider integrated healthcare and civil resilience systems to ensure there is a seamless and coordinated response for protecting both the health of local communities and the nation against the challenges of natural hazards, accidents, infectious disease outbreaks and the enduring threat of terrorism.

The NHS service-wide objective for emergency preparedness, resilience and response (EPRR) set by NHS England is to:

'ensure that the NHS is capable of responding to significant incidents or emergencies of any scale in a way that delivers optimum care and assistance to the victims, that minimises the consequential disruption to healthcare services and that brings about a speedy return to normal levels of functioning; it will do this by enacting its capability to work across organisational boundaries'

#### 1.1 EPRR Framework

The EPRR framework which operates throughout the trust acts as assurance that the hospital can meet both its legal and societal EPRR duties as follows:

- Fulfil all relevant legal and contractual EPRR requirements including, the Civil Contingencies Act (2004) and ensure appropriate resource is allocated to meet these requirements
- Provide an adequately supported Accountable Emergency Officer who holds the overall responsibility for ensuring EPRR and Business Continuity Management within the Trust
- Produce and maintain risk based plans that set out how the Trust will respond to and recover from internal disruptions, general and threat specific emergencies and significant incidents which meet NHS governance arrangements and NHS England core EPRR standards
- Maintain a sustainable 24/7 emergency response system linked to robust command and control structures for enhanced leadership and effective management of internal or external incidents

- Maintain systems to ensure the notification of the coordinating commissioner and other relevant parties including staff, patients and visitors of the activation of any incident response plan
- Respond to NHS England requests for the sharing of resources as deemed necessary in response to a significant incident or emergency
- Maintain adequate facilities and equipment, including suitable incident coordination centres from which significant incidents or emergencies can be managed
- Ensure all staff are aware of the incident response arrangements and staff with specific incident response roles are suitably trained and competent in EPRR arrangements
- Assist in the development of joint exercises and conduct individual exercises that meet the NHS England minimum requirements
- Contribute to the annual NHS England health sector EPRR capability and capacity report
- Collaborate and cooperate with local multi-agency partners in order to facilitate inclusive planning and response, including contributing to multi-agency plans, through active participation in Local Borough Resilience Forums, etc.
- Produce an annual programme of work that ensures links with infection controls major outbreak policy, security lockdown plans and fire evacuation procedures are maintained

#### 1.2 Legal, Regulatory and Contractual Context

The following legislation, regulation, conditions and guidance has been used to inform the trust's EPRR framework:

- The Civil Contingencies Act 2004 (and its associated Regulation, statutory and non- statutory guidance)
- The NHS Act 2006 (as amended)
- The NHS Constitution
- The requirements for EPRR as set out in the NHS Standard Contract(s)
- NHS England EPRR guidance and supporting materials including:
  - NHS England Core Standards for Emergency Preparedness, Resilience and Response
  - NHS England Business Continuity Management Framework (service resilience)
  - Other guidance available at www.england.nhs.uk/ourwork/gov/eprr/
- National Occupational Standards for Civil Contingencies
- BS ISO 22301 Societal Security Business Continuity Management Systems
- Section 46 of the Health and Social Care Act 2012
- NHS Commissioning Board 2018/19 NHS Standard Contract Service Condition 30
- Cabinet Office National Risk Register for Civil Emergencies September 2017
- Cabinet Office Civil Protection Lexicon 2013

This paper assures the board that the trust is in compliance with Care Quality Commission standards 4B and 6D of the Essential Standards of Quality and Safety as well as parts of standards 10E, 10H, 11C and 13A. A synopsis of each standard is detailed below:

- 4B Manage risk through effective procedures e.g. Learn from adverse events etc;
- 6D People who use services benefit from a service that: have a planned and prepared response to major incidents etc;
- 10E- People who use services, and staff understand what to do in an emergency;
- 10H- People who work, visit or use services that, in relation to maintenance and renewal: There are clear procedures, followed in practice, monitored and reviewed i.e. electricity failure;
- 11C- Manage risk through effective procedures about equipment suitability e.g. what will happen in the event of electricity, water or gas supply failure etc;
- 13A- Lead effectively to ensure there are sufficient staff e.g. trust can respond to

unexpected changing circumstances in the service i.e. cover sickness, vacancies, absences and emergencies.

#### 1.3 EPRR assurance process

The EPRR Assurance process is an annual survey which is submitted to NHS England & Improvement on behalf of the trust. The purpose of this process is to assess the preparedness of the NHS, both commissioners and providers, against common NHS EPRR Core Standards. The compliance levels are Full (green), Substantial (green), Partial (amber) and Non-compliant (red). The core standards are listed as follows:

- Governance
- Duty to assess risk
- Duty to maintain plans emergency plans and business continuity plans
- Command and control
- Training and exercising
- Response
- Warning and informing (duty to communicate with the public, partners etc)
- Co-operation
- Business continuity framework
- Hazmat (hazardous material) CBRN (chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear)

The organisation undertook a self-assessment, which entailed rag rating the trust's compliance on each of the core standards (69 in total) i.e. green, amber, and red. This self- assessment was submitted during early September 2019 to NHS England, followed up with a review meeting in October 2019. The emergency planning lead in consultation with the Deputy COO rag rated all core standards as green. An additional set of 'deep dive' questions was included this year, which entailed a further 20 questions and encompassed severe weather planning and long term adaptation planning. The trust rag rated itself as amber on two of the long term adaptation planning questions, which related to building adaptations and flooding. The outcome of the deep dive section does not affect the overall rating awarded to the trust as these standards are outside the remit of the emergency planning lead.

NHS England & Improvement awarded the trust a full level of compliance (green) rag rating.

### 1.4 EPRR assurance process Moorfields 2019 Results

EPRR Core Standards	Moorfields Rag Rating 2019
Governance	
Duty to assess risk	
Duty to maintain plans – emergency plans and business	
continuity plans	
Command and Control	
Training and exercising	
Response	
Warning and informing	
Co-operation	
Business continuity framework	
Hazmat (hazardous material) CBRN (chemical, biological,	
radiological and nuclear)	

#### 2. EPRR sustained improvement

Year on year improvements have been achieved in regards to the EPRR work streams, ultimately improving the trust's overall resilience when responding to incidents. NHSE&I stated that the trust had clearly demonstrated its

commitment to EPRR. It was noted that the trust continues to maintain a high standard for EPRR arrangements and reference was made to continuous improvement and shared learning via after action review process and shared learning experiences with the senior manager on-call team. Reference was made to the trust's planning and preparation for the UK's EU Exit which has improved the trust's resilience in relation to supplier assurance.

#### 3. NHSE&I 2019 Assurance Review Summary

Other points of note:

- There is good support and engagement throughout the trust, up to Board Level;
- EPRR Policy was noted as a 'best practice' document;
- Annex C Procedure for declaring a major incident and associated Action Cards;
- Good training and exercising schedules;
- Good annual EPRR work plan, which will be replicated for 2020/2021;
- Good CBRN training package;
- Good partnership working with the LRF and community partnership group.

# 4. Next steps

The EPRR function will continue to strive to maintain the high standards achieved this year, with the main objective of continuous improvement. The EPRR focus at present centres around resilience in relation to the contamination of buildings and other significant business continuity types of incidents, and how to mitigate against these. Work continues in preparation for the UK's EU Exit and we await further instruction from NHS England in regard to this. To further strengthen the EPRR function throughout the trust a number of actions are currently being progressed:

Recruit a deputy / assistant EPRR person, which will assist with the following:

- Allow a greater strategic focus for the EPL;
- Assist the trust in achieving improved business continuity resilience working more on a one to basis with key leads e.g. focussing more in-depth on single points of failure;
- Assist the trust in achieving certification to the ISO 22301 standard (requirements for a management system to protect against, reduce the likelihood of, and ensure your business recovers from disruptive events).





Report to Trust Board								
Report Title	Report Title Integrated Performance Report - October 2019							
Report from John Quinn, Chief Operating Officer								
Prepared by	Performance And Information Department							
Previously discussed at	Trust Management Committee							
Attachments								

#### **Brief Summary of Report**

The Integrated Performance Report highlights a series of metrics regarded as Key Indicators of Trust Performance and cover a variety of organisational activities within Operations, Quality and Safety, Workforce, Finance, Research, Commercial and Private Patients. The report uses a number of mechanisms to put performance into context, showing achievement against target, in comparison to previous periods and as a trend. The report also identifies additional information and Remedial Action Plans for KPIs falling short of target and requiring improvement.

#### **Executive Summary**

The Board is asked to note the IPR which is grouped into four scorecards in order the Board can identify the areas that contribute to our ambition of service excellence. Though good financial health with good infrastructure and culture as enablers and good people as enablers this should ensure the Trust delivers service excellence.

#### Context

A&E activity continues to be higher than expected and exceeds plan. If growth continues as current then the department will see a yearly attendance of 102,000. This will be continue to be monitored closely to assess if this is an ongoing trend and any impact on performance.

Outpatient, injections and elective activity have all seen positive growth in month which is in line with our plan. Elective activity is now on plan although finally balanced and carefully monitored.

#### Service excellence

Overall performance remains strong and the Trust is meeting the national access targets year to date. Areas of note:

The NHSE locally agreed 14 day cancer target has just missed the target this month at 92.9%. This was mainly due to patient choice although there are an episode with Trust delays which have been investigated.

Journey times have plateaued. The new outpatient programme with the service improvement team will now be looking at this in the coming months to ascertain whether this plateau is now being reviewed in service improvement to ascertain what else can be done now to see any further reductions in patient journey times in clinic.

A&E FFT responses have shown a significant improvement in response rates which is due to the implementation of the text messaging service. Response rates for outpatients remain low however all services are due to move to the text service from December.

#### People (enabler)

The staff FFT submission for the quarter shows a score of 54.8%. a review of management and leadership development has been commissioned with a key component of staff engagement as a key work stream. In addition executive walkabouts and staff listening events continue.

#### Infrastructure and culture (enabler)

Ethnicity recording remains just under the target and has done for some months. A review of this continues to understand how this target can be met.

#### **Financial Health and Enterprise**

Activity has improved in month 6 and all PODs are on plan YTD in August. Commercial division performance remains mixed. CIP delivery has improved but remains a challenge which is actively being addressed with divisions and corporate services. Detail is provided in the finance plan.

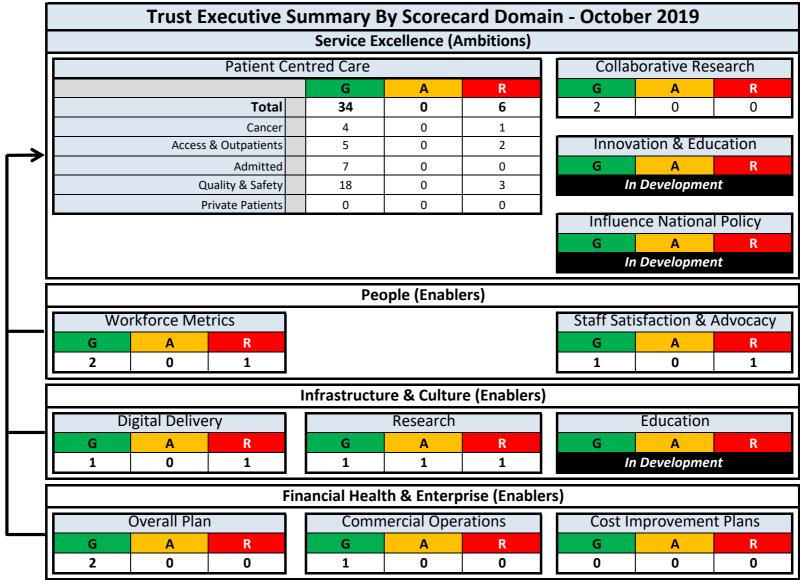
#### Action Required/Recommendation

The report is primarily for information purposes but will inform discussion regarding how the Trust is performing against its key organisational measures. This may in turn generate subsequent action.

For Assurance X For decision	For discussion	To Note
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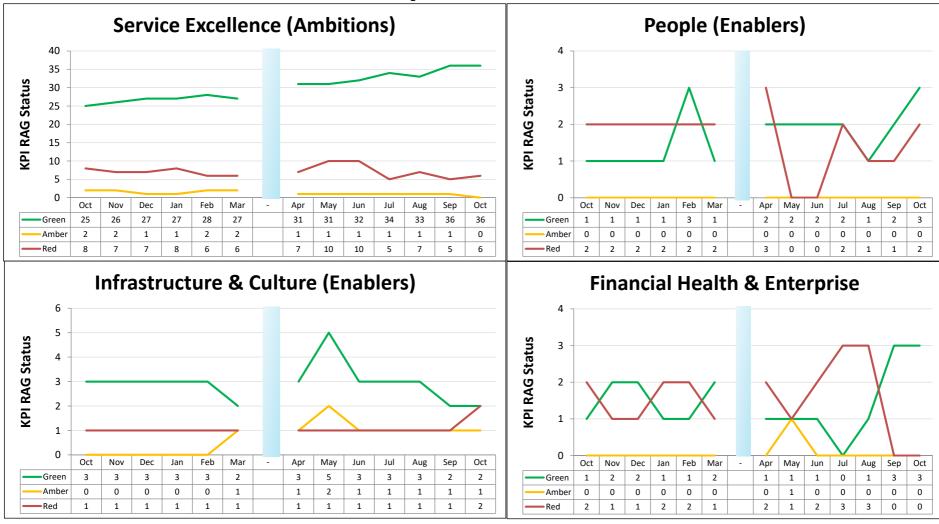








# **Executive Summary - Scorecard Domain Trends**



Lines split by financial year due to different number of metrics

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# **Context - Overall Activity - October 2019**

			er 2019		Monthly	Year T		YTD	
			2019/20	1	/ariance	2018/19	2019/20	Va	riance
Accident &	A&E Arrivals (All Type 2)	8,484	8,533	+	0.6%	58,028	59,845	+	3.1%
Emergency	Number of 4 hour breaches	28	230	+	721.4%	1,091	1,052	_	3.6%
	Number of Referrals Received	12,424	13,189	+	6.2%	82,359	87,007	+	5.6%
Outpatient	Total Attendances	55,502	56,707	+	2.2%	352,889	364,032	+	3.2%
Activity	First Appointment Attendances	12,882	12,637		1.9%	80,784	80,780	_	0.0%
	Follow Up (Subsequent) Attendances	42,620	44,070	+	3.4%	272,105	283,252	+	4.1%
	Total Admissions	3,374	3,488	+	3.4%	22,846	23,344	+	2.2%
Admission	Day Case Elective Admissions	3,059	3,149	+	2.9%	20,631	20,934	+	1.5%
Activity	Inpatient Elective Admissions	80	112	+	40.0%	642	715	+	11.4%
	Non-Elective (Emergency) Admissions	235	227	_	3.4%	1,573	1,695	+	7.8%

These figures are not subject to any finance or commissioning business logic. They present all activity, whether chargeable or not





Domain	Service Excellence (Ambitions)							Oct	ober 20	)19		
Theme	Metric Description	Target	Current	RAP Pg	Year to Date	Reporting Frequency	Jul 19	Aug 19	Sep 19	Oct 19	13 Month Trend	vs. Last
Patient Centred	Cancer 2 week waits - first appointment urgent GP referral	≥93%	G		98.1%	Monthly	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%		<b>→</b>
	Cancer 14 Day Target - NHS England Referrals (Ocular Oncology)	≥93%	R	8	91.0%	Monthly	94.0%	83.8%	94.2%	92.9%	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	<b>+</b>
	Cancer 31 day waits - diagnosis to first appointment	≥96%	G		98.8%	Monthly	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	$\wedge \vee \vee \cdots$	<b>→</b>
,	Cancer 31 day waits - subsequent treatment	≥94%	G		100.0%	Monthly	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	•••••	<b>→</b>
	Cancer 62 days from urgent GP referral to first definitive treatment	≥85%	G		80.0%	Monthly	n/a	n/a	100.0%	100.0%		<b>→</b>
	18 Week RTT Incomplete Performance	≥92%	G		94.5%	Monthly	95.0%	94.3%	94.5%	94.5%		<b>&gt;</b>
	52 Week RTT Incomplete Breaches	Zero Breaches	G		0	Monthly	0	0	0	0	$\checkmark$	<b>→</b>
	A&E Four Hour Performance	≥95%	G		98.2%	Monthly	98.8%	97.9%	96.9%	97.2%		<b>^</b>
	Percentage of Diagnostic waiting times less than 6 weeks	≥99%	G		99.9%	Monthly	100.0%	99.4%	100.0%	100.0%	V	<b>→</b>
Outpatients)	Average Call Waiting Time	≤ 3 Mins (180 Sec)	G		105	Monthly	69	110	86	120		<b>1</b>
	Median Clinic Journey Times - New Patient appointments: Year End Target of 95 Mins	Mth:≤ 99Mins	R	9	102	Monthly	101	100	105	101		<b>ψ</b>
	Median Clinic Journey Times -Follow Up Patient appointments: Year End	Mth:≤ 89Mins	R	10	95	Monthly	94	94	96	96	-	<b>→</b>

Target of 85 Mins

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<sup>\*</sup> Provisional Figures for Oct 2019 Where issued for a metric, the page number of the Remedial Action Plan (RAP) can be found in column 'RAP Pg'





**Service Excellence (Ambitions)** October 2019 Domain Current RAP Pg Reporting 13 Month Year to Aug 19 | Sep 19 **Metric Description** Oct 19 Theme Target **Jul 19** Date Frequency Trend G Theatre Cancellation Rate (Overall) ≤7.0% 6.4% Monthly 6.5% 5.8% 7.2% 7.0% G 0.56% Theatre Cancellation Rate (Non-Medical Cancellations) ≤0.8% 0.68% 0.78% 0.44% Monthly 0.71% Zero G 2 0 0 Number of non-medical cancelled operations not treated within 28 days ' Monthly Breaches Zero G Mixed Sex Accommodation Breaches 0 Monthly 0 0 0 0 **Breaches** Monthly Percentage of Emergency re-admissions within 28 days following an 3.69% 3.83% 2.79% ≤ 2.67% G (Rolling 3 2.39% elective or emergency spell at the Provider (excludes Vitreoretinal) Months) 99.4% VTE Risk Assessment ≥95% G 98.8% Monthly 99.2% 99.5% 98.5% Patient Centred Posterior Capsular Rupture rates ≤1.95% G 0.80% Monthly 0.72% 0.74% 0.71% 1.14% Care (Admitted) Occurrence of any Never events Zero Events 0 Monthly 0 0 0 0 Zero Non-Endopthalmitis Rates - Aggregate Score Quarterly 0 Compliant G 0 0 MRSA Bacteraemias Cases Zero Cases 0 Monthly 0 0 Clostridium Difficile Cases Zero Cases 0 0 0 0 Monthly Zero Cases 0 0 0 0 0 Escherichia coli (E. coli) bacteraemia bloodstream infection (BSI) - cases Monthly MSSA Rate - cases Zero Cases G 0 0 0 Monthly 0 G 94.4% 90.1% Inpatient (Overnight) Ward Staffing Fill Rate ≥90% Monthly 93.3% 98.0% 96.5%

<sup>\*</sup> Provisional Figures for Oct 2019

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Domain	Service Excellence (Ambitions)							Oct	ober 20	19		
Theme	Metric Description	Target	Current	RAP Pg	Year to Date	Reporting Frequency	Jul 19	Aug 19	Sep 19	Oct 19	13 Month Trend	vs. Last
	Inpatient Scores from Friends and Family Test - % positive	≥90%	G		99.3%	Monthly	99.3%	99.2%	99.0%	99.6%	M	<b>1</b>
	A&E Scores from Friends and Family Test - % positive	≥90%	G		92.6%	Monthly	92.7%	94.7%	92.3%	92.3%	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	<b>→</b>
	Outpatient Scores from Friends and Family Test - % positive	≥90%	G		96.4%	Monthly	96.5%	96.7%	96.2%	96.2%		$\rightarrow$
	Paediatric Scores from Friends and Family Test - % positive	≥90%	G		97.6%	Monthly	97.1%	97.8%	96.7%	96.7%	$\mathcal{N}_{\mathcal{N}}$	$\rightarrow$
	Inpatient Scores from Friends and Family Test - % response rate	≥30%	G		50.1%	Monthly	55.1%	39.3%	53.8%	49.6%		Ψ
	A&E Scores from Friends and Family Test - % response rate	≥20%	G		15.6%	Monthly	8.6%	7.3%	33.3%	33.2%		<b>\Psi</b>
	Outpatient Scores from Friends and Family Test - % response rate	≥15%	R	11	11.5%	Monthly	14.5%	12.5%	12.1%	8.2%	V-V-V	<b>\</b>
i alloni controa	Paediatric Scores from Friends and Family Test - % response rate	≥15%	G		17.7%	Monthly	16.2%	17.0%	18.9%	15.8%		Ψ
Care (Quality & Safety)	Summary Hospital Mortality Indicator	Zero Cases	G		0	Monthly	0	0	0	0	•••••	<b>→</b>
	NHS England/NHS Improvement Patient Safety Alerts breached	Zero Alerts	G		n/a	Monthly	0	0	0	0		<b>→</b>
	Number of Written Complaints	YTD ≤ 131	R	12	209	Monthly	32	27	42	38	~~~~	<b>V</b>
	Freedom of Information Requests Responded to Within 20 Days	≥90%	G		100.0%	Monthly (Month in Arrears)	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	* * * * *	
	Subject Access Requests (SARs) Responded To Within 28 Days	≥90%	G		98.3%	Monthly (Month in Arrears)	100.0%	100.0%	93.6%	98.4%		
	Number of Serious Incidents remaining open after 60 days	Zero Cases	G		0	Monthly	0	0	0	0	<u>\</u>	<b>→</b>
	Number of Incidents (excluding Health Records incidents) remaining open after 28 days	≤ 20 Open	R	13		Monthly	168	131	138	152		<b>1</b>

<sup>\*</sup> Provisional Figures for Oct 2019





Domain	Service Excellence (Ambitions)	Service Excellence (Ambitions)										
Theme	Metric Description	Target	Current	RAP Pg	Year to Date	Reporting Frequency	Jul 19	Aug 19	Sep 19	Oct 19	13 Month Trend	vs. Last
Collaborative	Total patient recruitment to NIHR portfolio adopted studies (YTD cumulative)	≥1050	G		1080	Monthly	183	210	195	109	$\bigwedge$	<u> </u>
Research	Percentage of Trust Patients Recruited Into Research Projects	≥2%	G		n/a	Monthly	2.1%	3.8%	3.4%	2.8%	M~~	<b>4</b>
Innovation & Education	Metrics in Development	tbc				tbc	In De	velopmer				
Influence National Policy	Metrics in Development	tbc				tbc		In Deve	lopment			

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Target	Rating	YTD	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	90.0%		<b>→</b>			
≥93%	Red	91.0%	94.0%	83.8%	94.2%	92.9%	70.0%					
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Target	Rating	YTD	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	115.0				
Mth:≤ 99Mins	Red	102	101	100	105	101	95.0				
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	Reaso	ns for Cu	rrent Un	derperfor	mance			Plan(s) to Improve Perfor		Targe	t Date
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R	emedia	I Actio	n Plan	- Octo	ber 20	19	Domain	Service Excellence (Ambitions)	Theme	Patient Cer (Access & C	
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Target	Rating	YTD	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	105.0				
Mth:≤ 89Mins	Red	95	94	94	96	96	95.0 85.0				
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R	emedia	I Actio	n Plan	- Octo	ber 20	19	Domain	Service Excellence (Ambitions)	Theme	Patient Ce (Quality	
	Nu	ımber of	Written	Complain	its		Lead Manager	Tim Withers	Responsible Director	lan Ton	nbleson
Target	Rating	YTD	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	300.0				
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	(Oct	19)		16	7	5	·		•	Zep Occ Non Dec i	surten War.
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Target	Rating	YTD	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	200									
≤ 20 Open	Red	n/a	168	131	138	152	100									
Div	Divisional Benchmarking City Road North South					South	)ul	<b></b>	49	19	49	^0	) 49	20	20	20
	(Oct 19) 16 26 49								Aug19	sep19	Oct19	MOAJ	Dec <sub>19</sub>	Jan20	Feb20	Mar <sup>20</sup>
	F	•		Prev	vious A	ction P	lan(s) to	Impi	rove	Targe	et Date	Status				
month, al	Overall there has been no improvement compared to the previous month, although in month the organisation achieved the lowest number >28 days at 119								A bi-weekly escalation report is generated for Executive performance reviews and also for SMT where there are ocussed discussions about incident reduction. The central eam continues to support divisions to close incidents							In Progress (Update)
	Reasor	ns for Cu	ırrent Un	derperfor	mance		,	Action Plan(s) to Improve Performance							Targe	t Date
daily basi over the p target nee	The number of incidents open for more than 28 days fluctuates on a daily basis, and the management of them has improved substantially over the past year to a more controlled and lower level. The current target needs to be reviewed to reflect an accurate picture of this level of control and divisional performance.								d investigation of learning	gation tra tions. Foo ng followi	cus contir	mana nues t : mana	gers to suppo			





R	emedia	I Actio	n Plan	- Octo	ber 20	19	Domain	Service Excellence (Ambitions)	Theme	Patient Centred Care (Quality & Safety)			
Out	patient S		m Friend sponse r	ls and Fa ate	mily Test	t - %	Lead Manager	Tim Withers	Responsible Director	lan Tom	bleson		
Target	Rating	YTD	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	20.0%						
≥15%	Red	11.5%	14.5%	12.5%	12.1%	8.2%	10.0%						
Divi	sional Be	enchmarl	king	City Road	North	South	0.0%	100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100 100	. 9, 9, 9, 9,	19 19 19 19 19 19	20.20.20		
	(Oct	19)		n/a	n/a	n/a	You Wan June	71/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2	Lybr Wan Jun Jun Yng	s-sep-oct-hov-bect	au tep War		
	F	Previousl	y Identifi	ed Issues	8		Previous Action Plan(s) to Improve Target Date						
	o try to imp		• .	rom the previith the nev			all City Road clin	FFT text system to be introduced from 1 November 2019 in all City Road clinics. Trial in A&E has demonstrated a four fold increase in response rate.					
	Reaso	ns for Cu	rrent Un	derperfor	mance		Action	Plan(s) to Improve Perfor	rmance	Target Date			
for October - it's likely this is in anticpation of the new texting service							FFT texting has been introduced to City Road clinics from 1 November 2019. Preliminary results indicate a response rate of >20% well above the target and a great improvement.						





Domain	People (Enablers)		October 2019									
Theme	Metric Description	Target	Current	RAP Pg	Year to Date	Reporting Frequency	Jul 19	Aug 19	Sep 19	Oct 19	13 Month Trend	vs. Last
	Appraisal Compliance	≥80%	G		n/a	Monthly	78.8%	79.4%	80.5%	81.2%		<b>↑</b>
Workforce	Information Governance Training Compliance	≥95%	R	15	n/a	Monthly	94.6%	94.8%	92.2%	93.7%	VV-V	<b>^</b>
Metrics	Staff Turnover (Rolling Annual Figure)	≤15%	G		n/a	Monthly	13.1%	13.1%	13.5%	13.7%	and year	<b>1</b>
	Proportion of Temporary Staff	RAG as per Spend			12.6%	Monthly	13.2%	12.1%	12.2%	13.8%		<b>1</b>
Staff Satisfaction &	Percentage of Staff agreeing with the staff survey statement "If a friend or relative needed treatment, I would be happy with the standard of care provided by this organisation"	≥90%	G		n/a	Quarterly	92.9%			94.8%		
Advocacy	Percentage of Staff agreeing with the staff survey statement "I would recommend my organisation as a place to work"	≥70%	R	16	n/a	Quarterly	57.7%			54.8%		





R	emedia	I Actio	n Plan	- Octo	ber 20	19	Domain	People (Enablers)	Theme	Workforce Metrics					
ı	nformatio	n Gover	nance Tr	aining Co	mplianc	е	Lead Manager	Jo Downing	Responsible Director	Sandi Drewett					
Target	Rating	YTD	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	100.0%								
≥95%	Red	n/a	94.6%	94.8%	92.2%	93.7%	95.0%								
Div	isional Be	nchmar	king	City Road	North	South	85.0%	3 , 28 , 28 , 28 , 28 , 29 , 29 , 29 , 29	09 09 09 09 09	10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 1	9 ,20 ,20 ,20				
	(Oct	19)		n/a	n/a	n/a	46, 1430, 13 m, 18 m, 18 eb, 18 cr, 18 cr, 18 cr, 18 u, 16 ep, 19 sr, 18 or, 18 a, 1, 1 m, 1, 1 m, 1, 2 eb, 10 cr, 10 a, 10 ecr, 19 u, 16 ep, 10 sr, 10 ecr, 19 u, 16 ep, 10 sr, 10 ecr, 10 a, 10 ecr,								
	F	Previous	ly Identifi	ed Issues	3		Previous Action Plan(s) to Improve Target Date Stat								
to a large	Historically IG training compliance drops during September, attributed to a large number of staff being on annual leave during August and early September and therefore not completing training							directly contacting those mem y non compliant requesting the leir managers are also being of ponse is received this will be	ey complete copied into	Dec 2019	In Progress (No Update)				
	Reasor	ns for Cu	rrent Un	derperfor	mance		Action	Plan(s) to Improve Perfor	mance	Targe	t Date				
No Furthe	No Further Issues or Actions														





R	emedia	I Actio	n Plan	- Octo	ber 20	19	Domain	People (Enable	ers)	Theme	Staff Satisfaction & Advocacy	
Percentage of Staff agreeing with the staff survey statement "I would recommend my organisation as a place to work"							Lead Manager	Lead Manager Responsible Director				Prewett
Target	Rating	YTD	18/19 Q3	18/19 Q4	19/20 Q1	19/20 Q2	70%					
≥70%	Red	n/a	70.0%	61.0%	57.7%	54.8%	60% 50%	Y	<b>\</b>	<b></b>		
Divi	isional Be	enchmar	king	City Road	North	South		2018/1903	119 QA	<sup>2019</sup> 120 02	2019/2003	19120 QA
	(2019/	20 Q1)		n/a	n/a	n/a	50781, 507	20181, 501	30	70731,	201911 201	91-
	F	Previous	ly Identifi	ed Issue:	S		Prev	ous Action Plan(s	Target Date	Status		
Following the Staff FFT submission for Quarter 1, it was noted the percentage of staff who would recommend the organisation as a place to work as this is lower than we would expect.							the available wo undertaken in ac to impact accord management ar commissioned.	eted the family and from the force. Improvement of the following to some comment of the workforce strated at the following the staff engagement of the following the follo	being which appears view of s been ies	Oct 2019	In Progress (Update)	
Reasons for Current Underperformance							Action	Plan(s) to Improv	e Perfor	mance	Targe	t Date
Staff FFT expected	submissio	n for Quai	rter 2 conti	nues to be	lower tha	n	the workforce st strategy has cor	d leadership develop rategy and work on t nmenced with an init nme and Managers I	he deliveı ial review	ry of that of the Mary		





Domain	Infrastructure & Culture (Enablers)					October 2019							
Theme	Metric Description		Current	RAP Pg	Year to Date	Reporting Frequency	Jul 19	Aug 19	Sep 19	Oct 19	13 Month Trend	vs. Last	
	Data Quality - Ethnicity recording (Outpatient and Inpatient)	≥94%	R	18	89.7%	Monthly	89.4%	89.8%	89.7%	89.8%		<b>↑</b>	
Digital Delivery	Data Quality - Ethnicity recording (A&E)		G		99.8%	Not Set	99.8%	99.9%	99.9%	99.8%		<b>\</b>	
	70 Day To Recruit First Research Patient	≥80%	G		98.0%	Monthly	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%		<b>→</b>	
Research	Percentage of Research Projects Achieving Time and Target	≥65%	Α	19	57.4%	Monthly	58.3%	58.3%	55.6%	55.6%	1	<b>→</b>	
	Percentage of Patients Recruited Against Target (Studies Closed In Month)	100%	R	20	108.0%	Monthly	360.0%	211.1%	110.6%	89.3%		<b>4</b>	





R	emedia	I Actio	n Plan	- Octo	ber 20	19	Domain	Infrastructure & Culture (Enablers)	Theme	Digital [	Digital Delivery		
Data Qu	uality - Eth	nnicity re	cording	(Outpatie	nt and Ir	npatient)	Lead Manager	Donna Flatt	Responsible Director	John Quinn			
Target	Rating	YTD	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	100.0%						
≥94%	Red	89.7%	89.4%	89.8%	89.7%	89.8%	95.0%						
Div	isional Be	enchmarl	king	City Road	North	South	85.0%	8, 18, 28, 28, 28, 29, 29, 29, 29, 29, 29, 29, 29, 29, 29	19 19 19 19	19 19 19 19 19	0, 20, 20		
	(Oct	: 19)		90.6%	84.7%	93.4%	Yb, Wan Jan	13012 NO 128 Oct 18012 Pect 32019 Pept 1931	LADI WAY JUNE JULE	8-266-Oct 401 Dect	Jan Lep Wal		
	F	Previous	y Identifi	ied Issue:	3		Prev	vious Action Plan(s) to Imp	rove	Target Date	Status		
benchma target has	This is a long standing issue for the organisation and whilst benchmark performance is better than many other trusts the national target has never been achieved and is extremely stretching.						project, a project on-site observa	aligned with the Ethnicity Data of scoping document has been tions and interviews with staff land the aim of identifying barriers and data.	produced and have	Aug 2019	In Progress (Update)		
Underlying reasons include the lack of comprehensive operating procedures, customer service training and the inherent sensitivities surronding the collection if these data.					•	for improvemer Operational tea	roject has highlighted some red it, this report was shared at IMI ms have taken on the recomm iscussed in other forums.	DQG,	Nov 2019	In Progress (Update)			
	Reasor	ns for Cu	rrent Un	derperfor	mance		Action	Plan(s) to Improve Perfor	mance	Targe	t Date		
Reasons for Current Underperformance  This is a long standing issue for the organisation and whilst benchmark performance is better than many other trusts the national target has never been achieved and is extremely stretching. Underlying reasons include the lack of comprehensive operating procedures, customer service training and the inherent sensitivities surronding the collection if these data.				nany other xtremely so omprehens	trusts the retching. sive opera	ting	The DQ Ethnici discussed at the formally recogn need of improve application was will now be add Weekly Access	Decemb	er 2019				





										William IAII3	roundation must	
R	emedia	I Actio	n Plan	- Octo	ber 20	19	Do	main	Infrastructure & Culture (Enablers)	Theme	Rese	arch
Percentage of Research Projects Achieving Time and Target						Lead Manager		Julian Hughes	Responsible Director	Sir Peng Tee Khaw		
Target	Rating	YTD	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	80.0%					
≥65%	Amber	57.4%	58.3%	58.3%	55.6%	55.6%	60.0%					
Divi	sional Be	enchmarl	king	City Road	North	South	40.0%	18 18 18	night geolgathought	29, 29, 29, 29, 29,	09 09 09 09 09	20 20 20
	(Oct	t 19)		n/a	n/a	n/a	PΑ		· ·			·
		Pr	eviously	Identified	Issues				Previous Action Plan(s)	to Improve	Target Date	Status
5 studies successful and 4 studies unsuccessful in reaching recruitment target during 1. SIVS1039 (A dose-ranging study of intravitreal OPT-302 in combination with ranibiz with ranibizumab alone, in participants with neovascular age-related macular degener Sivaprasad): 1/4 patients recruited. Contract negotiations for costings delayed initial o and study closed 3 weeks early as global recruitment target was met. Study had high rate i.e. most patients ineligible as vision was too good or had previous injections.  2. Mauv 1011 (Post-Market Clinical Investigation of the Clareon (IOL; Maurino): 3/10 ended up opening during the summer months when theatre space was at a low as we works in theatre limiting availabilityl (ii) Difficulty finding eligible patients with bilateral cother condition.  3. MICM1022 (A Phase 2b randomized, double-masked, controlled trial to establish the firm of Zimura compared to sham in subjects with autosomal recessive stargardt disease; recruited. Recruitment window reduced from 3 to 2 months which didn't give enough to second patient.  4. SIVS1044 (A Randomized, Double Masked, Uncontrolled, Multicenter Phase I/II Startety and Tolerability of PAN-90806 Eye Drops, Suspension in Treatment-Naive Part Neovascular Age-Related Macular Degeneration; Sivaprasad): 1/5 recruited. (i) Study with stringent inclusion / exclusion criteria (ii) Rapid access clinic pathway introduction difficult to access patients for consent.					yed initial op ly had high s ections. urino): 3/10 re a low as well th bilateral ca establish the dt disease; M re enough tin thase I/II Stud t-Naive Parti	ening of creening ecruited. as main attaracts of the safety a flichealide ne to record to Evacipants with the safety to Evacipants with the safety and the safety at the s	the study failure  (i) study tenance with no and efficacy es): 1/2 ruit a aluate with percent to	Internal feasibility analysis will of better targets in potentially of studies. Negotiations with part develop target ranges which report against both the lower at that range. This will cater for where we are opening as a simple of the international sites and having studies close early before able to meet our agreed target also looking at predicted closuring advance and engaging with try to avoid missing future recommendation.	difficult to recruit to the there will in future will allows us to and upper ends of those occasions the later than most avoid the risk of ore we have been et locally. We are re dates 6 months sponsors early to cruitment targets.	Jan 2020	In Progress (No Update)	
	Reaso	ns for Cu	rrent Un	derperfor	mance			Action	Plan(s) to Improve Perfo	rmance	Targe	t Date
No Furthe	er Issues o	r Actions										





R	emedia	I Actio	n Plan	- Octo	ber 20 <sup>-</sup>	19	Domain	Infrastructure & Culture (Enablers)	Theme	Rese	arch		
Percentage of Patients Recruited Against Target (Studies Closed In Month)					Studies	Lead Manager	Julian Hughes	Sir Peng Tee Khaw					
Target	Rating	YTD	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	400.0%						
100%	Red	108.0%	360.0%	211.1%	110.6%	89.3%	200.0%						
Div	isional Be	enchmarl	king	City Road	North	South	0.0%	LB 11/12 12 5 6 6 1 9 Ct 18 0 1 9 6 Ct 18 0	19 129 129 129 129	29 29 x29 129 25	20,20,20		
	(Oct	: 19)		n/a	n/a	n/a	Yb, Way, In.	. In Yng Zeb Occ Mon Dec Isu ten War	, Yb, Way, Inn, In, Yn	Ing 266, Oct 401, Dec. 194, Lep War			
	F	Previous	y Identifi	ed Issue	s		Prev	vious Action Plan(s) to Imp	rove	Target Date	Status		
No Outsta	anding Issu	ies or Acti	ons										
	Reasor	ns for Cu	rrent Un	derperfor	mance		Action	n Plan(s) to Improve Perfor	mance	Target	Date		
Under recruitment in 'The UK Inherited Retinal Dystrophy Consortium RP Genome Project' (Andrew Webster) study where 75/125 patients has been consented when the study was closed to recruitment. This outweighed over recruitment in other studies closed in the quarter including 'Optic disc pit maculopathy: an observational study' (Lyndon Da Cruz) which over recruited 87/50 patients							receive direct n Improve aware	ry of study recruitment for studinanagement support from the Foness of study closure by externing negotiate recruitment targets w	R&D Office. al sponsors to	Januar	y 2020		





Domain	Financial Health & Enterprise (Enablers)	October 2019

Theme	Metric Description	Target	Current	RAP Pg	Year to Date	Reporting Frequency	Jul 19	Aug 19	Sep 19	Oct 19	13 Month Trend	vs. Last
Overell Dien	Overall financial performance (In Month Var. £m)	≥0	G		0.15	Monthly	0.12	0.16	0.07	0.10	$\Lambda$	<b>↑</b>
Overall Plan	Distance from Financial Plan (Current in Trust Metric : Trust Underlying Overall Position - Surplus / Deficit)		G		1	Monthly	2	1	1	1		$\rightarrow$
Commercial Operations	Commercial Trading Unit Position (In Month Var. £m)	≥0	G		0.06	Monthly	-0.04	0.12	0.10	0.01	<b>√</b> √√	<b>\</b>
Cost Impovement Plans	Cost Improvement Plan Variance	≥0	R	*	-4.31	Monthly	-0.30	-0.12	-0.30	0.03	$\bigwedge \mathcal{N}$	<b>↑</b>

<sup>\*</sup> For commentary, please refer to the Finance Report presented to board





Agenda item 07
Finance report
Board of directors 5 December 2019





Report title

Monthly Finance Performance Report
Month 07– October 2019

Report from

Jonathon Wilson, Chief Financial Officer

 Report from
 Jonathon Wilson, Chief Financial Officer

 Prepared by
 Justin Betts, Deputy Chief Financial Officer

 Link to strategic objectives
 Deliver financial sustainability as a Trust

# **Executive summary**

The Trust has reported a control total surplus of £1.1m in October, compared to a planned surplus of £1.0m, a favourable variance of £0.1m. Year to date the Trust has reported a £0.2m surplus, a favourable variance against plan of £0.1m.

Financial Performance	Annual		In Month		`	Year to Date	Э
£m	Plan	Plan	Actual	Variance	Budget	Actual	Variance
Income	£242.4m	£21.8m	£21.6m	(£0.2m)	£142.2m	£143.3m	£1.0m
Pay	(£132.7m)	(£11.0m)	(£10.8m)	£0.1m	(£77.6m)	(£76.1m)	£1.4m
Non Pay	(£100.6m)	(£9.2m)	(£9.0m)	£0.2m	(£58.9m)	(£61.0m)	(£2.1m)
Financing & Adjustments	(£9.0m)	(£0.7m)	(£0.7m)	(£0.0m)	(£5.7m)	(£5.9m)	(£0.2m)
CONTROL TOTAL	(£0.0m)	£1.0m	£1.1m	£0.1m	£0.0m	£0.2m	£0.1m

Efficiency scheme performance is reporting delivery of £1.0m in October, compared to a planned £1.0m, a break-even position. Year to date delivered savings are £3.1m against a planned £3.7m, an adverse variance against plan of £0.6m.

The Trust is forecasting £5.9m of savings schemes inclusive of £0.9m red risk rated schemes from the planned £7.0m target. There remains a forecast gap of £1.2m.

# **Quality implications**

Patient safety has been considered in the allocation of budgets.

# **Financial implications**

Delivery of the financial control total will result in the Trust being eligible for additional benefits that will support its future development.

# **Risk implications**

Potential risks have been considered within the reported financial position and the financial risk register is discussed at the Audit Committee.

# **Action Required/Recommendation**

The board is asked to consider and discus the attached report.





# **Monthly Finance Performance Report** For the period ended 31st October 2019 (Month 07)

Presented by	Jonathan Wilson; Chief Financial Officer
Prepared by	Justin Betts; Deputy Chief Finance Officer Amit Patel; Head of Financial Management



# **Monthly Finance Performance Report**

For the period ended 31st October 2019 (Month 07)

# **Key Messages**

# **Statement of Comprehensive Income**

Financial Position	The Trust is reporting a surplus of £1.06m in October, compared to a planned surplus of £0.96m; £0.10m favourable to plan. Year to date performance is a surplus of £0.17m compared to a planned surplus of £0.02m; a favourable variance of £0.15m.
Income	Year to date total income is £1.05m favourable to plan. NHS commissioned clinical income is £1.04m favourable to plan YTD, largely due to inpatient activity at £0.33m and Outpatient activity at £0.72m above plan. Commercial income is £0.23m adverse to plan, linked to Moorfields Private activity being lower than plan (£0.48m).
Expenditure (pay, non pay and	Pay costs are £1.42m favourable to plan YTD primarily due to vacancies across all staff groups, with the exception of registered nursing.
financing)	Non pay expenses are £2.09m adverse to plan YTD including, Health Records (£0.70m), City Road clinical supplies (£1.05m), and non-delivered efficiencies (£0.89m). Agency costs are below NHSI plan levels and reflect the positive move to increase substantive recruitment
Research	R&D is reporting an adverse YTD variance of £0.57m due to reductions in national income compared to costs.
Commercial Trading Units	Trading units are reporting a surplus YTD of £2.46m compared to a planned surplus of £2.40m. Moorfields Private are £0.08m adverse YTD, offset by Moorfields Dubai at £0.14m favourable YTD.
Efficiency Programme	The Trust is reporting YTD efficiency savings achieved of £3.11m compared to a plan of £3.68m, an adverse variance of £0.57m. There are currently £0.67m of unidentified savings schemes, and a further £0.91m schemes assessed as high risk. Current forecast delivery is £5.85m, compared to the £7.00m full year target, representing a gap of £1.15m.



Cash and Working Capital Position	Cash balances at the 30 <sup>th</sup> October were £49.6m, £5.5m above plan linked to slippage in the capital expenditure against original plan. The cash forecast for year-end remains on plan at £37.3m.
Capital (both gross capital expenditure and CDEL)	Total capital expenditure YTD is £4.700m (gross and on a CDEL basis). Expenditure includes investment in clinical estate, IT and medical equipment. Capital forecast for the year has been amended to £15.50m from £18.10m further to the requested review of planned in year capital spend.
Use of Resources	The Use of Resources rating is 1 against the planned rating of 1 The year end rating is forecast to be 1.
Receivables	Trust receivable debt has decreased by £2.8m to £18.0m since the start of the financial year.
Payables	Trust creditors have reduced by £6.0m to £10.3m since the start of the year. Payment of invoices YTD is at 88% by volume for Non NHS suppliers.
Forecast	The Trust is forecasting to meet its planned full year control total of breakeven, and is reviewing and preparing potential mitigations in respect of known challenges such as efficiency programme identification levels, and operational financial risks.



# **Trust Financial Performance - Financial Dashboard Summary**

#### **FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE** Financial Performance In Month Year to Date Forecast Annual Plan Plan Budget RAG Budget Actual Variance Actual Variance Actual Variance £242.4m £21.8m £21.6m (£0.2m) £142.2m £143.3m £1.0m £242.4m £240.2m (£2.2m) Income Pay (£132.7m) (£11.0m) (£10.8m) £0.1m (£77.6m) (£76.1m) £1.4m (£132.7m) (£130.4m) £2.3m (£100.6m) (£58.9m) (£61.0m) (£100.6m) (£101.8m) (£1.2m) Non Pay (£9.2m) (£9.0m) £0.2m (£2.1m) Financing & Adjustments (£9.0m) (£0.7m) (£0.7m) (£0.0m) (£5.7m) (£5.9m) (£0.2m) (£9.0m) (£7.9m) £1.1m **CONTROL TOTAL** £0.1m £0.2m £0.1m £0.0m (£0.0m) (£0.0m) £1.0m £1.1m £0.0m (£0.0m)

#### Memorandum Items

Research & Development	£0.88m	£0.07m	(£0.06m)	(£0.14m)	£0.52m	(£0.06m)	(£0.57m)	
Commercial Trading Units	£4.77m	£0.63m	£0.64m	£0.00m	£2.40m	£2.46m	£0.06m	
ORIEL Revenue	(£2.50m)	(£0.13m)	(£0.08m)	£0.05m	(£1.76m)	(£1.74m)	£0.01m	
Efficiency Schemes	£7.00m	£1.01m	£1.04m	£0.03m	£3.68m	£3.11m	(£0.57m)	

### **INCOME BREAKDOWN RELATED TO ACTIVITY**

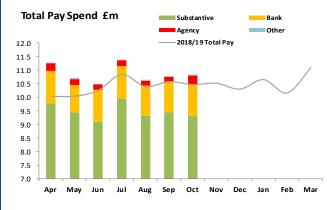
Income Breakdown	Annual Diam	\	ear to Date	е			Forecast	
£m	Annual Plan	Budget	Actual	Variance	RAG	Budget	Actual	Variance
NHS Clinical Income	£138.1m	£81.2m	£82.4m	£1.1m		£138.1m	£139.5m	£1.4m
Pass Through	£38.3m	£22.7m	£22.6m	(£0.1m)		£38.3m	£37.5m	(£0.8m)
Other NHS Clinical Income	£9.8m	£5.8m	£5.7m	(£0.1m)		£9.8m	£10.0m	£0.2m
Commercial Trading Units	£31.6m	£17.9m	£17.7m	(£0.2m)		£31.6m	£29.8m	(£1.9m)
Research & Development	£14.5m	£8.8m	£8.9m	£0.0m		£14.5m	£13.0m	(£1.5m)
Other	£10.0m	£5.8m	£6.1m	£0.3m		£10.0m	£10.4m	£0.5m
TOTOAL OPERATING REVENUE	£242.4m	£142.2m	£143.3m	£1.0m		£242.4m	£240.2m	(£2.2m)

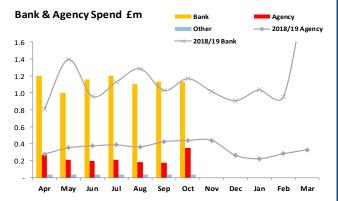
### RAG Ratings

Red > 3% Adverse Variance, Amber < 3% Adverse Variance, Green Favourable Variance, Grey Not applicable

#### **PAY AND WORKFORCE**

TOTAL PAY	(£132.7m)	(£11.0m)	(£10.8m)	£0.14m	(£77.6m)	(£76.1m)	£1.42m	
Other	(£0.4m)	(£0.0m)	(£0.0m)	(£0.00m)	(£0.2m)	(£0.3m)	(£0.01m)	0%
Agency	(£0.5m)	(£0.0m)	(£0.4m)	(£0.32m)	(£0.3m)	(£2.0m)	(£1.73m)	3%
Bank	(£2.8m)	(£0.2m)	(£1.1m)	(£0.90m)	(£1.6m)	(£7.9m)	(£6.29m)	10%
Employed	(£129.0m)	(£10.7m)	(£9.3m)	£1.36m	(£75.4m)	(£65.9m)	£9.46m	87%
£m	Plan	Plan	Actual	Variance	Budget	Actual	Variance	Total
Pay & Workforce	Annual	_	In Month		,	Year to Date	Э	%

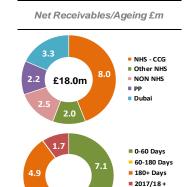




## CASH, CAPITAL AND OTHER KPI'S

Capital Programme	Appual Plan	,	Year to Dat			Forecast		
£m	Annual Plan	Budget	Actual	Variance	RAG	Budget	Actual	Variance
Trust Funded	(£17.7m)	(£8.6m)	(£4.7m)	£3.9m		(£17.7m)	(£15.4m)	(£2.2m)
Donated	(£0.4m)	-	-	-		(£0.4m)	(£0.1m)	(£0.4m)
TOTAL	£18.1m	£8.6m	£4.7m	(£3.9m)		£18.1m	£15.5m	£2.6m

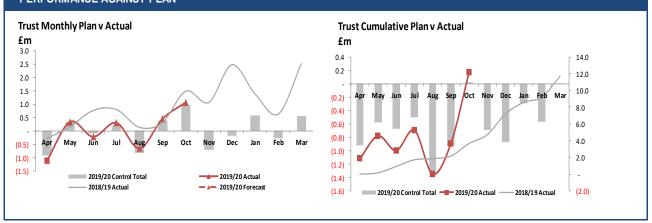
Key Metrics	Plan	Actual	RAG
Cash	44.1	49.6	
Debtor Days	45	27	
Creditor Days	45	36	
PP Debtor Days	65	66	
Use of Resources	Plan	Actual	
Capital service cover rating	2	1	
Liquidity rating	1	1	
I&E margin rating	2	2	
l&E margin: distance from fin. plan	1	1	
Agency rating	1	1	
OVERALL RATING	1	1	



# **Trust Income & Expenditure Performance**

	Annual	1	In Month		1	Year to Date		1	Forecast	
Statement of Comprehensive Income £m	Plan	Plan	Actual	Variance	Plan	Actual	Variance	Budget	Actual	Variance
Operating Income										
NHS Commissioned Clinical Income	176.40	16.06	15.98	(80.0)	103.88	104.92	1.04	176.40	177.03	0.63
Other NHS Clinical Income	9.80	0.90	0.83	(0.07)	5.80	5.72	(0.08)	9.80	9.96	0.16
Commercial Trading Units	31.64	2.96	2.83	(0.13)	17.89	17.66	(0.23)	31.64	29.75	(1.89)
Research & Development	14.55	1.05	1.10	0.05	8.84	8.89	0.05	14.55	13.00	(1.55)
Other Income	9.98	0.79	0.84	0.05	5.81	6.08	0.27	9.98	10.43	0.46
Total Income	242.37	21.76	21.58	(0.18)	142.21	143.26	1.05	242.37	240.18	(2.20)
Operating Expenses										
Employee Expenses	(132.72)	(10.98)	(10.84)	0.14	(77.57)	(76.14)	1.42	(132.72)	(130.39)	2.33
Non Pay Expense	(100.61)	(9.16)	(8.97)	0.19	(58.93)	(61.02)	(2.09)	(100.61)	(101.84)	(1.23)
Total	(233.33)	(20.14)	(19.81)	0.33	(136.49)	(137.16)	(0.67)	(233.33)	(232.22)	1.11
EBITDA	9.04	1.62	1.77	0.15	5.72	6.10	0.38	9.04	7.95	(1.09)
Financing & Depreciation	(9.58)	(0.71)	(0.76)	(0.05)	(6.02)	(6.21)	(0.19)	(9.58)	(8.43)	1.16
SURPLUS / (DEFICIT)	(0.54)	0.91	1.02	0.10	(0.30)	(0.11)	0.19	(0.54)	(0.48)	0.07
Donated assets adjustments	0.54	0.04	0.05	0.00	0.32	0.28	(0.04)	0.54	0.50	(0.04)
CONTROL TOTAL SURPLUS / (DEFICIT)	(0.00)	0.96	1.06	0.11	0.02	0.17	0.15	(0.00)	0.03	0.03

### PERFORMANCE AGAINST PLAN



# Commentary

Operating The Trust is reporting income of £21.58m in October, compared to a plan **Income** of £21.76m, an adverse variance of £0.18m.

> Commissioned patient care income is £0.08m adverse to plan in October with Inpatient activity (£0.21m) being the main driver. Activity above plan for Injections and Outpatients recovered the in-month position.

> Commercial income was adverse to plan in October by £0.08m, whilst non-commissioned clinical income (primarily Bedford) was also £0.07m adverse to plan.

Employee Total pay was £0.14m favourable to plan in October due to Admin and Expenses Clerical vacancies across the Trust, and in-particular within Health Records.

> Medical additional/locum session payments during October totalled £0.31m of which £0.15m relates to specialties at City Road, whilst a further £0.15m relates to satellite sites.

Non Pay Non pay reported an favourable variance of £0.19m in October, primarily Expenses due to the recent contractual agreement over Intra Ocular Lenses (£0.23m), whilst Health Records reported an adverse variance (£0.14m) (non pay and in-month.

financing)

Cost improvement savings were on-plan in October, aided by the backdated IOL agreement.

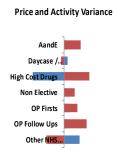
Financing, depreciation and adjustments were broadly on plan in month as donated asset income and favourable variances following the Trusts estate revaluation exercise performed in 2018/19 off-set by the impairment to the Electronic Medical Records system.

# **Trust Patient Clinical Income Performance**

#### PATIENT CLINICAL INCOME Activity YTD YTD Income £'000 Point of Delivery Actual RAG Variance Actual Variance £328 AandE 57,934 59,844 1,910 £9,019 £9,347 £23,700 £10 Daycase / Inpatients 21.514 21.468 £23.690 High Cost Drugs 29.749 31.905 2.156 £22.654 £22,550 (£103)£208 Non Elective 1,573 1,673 £3,037 £3,245 OP Firsts 74,916 76,328 1,412 £12,710 £13,055 £345 OP Follow Ups 274,022 277,922 £27,924 £28,368 £443 3,900 Other NHS Clinical Income 12,378 10,792 £2,479 £2,433 472,087 479,932 7,845 £101,514 £102.699 £1.185 Excludes CQUIN, Bedford, and Trust to Trust test income.

# PRICE & ACTIVITY VARIANCE

A	verage price	Э	£000's			
Per Plan	Received	Variance %	Price Variance	Activity Variance		
£156	£156	0%	£31	£297		
£1,101	£1,104	0%	£60	(£51)		
£761	£707	-7%	(£554)	£451		
£1,930	£1,940	0%	£16	£192		
£170	£171	1%	£105	£240		
£102	£102	0%	£46	£397		
£200	£225	13%	£272	(£318)		
			(£24)	£1,209		



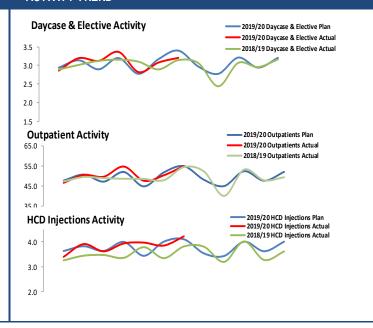
■ Price Variance ■ Activity Variance

# CONTRACT SLA PERFORMANCE

Divisional Income Performance £m		Activity			YTD Income £'000			
	Plan	Actual	Variance	Plan	Actual	Variance		
City Road	296,078	301,320	5,242	£62,222	£62,433	£210		
North	94,847	97,458	2,611	£21,851	£22,755	£904		
South	81,161	81,154	(7)	£17,151	£17,512	£361		

Top CCG's		Activity		YTD Income £'000			
Topicous	Plan	Actual	Variance	Plan	Actual	Variance	
NHS Croydon CCG	34,126	32,497	(1,629)	£7,360	£7,183	(£177)	
NHS Ealing CCG	23,542	25,475	1,934	£5,440	£6,091	£65′	
NHS Wandsworth CCG	19,170	21,113	1,943	£4,153	£4,786	£633	
NHS Harrow CCG	18,977	19,544	567	£4,387	£4,597	£21	
NHS City and Hackney CC0	21,495	21,921	426	£4,395	£4,545	£15	
NHS Islington CCG	14,485	15,616	1,132	£2,958	£3,243	£28	

#### **ACTIVITY TREND**



# Commentary

NHS Income Overall NHS Patient Clinical activity in October was high but was slightly behind plan for income. Income is reporting a favourable variance to plan YTD of £1.2m.

Outpatients Outpatient activity was high and over performed planned levels during October, exceeding the activity plan levels YTD, representing an increase in activity compared to the same period last year.

Day case and Activity was under plan during October, and is now Inpatient appearing below plan YTD. Key specialities where YTD activity is behind plan include Adnexal and Medical Retina, Strabismus and Cataract are over performing YTD.

# Injections

High Cost Activity was above planned levels for October and is **Drugs/** below plan YTD by £0.1m.

> A change in price for the drug has created an adverse price variance of £0.554m compared to plan resulting in a net adverse income position.

> High Cost Drugs/injections represent a pass through cost for the organisation and any under/over performance within income is compensated within non pay, therefore not affecting the Trusts overall financial performance.

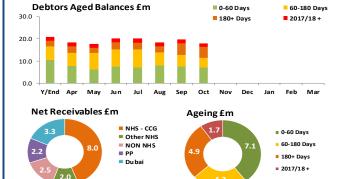
# Trust Statement of Financial Position – Cash, Capital, Receivables and Other Metrics

#### Year to Date Forecast Capital Expenditure Annual Plan £m Plan Actual Variance Plan Actual Variance Estates - Trust Funded 4.1 2.1 0.2 (1.8)4.1 3.9 0.2 Medical Equipment - Trust Funded 3.3 1.0 1.1 0.1 3.3 2.7 0.6 IT - Trust Funded 2.4 0.6 (1.8)4.0 2.3 1.7 ORIEL - Trust Funded 6.0 2.9 2.5 (0.4)6.0 6.2 (0.2)Dubai - Trust funded 0.3 0.1 0.1 0.0 0.3 0.3 Other - Trust funded TOTAL - TRUST FUNDED 17.7 2.2 8.6 4.7 (3.9)17.7 15.4 IT - Externally Funded 0.4 0.4 0.1 0.4 TOTAL INCLUDING DONATED 18.1 8.6 4.7 (3.9)18.1 15.5 2.6

Capital Funding £m	Annual Plan	Secured	Not Yet Secured	% Secured
Planned Total Depreciation	7.1	7.1		100%
Cash Reserves - B/Fwd cash	8.7	8.7		100%
Capital investment loan funding	-			
Cash Reserves - Other (PSF)	3.6	3.6		100%
Capital Loan Repayments	(1.8)	(1.8)		100%
TOTAL - TRUST FUNDED	17.7	17.7	-	100%
Externally funded	0.4		0.4	0%
TOTAL INCLUDING DONATE	18.1	17.7	0.4	98%

### **RECEIVABLES**

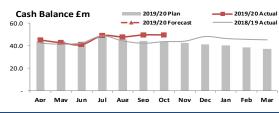
Net Receivables £m	0-60 Days	60-180 Days	180+ Days	2017/18	Total
CCG Debt	3.1	1.4	3.5	0.0	8.0
Other NHS Debt	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.5	2.0
Non NHS Debt	0.9	0.9	0.3	0.5	2.5
Commercial Unit Debt	2.7	1.4	0.7	0.7	5.5
TOTAL RECEIVABLES	7.1	4.2	4.9	1.7	18.0



#### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

**CAPITAL EXPENDITURE** 

Statement of Financial	Annual	)	Year to Date			
Position £m	Plan	Plan	Actual	Variance		
Non-current assets	102.9	95.6	89.3	(6.3)		
Current assets (excl Cash)	19.6	20.5	26.0	5.5		
Cash and cash equivalents	37.3	44.1	49.6	5.6		
Current liabilities	(39.9)	(39.4)	(38.2)	1.2		
Non-current liabilities	(36.1)	(37.0)	(38.1)	(1.1)		
TOTAL ASSETS EMPLOYED	83.8	83.8	88.7	4.9		



#### **OTHER METRICS**

Use of Resources	Weighting	YTD	Score
Capital service cover rating	20%	2	1
Liquidity rating	20%	1	1
I&E margin rating	20%	2	2
I&E margin: distance from financial	20%	1	1
Agency rating	20%	1	1
OVERALL RATING		1	1
Working Capital Metrics	KPI	Sep 19	Oct 19
BPPC - NHS (YTD) by number	95%	62%	61%
BPPC - NHS (YTD) by value	95%	42%	42%
BPPC - Non-NHS (YTD) by number	95%	88%	88%
BPPC - Non-NHS (YTD) by value	95%	86%	87%
Debtor Days (YTD)	45	30	27
Creditor Days (YTD)	45	47	36
PP Debtor Days (YTD)	65	62	66

# Commentary

Cash and The cash balance at the 31st October is £49.6m, £5.5m Working above plan primarily due to higher than planned Capital 2018/19 PSF receipts and £3.9m capital expenditure underspend.

Capital Total capital expenditure YTD is £4.70m (gross and on Expenditure a CDEL basis). Expenditure includes investment in clinical estate, IT and medical equipment. Capital forecast for the year has been amended to £15.50m from £18.10m further to the requested review of planned in year capital spend.

Use of The overall Use of Resources rating in October is 1, **Resources** compared to a plan of 1 for October.

Key points to note are:-

- I&E margin metric is reporting a 2 for October, in line with a plan of 2.
- Capital Service rating of 1 is better than plan due to the favourable surplus to plan reported.

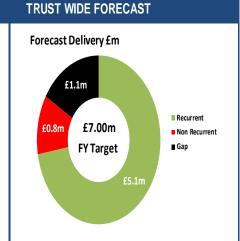
Receivables Receivables totalled £18.0m in October, a reduction of £2.8m since March 2019.

Payables Payables totalled £10.3m in October, a reduction of £6.0m since March 2019.

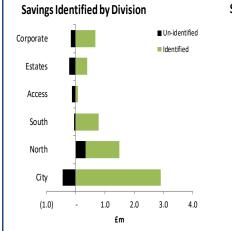
# **Efficiency Schemes Performance**

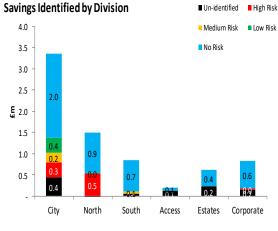
**EFFICIENCY SCHEME PERFORMANCE** 

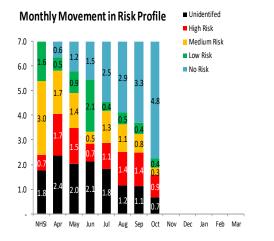
#### Year to Date In Month Forecast Efficiency Schemes Annual Plan Plan Actual Variance Plan Actual Variance Plan Actual Variance City Road £3.35m £0.45m £0.46m £0.01m £1.68m £1.42m (£0.26m) £3.35m £2.79m (£0.57m) North £1.15m £0.14m £0.20m £0.06m £0.82m £0.56m (£0.26m) £1.13m (£0.03m) £0.18m £0.19m £0.02m £0.46m (£0.03m)£0.85m £0.79m (£0.06m) South £0.85m £0.43m £0.20m £0.05m £0.03m (£0.02m)£0.05m £0.03m (£0.02m)£0.20m £0.07m (£0.13m) Access £0.25m (£0.04m) £0.39m Estates & Facilities £0.62m £0.11m £0.09m (£0.02m) £0.21m £0.62m (£0.23m) Corporate £0.82m £0.08m £0.06m (£0.02m) £0.42m £0.46m £0.04m £0.82m £0.69m (£0.14m) TOTAL EFFICIENCIES £7.00m £1.01m £1.04m £0.03m £3.68m £3.11m (£0.57m)£7.00m £5.85m (£1.15m)



# **DIVISIONAL REPORTING & OTHER METRICS**







# Commentary

In Year The Trust is reporting efficiency savings achieved Delivery of £1.04m in October, compared to a plan of £1.01m. YTD efficiency savings achieved are £3.11m compared to a plan of £3.68m, an adverse variance of £0.57m.

Identified There are currently £0.67m of unidentified savings Savings schemes, and a further £0.91m of schemes assessed as high risk.

> The divisional reporting segment highlights the level of identified schemes by division and the corresponding risk profile for these schemes.

Risk Profiles The chart to the left demonstrates the changing risk profiles of identified schemes Trustwide since the beginning of the year.

Forecast Of the planned target for £7m efficiency savings, the currently assessed forecast achievement based on the level of identified schemes, and risk profile is £5.85m, an adverse forecast of £1.15m compared to plan.





Agenda item 08

Learning from deaths Q1 &2 19/20

Board of directors 5 December 2019





Report title	Learning from deaths
Report from	Nick Strouthidis, medical director
Prepared by	Julie Nott, head of risk & safety
Link to strategic objectives	We will pioneer patient-centred care with exceptional clinical outcomes and excellent patient experience

# **Executive summary**

This report provides an update regarding how we learn from deaths that occur within Moorfields defined by criteria (see Annex below) as set out in trust policy. It is a requirement for all trusts to have a similar policy.

The trust has identified 0 patient deaths in Q1 and Q2 2019/20 that fall within the scope of the learning from deaths policy.

# **Quality implications**

The board needs to be assured that the trust is able to learn lessons from serious incidents in order to prevent repeat mistakes and minimise patient harm.

# **Financial implications**

Provision of the medical examiner role for Moorfields may have cost implications for the organisation.

# **Risk implications**

If the trust fails to learn from deaths there is clinical risk in relation to our ability to provide safe care to patients, reputational risk, financial risk of potential litigation and legal risk to directors.

# **Action Required/Recommendation**

The board is asked to receive the report for assurance and information.

For Assurance	✓	For decision	For discussion	To note	✓

# **Learning from deaths**

This report satisfies the requirement to provide the trust board with an update regarding compliance with, and learning from, the NHS Improvement learning from deaths agenda.

The Q1/Q2 2019/20 data, as at 28 October 2019, is shown in table 1 below.

Indicator	Q1 2019/2	Q2 2019/2	Q3 2019/2	Q4 2019/2
Summary Hospital Mortality Indicator (as reported in the IPR)	0	0		
Number of deaths that fall within the scope of the learning from deaths policy (see annex 1)	0	0		
% of cases reviewed under the structured judgement review (SJR) methodology/reviewed by	N/A	N/A		
Deaths considered likely to have been avoidable	N/A	N/A		

Table 1

# Learning and improvement opportunities identified

- The Q4 2018/19 report recorded that the outcome of a review of the private patient pre-operative assessment procedure, and actions required to improve it to the consistently high level of NHS practice, was still on-going. The documentation review has taken place and, based on the available information, no concerns were identified. A written report is awaited;
- During Q2 the actual impact code 'notification of a patient death received' was added
  to the incident reporting system. Addition of this new code was prompted by the
  notification of the death of 2 patients either shortly after leaving hospital premises or
  following a medical emergency and subsequent admission to the host trust. Neither
  case related to Moorfields activity; however it is recognised that recording of such cases
  provides an extended opportunity for potential learning.

# Medical examiner role (update)

NHS England and NHS Improvement continues to provide monthly updates in relation to the development of the roles of medical examiners and medical examiner officers (managers of a medical examiner office). Key points to date are as follows:

- Regional medical examiners and a lead medical examiner for Wales have been appointed;
- Regional medical examiner officers are in the process of being appointed;
- Training for medical examiners, including 26 e-Learning for Health on-line core modules and Royal College of Pathologist face to face training, is on-going;

- The national medical examiner, Dr Alan Fletcher, wrote to all medical directors on 11 September 2019, to provide more information about what the introduction of medical examiners in England means. An annex to the letter described the:
  - structure of the medical examiner system: medical examiners will be employed by trusts, with a separate professional line of accountability to allow for access to information in the sensitive and urgent timescales surrounding death registration, but with independence necessary for the credibility of the scrutiny process;
  - introduction and operation of the system: the medical director has had a discussion with the London region medical examiner regarding the extent to which Moorfields will utilise this service and it has been agreed that using a shared examiner with UCLH will be the best approach. UCLH have not yet finalised their inhouse arrangements; access to the future service will be progressed by the medical director;
  - continued development of a digital tool to support the work/inform the death certification process;
  - funding for the service: it is not yet clear how this will work for organisations such as Moorfields, where there will be a requirement to source the service from another provider.

### Annex 1

**Included** within the scope of this Policy:

- All in-patient deaths;
- Patients who die within 30 days of discharge from inpatient services (where the Trust becomes aware of the death);
- Mandated patient groups identified by the NQB Learning from Deaths guidance including individuals with a learning disability, mental health needs or an infant or child;
- The death of any patient who is transferred from a Moorfields site and who dies following admission to another provider hospital;
- The death of any patient, of which the Trust is made aware, within 48 hours of surgery;
- All deaths where bereaved families and carers, or staff, have raised a significant concern about the quality of care provision by Moorfields;
- Deaths of which the Trust becomes aware following notification, and a request for information, by HM Coroner;
- Persons who sustain injury as a result of an accident (e.g. a fall down stairs) whilst on Trust premises and who subsequently die;
- Individual deaths identified by the Medical Examiner or through incident reporting or complaints or as a result of the Inquest process;

# **Excluded** from the scope of this Policy:

 People who are not patients who become unwell whilst on Trust premises and subsequently die;





Agenda item 09
Q2 Complaints, PALS and compliments
Board of directors
5 December 2019

Report title	Q2 Complaint, PALS and compliments	
Report from	Tracy Luckett, director of nursing and AHP's	
Prepared by	Tim Withers, head of patient experience	
Previously discussed at	Prepared for Quality and safety committee and Trust Board	
Linked to strategic objectives	We will have an infrastructure and culture that supports innovation We will pioneer patient centered care with exceptional clinic outcomes and excellent patient experience	

# **Brief summary of report**

This report provides an overview of complaints and PALS concerns received by the trust during Quarter 2 (July 2019 – September 2019). This supports the information in the monthly IPR performance report. This report is used to support improvements and is presented to the quality and safety committee and trust board for assurance. It is also available for the Clinical Quality Review Group (CQRG) where the trust discusses the quality of Moorfields services with our lead commissioners. The report is discussed at the patient participation and experience committee with divisional senior managers and quality partners to support trust wide learning.

During Q2 the trust received 101 formal complaints. During previous quarters the trust received around 70 formal complaints. Some of this increase is due to issues around the change in transport provision and patients eligibility; there has also been an increase in other categories of complaint such as clinical concerns, staff behavior and appointments management. However, these were across several sites and services and no discernable cause can be identified for the increase.

540 PALS concerns (excluding compliments and enquiries) were received in quarter 2, similar to previous quarters. The keys themes concern appointments management, communication, transport and clinical enquiries. There were 390 general enquiries and 50 compliments. Most compliments are given through the friends and family test. The overall number of PALS enquiries increased by about 100 (980 vs 879) on the previous quarter with transport enquiries contributing substantially this this.

# **Financial implications**

There are no direct financial implications arising from this paper.

### **Risk implications**

One of the key board assurance risks for NHS trusts is that they fail to learn from patient feedback including complaints. The board / committee should be aware of the themes arising from complaints and PALS concerns and make sure actions are in place to mitigate the risks. All complaints are shared with the risk and safety team and adult and child safeguarding teams.

# Action required/recommendation

Themes arising from complaints are a key performance indicator for the trust and analysis of those themes indicate where divisional teams need to focus resource where appropriate and keep systems and processes under constant review.

For assurance	٧	For decision		For discussion		To note	
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### 1.0 Introduction

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During Q2 the Trust received 101 complaints; this represents an increase on the previous three quarters in which the trust received around 70 complaints a quarter. For July and August the numbers were unexceptional. In September, the introduction of the new transport service partly explains the increase. However, excluding the transport issues, the number of complaints increased to 38 (44 including transport). Clinical concerns, communication and staff behaviour remain the main themes identified.

Complaints by type, service and network site can be seen at fig. 4 and 5 for comparative purposes.

PALS concerns/enquiries received were 980 which have increased from Q1 during which there were 868. Again transport concerns and enquiries contributed to the increase. PALS concerns remain, however, dominated by appointments management and telephone calls not being answered. Information about treatment, admission or hospital services was the source of the majority of enquiries.

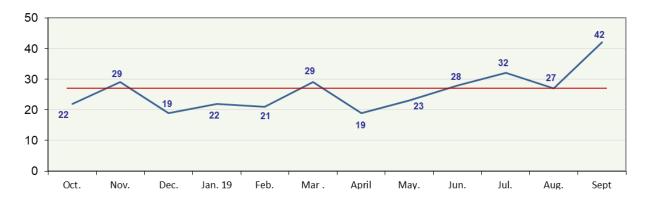
# 2.0 Complaints activity

# 2.1 Complaints received Q2 2019/20

Complaints received by quarter Q3 2018/19 - Q2 2019/20

	Quarter 3	Quarter 4	Quarter 1	Quarter 2
	70	72	70	101
Percentage of patients seen who went on to complain	0.04% 182,734	0.04% 187,670	0.04% 186,672	0.05% 192,646
Complainants per 10,000 patient contacts	3.8	3.8	3.7	5.2

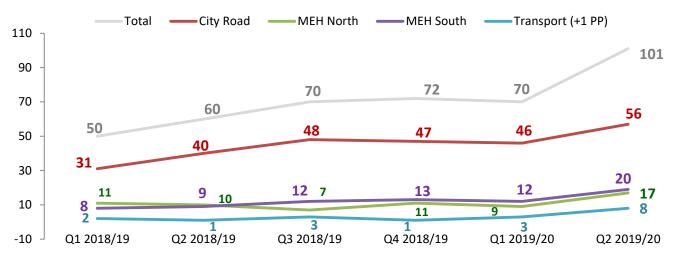
Fig.1 Trust complaints October 2018 to September 2019 (mean-26)



On average, 34 complaints a month were received by the trust during the second quarter of 2019/20, with June beginning an upward trend which has continued.

Fig.2 Complaints by division

Complaints by Division: Q1 2018/19 to Q2 2019/20



Complaints by division reflect the activity within those divisions with the majority of complaints being for City Road, however there is an increased number of complaints for each division.

# 2.2 Complaints by type

Fig. 3 Complaints by type: Q2 2018/19 to Q1 2019/20

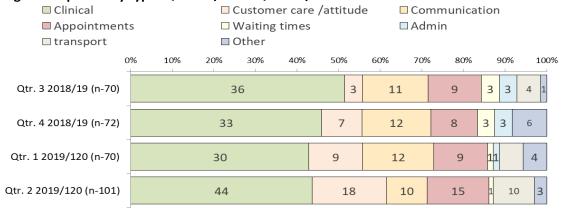


Fig. 4 Complaints by City Road specialism and type: Q1 and Q2 2019/20

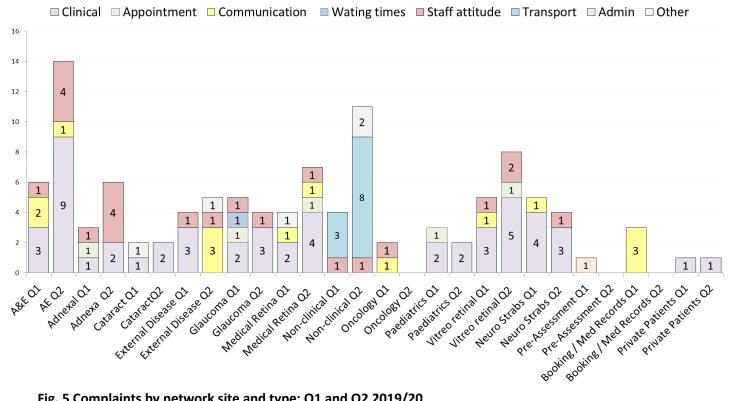
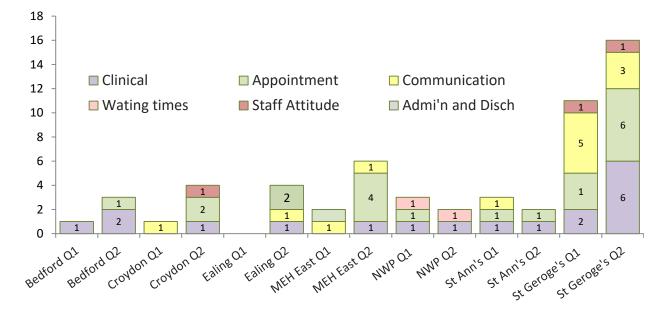


Fig. 5 Complaints by network site and type: Q1 and Q2 2019/20



# 2.3 Complaint analysis

As can be seen from fig.3, there has been a notable increase in the number of complaints received during guarter two compared to previous guarters. The increase can be seen in four themes; clinical, staff attitude, appointments management and transport.

### **Clinical complaints**

Following a slight decrease in the number of clinical complaints received over the previous quarters, in Q2 the number increased noticeably by 13. The largest number of these were from A&E where complainants questioned the treatment they received, or the active triage process. The rise in clinical concerns across the rest of the trust is related to clinical outcomes, diagnosis, delay in treatments and access to services. The increase is accounted for by an increase of one or two complaints for the majority of City Road services and two network sites.

As with previous clinical complaints, ensuring that patients have an understanding of the decisions made and likely outcomes, especially for long term patients for whom the prognosis is poorer, would perhaps give them more insight and anticipate their concerns. The QSIS team is working on a letters project where the GP letter is now written directly for patients, which may mitigate this to some extent.

Reviewing the division, site, service or individuals involved, there do not appear to be any themes or areas of poor practice identifiable. All responses to complainants whose concerns are clinical are reviewed by the Medical Director.

### **Staff Attitude**

These appear to be spread evenly across each City Road service with only two at network sites. A&E and Adnexal received four complaints each; however the individuals on each occasion were different. A&E concerns were related to the active triage process which can be challenging when patients do not meet the criteria of an A&E patient. Nothing appears to link the Adnexal incidents other than staff, and this is true of the other staff attitude concerns, not always being aware of the way they might be perceived by patients.

It is notable that, with a few exceptions, individual staff are rarely complained about again if they are mentioned in such a complaint.

# **Appointments**

Of the 15 appointment issues raised, the majority (mainly about cancellation or re-scheduled appointments), were among the network sites with one or two issues for each. Although there are still many PALS concerns and enquiries regarding appointments, the low number of formal complaints for City Road may suggest the increasing effectiveness of the contact and booking centers. MEH South continues to have the greatest number of appointment complaints, however the establishment of a new middle management (due to staff turnaround) should support improvements.

## **Transport**

The new transport contract changed from medical services to DHL (under the auspices of the Royal Free Hospital estates team), in September. Though there is a grace period, recently extended through to November, the main change for patients is that they now have to call and arrange their transport for each hospital visit and their eligibility criteria are no longer decided by their GP, but by telephoning a call centre where they are assessed. If refused transport or an escort etc. they can appeal via a further, nurse led, assessment. That decision is final. This formed the basis of the majority of transport complaints.

The criteria are designed to identify only those patients who have no other alternative and appear to be applied in a much stricter way than previously. As a result the number of formal complaints and PALS concerns has increased noticeably. There have been challenges with managing this process as the Royal Free team (providing oversight for service delivery contract) and the DHL team have been unprepared and to have not had the appropriate processes in place.

Moorfields staff have met with the Royal Free team and going forward, PALS concerns and formal complaints will be logged as Moorfields concerns and complaints, and will be forwarded to the

Royal Free team working with DHL to investigate, resolve and respond to patients. Moorfields will ensure this is done in a timely manner within our performance requirements.

## 2.4 Complaints performance

Fig.6 Complaints by type: Q4 2018/19 to Q2 2019/20

KPI	Target	Q4 19/18	Q1 19/20	Q2 19/20
Response	80%	76%	31%	59%
Acknowledgment	80%	98%	84%	88%

The performance for responding within 25 working days dropped during Q1 compared to previous quarters but has increased again in Q2 although is not yet at the Trust standard. Complaints training has taken place during Q2 to support divisions in undertaking investigations and writing responses and are having a positive impact. During Q2, divisional management and the complaints team held weekly meetings to improve complaints handling performance and provide support.

# Re-opened complaints / Ombudsman referrals

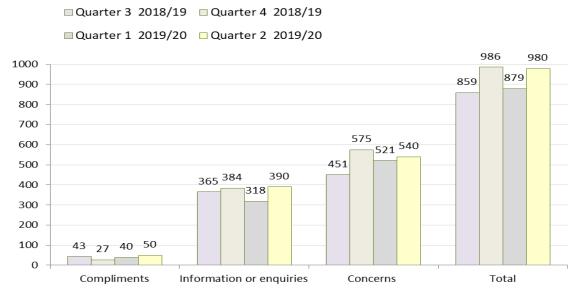
To date, 9 complaints were re-opened during quarter 2. These were due to disputed information or further concerns raised. There was one referral to the Parliamentary and Health Service Ombudsman (PHSO), the patient questioning the treatment they received. This was reviewed but not investigated by the PHSO. There are two ongoing concerns with the PHSO from January 2019 (both concerns following surgery). It has been several years since the PHSO has upheld a complaint against the trust.

# 3.0. Patient Advice and Liaison Service (PALS)

During quarter two, PALS handled 980 telephone calls, patient visits or emails. The PALS team consists of two PALS officers. PALS enquires are classified as one of three types: compliments, general enquiries for information or advice, and concerns or informal complaints. The latter two are similar as most of the concerns and informal complaints are at root, requests for information or a resolution of an issue, but the frustration caused to the patient by the problem is such that it presents as a concern or informal complaint. How these are recorded is left to the discretion of the PALS officer taking the call or enquiry.

Though the number of compliments appears to be low, it should be remembered that patients now leave their expressions of gratitude on Friends and Family cards (FFT) rather that write letters of send cards. There are around 50,000 positive FFT comments a year.

Fig. 7 PALS by type: Q4 2018/19 to Q2 2019/20



Appointment and communication issues are the two main issues of concern that arise from PALS enquiries. This has improved since the establishment of the contact and booking centers, although problems persist.

### 4.0 Moorfields Private

During Q2 Moorfields Private received seven complaints. Three of these were financial issues, two regarded communication and waiting times and the remaining two related to pharmacy not supplying medication and the insertion of a defective lens.

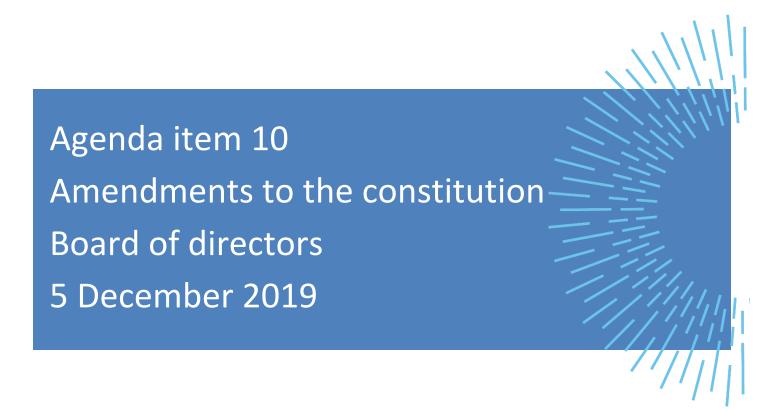
# 5.0 Learning from Complaints

As in previous quarters, the response to many of the clinical complaints received is to clarify the patient's care pathway, explain the reasons for treatment decisions and why the clinical outcome was as it was. Other 'non-specific' responses to complaints include resolving appointment issues, arranging meetings between trust staff (commonly the Medical Director) and complainants, offering second opinions, encouraging staff to reflect on their behaviours or be reminded of processes and procedures. The QSIS supports on-going projects to innovate and use technology to improve processes and procedures and to improve the experience for patients and staff. A recent example of an improvement is the introduction of the booking centre.

Some of the more specific recent responses to individual complaints include:

- At Bedford in response to confusion about the management of a patient referral, training was undertaken with the staff involved to ensure that all aspects of the process were fully understood.
- At Croydon, in response to a patient receiving a delayed review, the automatic two
  week appointment process for the macular clinic has been replaced with a same day
  scrutiny of the referral to identify those few patients who need more urgent referral to
  clinic.
- A patient at the Nelson clinic whose appointment was cancelled, waited for over an hour to be informed of this because the reception staff were from the Nelson and not Moorfields and were therefore unaware the clinic had been cancelled. A process is now in place to inform the Nelson staff whenever a Moorfields clinic is cancelled.

- Following a patient receiving the incorrect lens prescription at Moorfields optometry department, they were reimbursed for the cost of new lenses that they procured from another optician.
- Following the concerns of a patient who found the reception staff at St George's less than professional, the service manager arranged customer service training and will monitor ongoing performance.
- Due to a patient not speaking to an anesthetist at, or following their pre-assessment, they attended on a Saturday for a general anaesthetic which was not appropriate due to the risks involved and unfortunately was cancelled on the day. The anaesthetic department has now agreed suitable booking criteria for weekend surgery which should prevent a repeat occurrence.
- In response to a patient's referral enquiry being misplaced between City Road and one of the network sites, a process has been implemented to ensure that one senior staff lead is allocated to each investigation to enable one point of contact across all our sites and the City Road division. The processes are being reviewed to ensure that each enquiry has a confirmed outcome recorded so that our PALS team are aware of, and can follow up, those concerns that are not closed in a timely manner



Report title	Proposed changes to the constitution	
Report from	Tessa Green, chairman	
Prepared by	Helen Essex, company secretary	
Previously discussed at	Membership council	
Attachments	Proposed changes to the constitution	

## **Brief summary of report**

To summarise and highlight some proposed minor amendments to the trust constitution following a meeting of the Membership Council in October. These amendments will coincide with forthcoming elections starting in January 2020.

Cosmetic changes made to the documents in relation to grammar, spelling, formatting and paragraph numbering are not included in the proposed amendments and will be taken as approved.

# Proposed changes to the constitution

The constitution is the trust's key governance document and requires regular review to make sure it complies with relevant legislation and best practice. Suggested amendments to the following clauses are listed in the table in Appendix 1.

- 1) Clause 7.4 relating to partnership organisations
- 2) Clause 7.9 relating to the election of governors
- 3) Clause 7.10 relating to election of lead governor
- 4) Clause 7.15 relating to disqualification criteria
- 5) Clauses 7.16.3 and 7.16.4 relating to vacancies
- 6) Clause 17 relating to dispute resolution procedures
- 7) Annex 2 standing orders of the board of directors (committees and register of sealing)

The amendments were approved by the Membership Council at their meeting of 17 October 2019.

# Action Required/Recommendation.

Board is asked to approve the proposed changes to the constitution.

For Assurance	For decision 🗸	For discussion	To note	✓
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# **Trust Constitution**

Section/paragraph	Current position	Proposed change	Rationale
7 – Membership council (7.4 partnership organisations)	The organisations currently specified as Partnership Organisations that may appoint a Governor to the Membership Council are:  University College London; City University; The Royal National Institute for the Blind; and Vision UK; London borough of Islington	The organisations currently specified as Partnership Organisations that may appoint a Governor to the Membership Council are: University College London; College of Optometrists; The Royal National Institute for Blind People; Vision UK; and London borough of Islington	The trust has held a seat for City University on the council for a number of years due to the affiliation with the School of Optometry.  The trust strategy over the coming years will be focused on the development of professions other than medics and nursing, and in particular optometrists. It is therefore proposed that the seat currently held by the City University is offered to the College of Optometrists for this period in order to have a representative who can provide the trust with a strategic overview of the whole profession.
7 – Membership council (7.9 election of governors)	Elections for Elected Governors shall be conducted in accordance with the Model Rules for Elections using the first past the post voting system. Thus, where appropriate, the alternative rules marked "FPP" (First Past the Post) should be used.	Elections for Elected Governors shall be conducted in accordance with the Model Rules for Elections using the single transferable vote voting system. Thus, where appropriate, the rules marked "STV" (Single Transferable Vote) should be used.	STV is a form of proportional representation. The current (FPP) system allows candidates to win even if they do not have an overall majority of the votes cast. The STV system allows voters to rank candidates in order of preference so that if their first choice does not win, their second or third choice may still have a chance. In constituencies that are contested by a number of different candidates, STV is considered the fairest form of voting. This is the case for the majority of Moorfields constituencies.

7 – Membership Council
(7.10 election of a lead
governor)

# **Election of lead governor:**

The Membership Council will elect a lead governor from among their number, who shall on any occasion when direct contact with Monitor is required, facilitate that contact between the Governors and Monitor.

If a lead governor ceases to hold the office for any reason, the Secretary shall send out nominations forms for appointment as lead governor not less than 15 clear days prior to the next meeting of the Membership Council. (If a lead governor ceases to hold the office less than 15 clear days before a scheduled meeting of the Membership Council, the Secretary shall send out nominations forms not less than 15 clear days before the next following meeting of the Membership Council.) Each nomination shall be made in writing by the Governor seeking appointment and must be returned to the principal place of business of the Trust addressed to the Secretary to arrive not less than 3 days before the meeting.

If there are two or more nominations for appointment a secret ballot shall be held of all the Governors present at the meeting with each Governor present having one vote.

# **Election of lead governor and vice chair:**

The Membership Council will elect a lead governor from among their number, who shall on any occasion when direct contact with Monitor is required, facilitate that contact between the Governors and Monitor.

The Membership Council will elect a vice chair from among their number, who shall act as the key point of communication between the Chair and the Membership Council.

If a lead governor or vice chair ceases to hold the office for any reason, the Secretary shall send out nominations forms for appointment as lead governor not less than 15 clear days prior to the next meeting of the Membership Council. (If a lead governor ceases to hold the office less than 15 clear days before a scheduled meeting of the Membership Council, the Secretary shall send out nominations forms not less than 15 clear days before the next following meeting of the Membership Council.) Each nomination shall be made in writing by the Governor seeking appointment and must be returned to the principal place of business of the Trust addressed to the Secretary to arrive not less than 3 days before the meeting.

If there are two or more nominations for

To make explicit the governance arrangements for the lead governor and vice-chair roles.

	[Nominees may not vote].	appointment a secret ballot shall be held of all the Governors present at the meeting with each Governor present having one vote. [Nominees may not vote].  The term of office for a lead governor or vice chair will be three years, after which an election will be held. A lead governor or vice chair may serve a maximum of two three-year terms.	
7 – Membership council (7.15 disqualification)	No current position	Insert clause 7.15.27 Where a Governor has been disqualified from office in accordance with paragraph 7.15.26, the secretary shall notify the membership council of the disqualification at a private session as allowed under Annex 3 – standing orders of the membership council, clause 2.1 (admission of the press and public).	The relationship between trust officers and the membership council must remain open and transparent, at the same time respecting the confidentiality of the individual in question.
7 – Membership council (7.16 vacancies) 7.16.3	If the vacancy occurs more than 6 months before the end of the term of office, then the person who finished second in the previous election for that constituency will be appointed	If a vacancy occurs more than 6 months before the end of the term of office, an election will be arranged as soon as is practicable.	Moving to a STV system means that it is more of a challenge to identify the candidate who finishes in second/third, etc. place. Clauses 7.16.3 and 7.16.4 can therefore be merged and simplified.
7 – Membership council (7.16 vacancies) 7.16.4	If the person identified in 7.16.3 no longer wishes to be considered or there were no other candidates then an election will be arranged as soon as practicable.	Remove	Merged with 7.16.3 as above.

# Appendix 1

17 – Dispute resolution	In the event of a dispute being referred to	Remove	Clause 17.2 states that the board decision
procedures	the Chairman under paragraph 7.14.4 above		is final and this follows what is effectively
(17.3)	and a determination being made in		two appeals (referral to the chairman and
	accordance with the procedure set out in		then to the board).
	paragraph 17.2 above, if the Governor in		There is no basis by which an independent
	question is aggrieved at the decision of the		There is no basis by which an independent assessor should be able to overturn a
	Board of Directors he or she may apply in		
	writing within 7 days to the Board of Directors		decision of the board, or any of the trust's internal governance procedures.
	for the decision to be referred to an		internal governance procedures.
	independent assessor. The independent		
	assessor will then consider the evidence		
	and conclude whether the proposed		
	removal is reasonable or otherwise.		
17 – Dispute resolution	On receipt of an application under paragraph	Remove	As above
procedures	17.3 above, the Board of Directors and the		
(17.4)	applicant Governor will co-operate in good		
	faith to agree on the appointment of the		
	independent assessor. If the parties fail to		
	agree on an independent assessor within 28		
	days of the date upon which the application		
	is received by the Board of Directors, the		
	independent assessor will be nominated by		
	the Centre for Dispute Resolution. The		
	independent assessor's decision will be		
	binding and conclusive on the parties.		

# **Standing Orders of the Board of Directors**

Section	Paragraph	Current position	Proposed change	Rationale
5.6	Committees	Committees established by the Board of Directors are:  Audit and Risk Committee Nominations and Remuneration Committee Quality & Safety Committee Strategy & Investment Committee Finance Committee People, Diversity and Education Committee	Committees established by the Board of Directors are:  Audit and Risk Committee Nominations and Remuneration Committee  The board may establish any other committee it requires in order to carry out the business of the trust. However, the committee structure must allow for the following portfolios to be covered for assurance purposes:  Quality and safety  Strategy  Workforce	To allow flexibility in establishment and/or disestablishment of committees.
9.4	Register of sealing	A report of sealings will be made to the Board of Directors meeting following use of the seal. An annual report of sealings will be made to the Audit and Risk committee.	An annual report of sealings will be made to the Audit and Risk committee and appended to the next report of that committee to the board.	Streamlining of the process





Agenda item 11
Report of the QSC
Board of directors 5 December 2019







# QUALITY AND SAFETY COMMITTEE SUMMARY REPORT

# Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2019

	• Quorate – Yes
<b>Committee Governance</b>	Attendance (membership) - 88%
	Action completion status - 99%
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	Agenda completed – Yes
Current activity	<ul> <li>The committee's actions from the last meeting were reviewed.</li> <li>Four summary reports were received: the Clinical Governance, Information Governance, and Risk and Safety committees, and from the Patient and Carer Forum.</li> <li>The latest SI tracker was presented. All SIs are on track.</li> <li>A single SI report (City Road Botulinum Toxin (Botox) clinic – possible injection of Botox to the incorrect ocular muscle) was received.</li> <li>An update about fire safety was received.</li> <li>An update about Medical Records was presented. This was a follow-up to the presentation at the September meeting. A further update will come to the committee's meeting in March 2020.</li> <li>The committee received a Divisional Update presentation from the South division.</li> <li>There was a deep dive presentation about Governance in Moorfields Private.</li> <li>The committee received an update about EBME. This focused on the Medical Devices and New Techniques Committee.</li> <li>The Quality and Safety update focused on the on-going programme of executive-led Listening, learning and sharing walkabouts.</li> <li>The quarterly quality and safety report for the period July to September 2019 was presented.</li> <li>Also for the period July to September 2019, the Complaints, PALS and compliments report was also presented. This generated discussion about patient transport.</li> <li>The committee received an updated about the NHSBT inspection.</li> <li>The committee received a report about learning from deaths (noting there had not been any in the reporting period). The WHO Surgical Safety Checklist Compliance Audit Report for Q2 was also received.</li> </ul>
Key concerns	<ul> <li>Resulting from the Risk and Safety Committee summary report, there was some concern about the use of mobile phones, both from a safety perspective and from that of etiquette and professionalism.</li> <li>The blockage of some fire escape routes is still an issue, and this is being addressed. There will be an update about progress at the next meeting.</li> <li>The two most significant issues raised as part of the medical records update is loose filing, and records prepping. A further update on medical records will come to the committee's March meeting.</li> <li>The Divisional update from the South Division generated discussion around a serious incident, which is being reported to the Board in Part II.</li> <li>Estates factors continue to be a concern at St. George's.</li> <li>There is an increase in the number of patient-transport related complaints. This can be attributed to the change of provider for these services and the application</li> </ul>

	of strict eligibility criteria. This is also being escalated to the Board.
Key learning	<ul> <li>The NHSBT inspection update reported good progress against all actions.</li> <li>A priority from the recent Clinical Governance Committee was the availability of medical records. Two medical records-related concerns have been raised (see above).</li> <li>Following discussion about the summary report for the Clinical Governance Committee, it was agreed that Duty of Candour would be a subject for a future Deep Dive.</li> <li>Cyber security and asset management are two key areas of activity for the Information Governance Committee.</li> <li>As a result of the introduction of texting, there is a very positive increase in FFT responses.</li> <li>The next fire audit is due on 5/6 December. A full-scale evacuation of City Road had taken place since the last committee meeting and this went well.</li> <li>The issuing of temporary notes rate has decreased from 5.3% (May) to 1.8%. There is also significant activity around the prepping of medical records.</li> <li>The South Division presentation outlined plans for future expansion, including the use of smaller sites, and how this will reduce pressure on the two main hubs (Croydon and St. George's).</li> <li>The Moorfields Private presentation highlighted the low (13%) response rates in the patient satisfaction surveys.</li> <li>There was discussion around the need for a quality partner in Moorfields Private.</li> <li>The most recent executive-led walkabout was at Croydon and a good standard was achieved.</li> <li>The formats of the new style quarterly quality and safety, and Complaints, PALS, and compliments reports were welcomed.</li> <li>An options appraisal to see if tissue processing could recommence is currently</li> </ul>
	<ul><li>underway.</li><li>There are two escalations as explained in some detail above:</li></ul>
Escalations	<ul> <li>Serious incident to be reported in PII of the board</li> <li>Patient transport service provision.</li> </ul>
Items for discussion outside of committee	This summary for the Board and Membership Council.
Date of next meeting	• 21 January 2020





Agenda item 12
Report of the audit and risk committee
Board of directors 5 December 2019

Report title	Report of the audit and risk committee
Report from	Nick Hardie, chairman, audit and risk committee
Prepared by	Helen Essex, company secretary
Previously discussed at	N/A
Attachments	N/A
Link to strategic objectives	We will have an infrastructure and culture that supports innovation
	We are able to deliver a sustainable financial model

# **Brief summary of report**

Attached is a brief summary of the audit and risk committee meeting that took place on 17 October 2019.

# Action Required/Recommendation.

Board is asked to note the report of the audit and risk committee and gain assurance from it.

For Assurance	✓	For decision		For discussion	To note	
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## **AUDIT AND RISK COMMITTEE SUMMARY REPORT – 15 OCTOBER 2019**

#### Governance

- Quorate Yes
- Attendance (membership) 100%

## Internal audit progress report

• A query was raised on progress on the overdue GDPR action. This relates to third party contracts, with answers required from 100 suppliers (35 received so far).

#### **Consultant job planning**

- The trust is looking to take a vfm approach as well as investing in staff.
- The plan is to review the current position and how this supports business planning, whether the policy is still fit for purpose, whether the goal is to implement electronic job planning in the future, etc.
- Job planning is being piloted in two services, looking at inconsistencies, allocation of sessions, etc.
- An activity data set has been developed to allow input into job plans. Work is also taking place with divisions on job plans that cross both division and specialty.
- The committee was pleased to see real progress on this issue.
- The final aim would be to have in place a team job planning process on a rolling annual basis.
- Although at the moment the focus is on medical staff there will be a future impact other professions. However, the building blocks need to be in place to be able to move things on.

#### Managing medical devices and equipment

# Current activity (as at date of meeting)

- This audit provided significant assurance with minor improvement opportunities.
- The focus of the audit was on the governance arrangements and controls relating to the operation of the department, such as commissioning and decommissioning of devices.
- There is a medium priority recommendation around training records as the policy and underlying processes don't exist. There is a lack of compliance assurance around training records although it was acknowledged that training needs to be proportionate to requirements.
- There are processes in place for equipment that is procured but also functionality in the database to identify that it is a donated asset.

#### Internal audit update plan

- For the lessons learned audit the main priority was assuring that how the trust learns from incidents, SIs and complaints is embedded in the quality governance framework and across the network.
- The change to the Ulysses/risk management audit is a change to the timetable rather than scope.
- The scope of the EMR audit needs to focus on lessons learned and how to mitigate any future projects.

#### LCFS progress report

 Guidance has been pushed out across the trust relating to email fraud and salary diversion. This action needs to be preventative rather than reactive as once someone's salary has been diverted the NHS CFA cannot investigate.

	<ul> <li>Reactive referrals relate to one attempt to divert salary and one related to overtime fraud and longer lunch breaks, which tend to be more of a cultural problem within teams and services.</li> </ul>
	Sickness absence management proactive review
	<ul> <li>The sickness absence review looks at whether the right process and governance is in place, whether the right controls are in place and how good awareness is amongst staff.</li> <li>The review found no fundamental issues but a number of amber recommendations have been raised in all three areas.</li> <li>Data analytics across 17/18 show that there is a relatively low number and low value relating to sickness absence. However, there is no sense of how the trust deals with long-term sickness.</li> </ul>
	Pre-employment compliance review
	<ul> <li>It is clear that the trust is undertaking the basics but there are some areas where issues could be tightened such as document retention.</li> </ul>
	Board assurance framework
	<ul> <li>Risk added relating to the availability of research funding, particularly in light of the lack of clarity over the Brexit impact.</li> <li>The committee will review the corporate risk register and any emerging themes at the next meeting.</li> </ul>
	Risk appetite
	<ul> <li>The committee discussed the draft risk appetite statement which has been developed by looking at an overarching risk framework and adapting it to the trust's objectives.</li> <li>The challenge of appropriately assessing risk appetite when looking at issues such as the provision of clinical care was acknowledged.</li> <li>KPMG will share their which helps determine areas where the trust might be acting outside its risk appetite, allowing the committee and board to focus on the areas of genuine risk for the organisation.</li> </ul>
Key concerns	Clinical audit has been removed from the plan for the last three years and the committee has had no oversight of this. To go into the plan early next year.
Items for discussion outside	<ul> <li>Executive team to agree lead and timeline for development of medical devices training records policy and procedure.</li> </ul>

of committee

Date of next

meeting

• 14 January 2020





Agenda item 13
Membership Council report
Board of directors 5 December
2019

Report title	Membership council report
Report from	Tessa Green, chair
Prepared by	Helen Essex, company secretary
Link to strategic objectives	We will pioneer patient-centred care with exceptional clinical outcomes and excellent patient experience We will be at the leading edge of research making new discoveries with our partners and patients We will innovate by sharing our knowledge and developing tomorrow's experts We will have an infrastructure and culture that supports innovation

# **Brief summary of report**

Attached is a brief summary of Membership Council meeting that took place on 15 October 2019.

# Action Required/Recommendation.

Board is asked to note the membership council report

For Assurance For decision For discussion To note	✓
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#### REPORT FROM THE MEMBERSHIP COUNCIL MEETING - 15 OCTOBER 2019

#### Report from the remuneration committee

The committee recommended the reappointment of both David Hills and Nick Hardie for a further three year term of office.

As part of its statutory role in determining NED remuneration, the governor remuneration committee will carefully review all guidance available to it at the time of any further reappointment or new appointment. However, the membership council will reserve the right to deviate from the guidance in order to make sure the trust is able to attract NEDs of a sufficient calibre to sit on the board.

A concern was raised over whether there is a danger of failing to sufficiently refresh the board. This point was discussed at some length and the remuneration committee recommendation to allow the chair some flexibility in terms of the number and timing of bringing new NEDs on board was approved.

#### **Feedback from governors**

The **governance development group** discussed the membership council self-assessment, which will be circulated at the start of November, and prospective governor events that will take place before Christmas allowing people who are interested in becoming a governor to attend sessions and establish the requirements in terms of time commitment.

The **membership development group** discussed a number of topics including the trust magazine and contents, public consultation on Oriel, Members' week in October/November and the 5-year anniversary celebrations in Croydon. The group was also pleased to note that governors have visited nearly all sites across the network over the last year.

The **patient carer forum** is coming up for its two-year review and will consider the membership in light of the need to continually refresh and have a view to diversity and inclusivity. There are lots of people and patients engaged across the trust and the council queried whether the PCF is able to capture the various different threads of activity. The terms of reference will be reviewed to make sure there is a mechanism to do so. It is also important not to duplicate what is already happening and make sure the group retains its analytical oversight function.

Feedback was provided from **governor visits** to Potters Bar, Barking and Bedford as well as a staff walkabout in A&E and Cayton Street. It was agreed that it would be useful to understand the financial and structural consequences of DNA for the trust. There was also comment about the introduction of technology and making sure that initiatives are as inclusive as possible. Governors are also keen that the trust is ambitious to achieve the same standards it is looking for in Oriel in all the network sites.

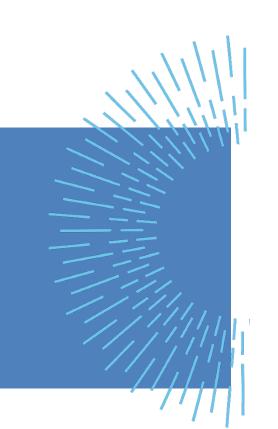
Governors received initial feedback from the **Oriel public consultation** and from the **Oriel Advisory Group** and an idea of themes and key timescales. An additional meeting will be scheduled to allow governors to go through the outcome in more detail.

Governors received a number of **reports from the executive** including the chief executive's report, integrated performance report, finance report, Q1 complaints report and quality and safety summaries. Governors received assurance that the concerns highlighted about fire safety were primarily related to internal administration of collating feedback and that an independent fire safety report had been very complimentary about the work done.

Governors received a **presentation on digital innovation** with a focus on quality of life and how people value their sight and what kind of digital pathway patients may encounter in the future. For example, a recent trial has been done where the trust connects with community optometry practices via a machine and is able to access images that were taken from patients, leading to 50% of people who would have had to come in not needing to come in at all. For patients this can mean that they spend considerably less time in hospital.

Key issues raised by governors were around timescales for adoption, reshaping the narrative so that it is positive in terms of patient benefit, as the way things are framed will affect how strong the public uptake is likely to be. Another issue raised was about patients getting the training/teaching that they might need to be able to get on board with the solutions.

Agenda item 14
2020 Cycle of business
Board of directors
5 December 2019



Report title	2020 Cycle of business and schedule of committee dates
Report from	Helen Essex, company secretary
Link to strategic objectives	This paper links to all strategic objectives

#### **Brief summary of report**

The paper sets out the board cycle of business for 2020 along with a schedule of committee dates. The cycle of business is not an exhaustive list and additional items will be added as and when required. The framework sets out a clear annual plan and accountability for reporting.

#### **Quality implications**

The board must be satisfied that is assured about all aspects of trust business, and particularly in the areas of patient safety, patient experience and clinical effectiveness.

#### **Financial implications**

There are no direct financial implications arising from this paper.

#### **Risk implications**

The board holds overall accountability for the organisation and is responsible for strategic direction and the high-level allocation of resources. The board is at risk of failing to fulfil its statutory and regulatory duties if it does not receive regular and timely information that enables appropriate discussion and allows decisions to be made.

## **Action Required/Recommendation**

The board is asked to approve the cycle of business and note the schedule of dates for 2020.

For Assurance	For decision	For discussion	To note	✓
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# 2020 Cycle of Business – public board

Subject	Lead	Jan 20	Feb 20	Mar 20	Apr 20	May 20	Jul 20	Sep 20	Oct 20	Nov 20
Standing items										
Apologies	Chair	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Declarations of interest	Chair	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Minutes of the last meeting	Chair	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Matters arising	Chair	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Chief executive's report	CEO	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Strategy										
Oriel	DoMP/DoS	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Strategy progress	Board strategy	days June and	December	1	-1	1	1	1	1	
Quality Strategy progress Source and Sections 1										
Patient experience/story	DoN		Х			Х			Х	
Infection control annual report	DoN						Х			
Safeguarding annual report	DoN						Х			
Learning from deaths	MD	Х			Х		Х		Х	
H&S annual report	DoMP			Х						
Equality and diversity reports	DoQS							Х		
WRES/WDES	DoQS							Х		
Staff survey	DoW				Х					
Operational performance										
Integrated performance	COO	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Finance report	CFO	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Workforce report	DoW	Х			Х		Х		Х	
Divisional presentations	COO	X – CR		X – Digital	X - MS		X - MN			
Service improvement	COO			Х					Х	
EPPR assurance	COO	Х								
Risk								•		

Board assurance framework	CS		X					X		
Committee reporting										
Audit and risk	ARC chair	Х			Х		Х		Х	
Quality and safety	QSC chair	Х		Х		Х	Х		Х	
People	PC chair	X				X		X		
Terms of reference	CS		X			X				
Committee effectiveness	CS		X			X				
Regulatory										
Annual accounts, report and quality account	CFO				Х					
Annual plan	CFO			Х						
Draft annual plan	CFO		Х							
CoS6 and G7 compliance	CS				X					
Guardian of safe working	MD			Х			Χ	X		
Fit and proper persons	CS				X					
Freedom to speak up	DoQS		Х			X		X		
FT4 compliance	CS						Χ			
Medical revalidation	MD							X		
Register of interests	CS				X					
Information governance	DoQS									
Cyber security	CIO			Х			Χ			Х
Other										
Membership council	Chair	Х			Х		Х		Х	

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Month	Board 9:30am – 1pm	Extraordinary Audit Cttee (Accounts)	Audit & Risk Committee 10:30 – 12:30	Finance Committee 08:30 – 10:15	S&C Committee 2pm – 5pm	RemCo 2pm – 3.30pm	Quality & Safety Committee 8:30 – 10:30	Membership Council 10am – 1pm	People Committee 11am – 1pm	CSC 12:00 – 13:30
Jan 2020	23.01.20		14.01.20	14.01.20	08.01.20	23.01.20	21.01.20	30.01.20	21.01.20	08.01.20
Feb 2020	27.02.20									
Mar 2020	26.03.20				11.03.20	26.03.20	17.03.20		17.03.20	11.03.20
Apr 2020	23.04.20		07.04.20	07.04.20				30.04.20		
May 2020	28.05.20	21.05.20			13.05.20	28.05.20	19.05.20		19.05.20	13.05.20
Jun 2020	Strategy day 25.06.20									
Jul 2020	23.07.20	AGM 15.07.20	07.07.20	07.07.20	08.07.20		21.07.20	16.07.20		08.07.20
Aug 20										
Sept 2020	24.09.20				09.09.20	24.09.10	15.09.20		15.09.20	09.09.20
Oct 2020	22.10.20		06.10.20	06.10.20				29.10.20		
Nov 2020	26.11.20				11.11.20	26.11.20	17.11.20		17.11.20	11.11.20
Dec 2020	Strategy day 10.12.20									

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#### Core Memberships:

- Board of Directors all board members required
- Audit and risk committee NH, RGW, DH, JW (other directors may be required on an ad-hoc basis)
- Finance committee NH, RGW, DH, JW, JQ
- Quality & safety committee RGW, TG, AD, SS, DP, NS, TL, JQ, IT
- Strategy & commercial committee SW, TG, AD, DH, NH, JM, DP, JW, NS
- Capital scrutiny committee DH, NH, SS, KM, JM, JW, ES
- People and culture committee SS, RGW, SD, DP, TL, NS, NC
- Remuneration and nominations committee— chair and independent non-executive directors, DP, SD
- AGM all board members required

Please note that the above is core membership only, it would be useful for all directors have committee meetings logged in their diaries in case they are required.

Initial	Name	Initial	Name
AD	Andrew Dick	JM	Johanna Moss
DH	David Hills	IT	Ian Tombleson
DP	David Probert	NC	Nora Colton
JQ	John Quinn	ES	Elisa Steele
JW	Jonathan Wilson	SD	Sandi Drewett
PK	Peng Khaw	KM	Kieran McDaid
NH	Nick Hardie		
NS	Nick Strouthidis		
RGW	Ros Given-Wilson		
SS	Sumita Singha		
SW	Steve Williams		
TG	Tessa Green		
TL	Tracy Luckett		