

REPORT TO THE TRUST BOARD (PUBLIC)

REPORT TITLE	Quality Improvement Progress and Development Update
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DATE OF MEETING	December 2021
PRESENTED FOR	Discussion
ITEM PREVIOUSLY CONSIDERED BY	N/A

Presented For: Definitions

Information	For information only. Not to be discussed at meeting unless members have specific questions.
Discussion	For discussion and possibly future decision. This includes items presented for assurance.
Decision	For approval and/or when any other decision is required

PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

This report is to update the Board on the quality improvement progress and journey to date prior to the Board workshop in January.
The report covers the progress to date, quality improvement strategy and the quality improvement framework and training programme.

RISKS RELEVANT TO THE PAPER

Risk ID	Risk Description
N/A	

RISK APPETITE RELEVANT TO THE PAPER (insert relevant section from Risk Appetite Statement from Risk Management Policy)

DOMAIN	TRUST RISK APPETITE LEVEL	DESCRIPTION OF RISK APPETITE
Continuous Quality Improvement / Innovation	Seek – <i>Eager to be innovative and to choose options offering potentially higher business rewards (despite greater inherent risk)</i>	Innovation pursued – desire to ‘break the mould’ and challenge current working practices. New technologies viewed as a key enabler of operational delivery. High levels of devolved authority – management by trust rather than tight control
Quality outcomes	Cautious – <i>preference for safe delivery options that have a low degree of inherent risk and may have limited potential for reward</i>	Tolerance for risk taking limited to those events where there is little chance of any significant negative impact on quality or safety of care. Decision making authority generally held by senior clinicians.

THE BOARD IS ASKED TO:

- Note the update provided on the QI progress and update
- Note the timetable for the training programme for November 2021 / August 2022

STRATEGIC GOALS THIS REPORT SUPPORTS *(Check all that apply)*

Delivering outstanding care and experience	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Recruiting developing and retaining our workforce	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Improving and developing our services and infrastructure	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Working together with local health and social care providers	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Delivering financial sustainability	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

OTHER IMPLICATIONS OF THE PAPER

Legal/ Regulatory Relevance:	NHS Improvement and NHS England Health and Social Care Act 2008 (regulated Activities) Regulations 2014 CQC 2019
NHS Constitution Delivery	The NHS aspires to the highest standards of excellence and professionalism The patient will be at the heart of everything the NHS does
Freedom of Information Release	This report can be released under the Freedom of information Act 2000

Equality and Diversity Implications *(Check all that apply)*

Age	Gender	Ethnicity	Disability	Pregnancy/ Maternity	Marriage/ Civil Partnership	Religion/ Belief	Sexual Orientation	Gender Reassignment
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