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| QUALITY - Patient Safety | | | | | | | |
| Objective 1 : Create reliable patient safety systems | | | | | | | |
| Update divisional priority plans for safety and integrate with other quality initiatives | Mar-14 | Div Chairs | DGBs | | | Patient Safety forum governance arrangements are being revised to ensure robust communications and improve awareness. Priorities for action x 3 are monitored through DMB and DCG. Divisional quality improvement strategies being developed and presented to QRC. Divisional actions to improve clinical engagement in quality and attendance at DGB, including appointment of Clinical Governance leads per speciality and updates given at DGB. | Completion of divisional quality improvement strategies. Divisional governance review to be completed as part of FT preparation - to be completed by December 2013 |
| Develop ward level data to mirror St George's safety data integrating with other relevant performance reports | Dec-13 | Chief Nurse & Director of Operations | Quality & Risk Committee | | | Paper presented to QRC (November) - specification of quality intelligence function agreed. | Implementation of quality intelligence function (Information team) |
| Ensure that ward establishments continue to provide safe effective care in clinical areas | Mar-14 | Chief Nurse & Director of Operations | Nursing Board | | | Board paper to be presented in September (as per national recommendation) RaTE staffing monitoring tool implemented trust wide in June. Since then number of red alerts has reduced significantly as re-assessment now needed after management action when staffing considered unsafe. This is being monitored by directorates and DGB. | To provide quarterly safe staffing report to Nursing Board and regular reports to the Trust Board. Ensure that there is a thorough review of establishments in line with the business planning process. Next paper due to Quality and Risk Committee (Jan 2014). |
| Implement improved medicines management in HMP Wandsworth | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Community Services | | | | | To implement recommendations from HMP Wndsworth inspection report |
| Implement infection control action plan: MRSA trajectory - zero tolerance & C Diff trajectory - no more than 45 cases | Mar-14 | Chief Nurse & Director of Operations | HCAI Taskforce (fortnightly) EMT (monthly) | | | Under trajectory for C.diff. 5 MRSAs year to date. | Continue to implement action plan, monitored by infection control, EMT and F&P. |
| Objective 2: Ensure staff have signed up to a strong safety culture | | | | | | | |
| Identify leads in all care groups for dissemination of quality information | Sep-13 | Medical Director | EMT | | | First meeting of care group clinical governance leads now held. | Continue to establish system |
| Provide regular Patient Safety Staff Forum so that staff are aware of safety messages and can share their concerns | Monthly | Chief Nurse & Director of Operations | Patient Safety Committee | | | Patient Safety staff forums in place. Now held at QMH | Continue to review attendance. |
| Identify systems to measure culture and use data to identify further safety work | Apr-13 | Medical Director | HR and WF Committee | | | Under discussion | Paper to HR and WF |
| Implement the statutory Duty of Candour | Apr-13 | Chief Nurse & Director of Operations | Patient Safety Committee | | | Paper presented to September QRC (already presented to CQRM). Regular reporting to Patient Safety Committee. | |
| Provide information for patients on how to keep themselves safe in hospital | Sep-13 | Chief Nurse & Director of Operations | Patient Safety Committee | | | Leaflet currently being trialed and evaluated in pre-op assessment. | Amend and implement accordingly |
| Outcomes for 13/14 (composite measure RAG rated as per the Quality Improvement Strategy Implementation Plan): 1. NHS Outcomes Framework 2013/14: Patient Safety incidents reported by severity (NHS Outcomes Framework 2013-4), Hospital deaths due to problems in care (NHS outcomes framework 2013-14), Staff Survey questions regarding incident reporting will improve year on year, Numbers of Serious Incidents. 2. Reducing avoidable harm: Incidence of Hospital related venous thromboembolism (VTE), Incidence of healthcare associated infection (HCAI) MRSA & C diff, Incidence of newly acquired category 2,3 and 4 pressure ulcers, Incidence of medication errors causing serious harm. Staffing ratios are safe and reasonable as measured by hours of nursing per patient per day | Mar-14 | Chief Nurse & Director of Operations | Quality & Risk Committee | | | Q1 progress report of quality improvement strategy presented to September QRC (noting progress against a range of key measures and milestones) | Next progress report (Q2+3) to Quality and Risk Committee (Jan 2014). |
| QUALITY - Patient Experience | | | | | | | |
| Objective 3 : Increase real time feedback from patients, actions taken as a result and demonstrate improvement | | | | | | | |
| Be able to evidence the changes and improvements made as a result of feedback and see an improvement in feedback as a result of actions taken | Apr-14 | Chief Nurse and Director of Operations | Patient Experience Committee | | | Work underway with divisions to ensure greater level of scrutiny and action orientated plans. Review of Divisional Governance Boards completed with action plan agreed. | Develop and implementation of Compliance Framework |
| Share ward level and aggregated information with all staff and people who use our services via a public facing webpage and other forms of media | Jul-13 | Chief Nurse and Director of Operations | Patient Experience Committee | | | Public facing website launched. FFT information published. Healthwatch members involved in the website design for quality pages | Working on re-design of nursing scorecard and development of an intranet page. (Planned launch in January) |
| Continue to undertake regular national and local audits & surveys relating to privacy, dignity and nutrition and see sustained performance ensuring the essential standards of quality and safety are consistently maintained | Ongoing with quarterly review | Chief Nurse and Director of Operations | Patient Experience Committee | | | Cleaning and environmental inspections in place. | Ensure areas of poor compliance are followed up. Review current system of adults seeking compliance with mixed sex accommodation guidance (broaden scope). |
| Integrate feedback with other relevant performance reports | Sep-13 | Chief Nurse and Director of Operations | Quality & Risk Committee | | | See above re: quality intelligence function | |
| Minimise mixed sex accommodation breaches | Mar-14 | Chief Nurse and Director of Operations | Patient Experience Committee | | | Zero MSA breaches have been reported for several months. Undertake RCA of any breaches to ensure reasons are understood. | Maintain position. Upload any breaches which are not clinically justified on unify. |
| Outcomes for 13/14 (composite measure RAG rated as per the Quality Improvement Strategy Implementation Plan): Increase the number of patients* who return real time feedback including FFT by 10% across the trust. (*who are able and willing). Achieve and maintain the initial 15% return rate for the Friends and Family test in 2013/14 and aim to increase in line with agreed national trajectories (to be agreed) until 2017: Increase the proportion of patients who would recommend us to a family member or friend (FFT) to 70% and sustain this, Respond to 80% of all complaints within 25 working days or less (100% with an agreed extension) | Mar-14 | Chief Nurse and Director of Operations | Patient Experience Committee | | | See above re progress report of quality improvement strategy | Progress report (Q2+3) to Quality and Risk Committee (Jan 2014) |
| QUALITY - Patient Outcomes | | | | | | | |
| Objective 4: Continue to achieve lower than expected SHMI | | | | | | | |

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| Carry out investigations and act on findings where mortality appears to be higher than expected as derived from monthly Dr Foster benchmarking | Ongoing with monthly review | Medical Director | Mortality monitoring group (MMG)/monthly | | | Investigations and actions are completed for mortality signals identified on Dr Foster and other sources. However, we have not been able to conduct routine benchmarking for Q1 because of data submission problems (some internal and some external), hence the amber rating. All deaths following elective admission independently reviewed. Review monthly summary of deaths by demographics, and deaths following surgery and in low-risk diagnostic groups (via Dr Foster). Also information team now presenting monthly data on 'Amenable Mortality' form the NHS Quality dashboard. | Work to understand local mortality monitoring processes trust-wide. Work to embed record of death form to improve documentation and allow another window into unexpected deaths in the trust. |
| Implement Adult Emergency Standards | Mar-14 | Divisional Chairs/Medical Director | Divisional Management Board - Surgery, Neurosciences, Theatres and Anaesthetics and Medicine . | | | Plans in place across all divisions to achieve compliance. Standards linked to maternity matters, plan in place and delivering. Childrens services as planned but requires data evidence work. Clitcal care still draft AES. All surgical standards currently being met except SAU. Business case being developed for delivery in 14/15. Consultant led daily ward rounds have been implemented. Business case for additional consultant establishment in 14/15. | SAU - business case to be presented to Trust Board |
| Implement use of clinical outcome measures in community services | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Community Services | Progress monitored monthly through DMB and at Service Improvement Board | | | Project on track with key objectives and timed deliverables. | To deliver objectives for this quarter outlined in the PID |
| Achieve patient outcome targets: SHMI <100, Reduce readmissions following a non-elective admission from 12/13 out-turn, Reduce readmissions following an elective admission from 12/13 out-turn | Mar-14 | Divisional Chairs | Monthly at finance review and performance review meetings. Medicine - readmissions reviewed via RCP4. | | | CIP Pad has been developed and is being implemented in relation to readmission. Catheter clinics are being set up to avoid admissions and directly access abscess lists from ED to DSU have been set up. Heart Failure business case approved. Heart failure Integrated care pathway underway. Ambulatory care admission avoidance clinics in place. | Implementation of PID milestones. Delivering against approved heart failure business case. Maintain provision of admission avoidance clinics. |
| Objective 5: Commence publication of consultant level quality data | | | | | | | |
| Comply with requirements of the Commissioning Board to provide greater transparency on outcomes by publishing activity, clinical quality measures and survival rates from national audits for every consultant practicing in 10 named specialties | Summer 13 | Medical Director | Clinical effectiveness + audit committee | | | No consultants withheld consent for publication. There are no mortality outliers in the first tranche of National Audit publications (n=7). We have had full responses from services where other issues have been identified (either for procedure numbers variance, or morbidity). Links to the data are available on the trust's internet site. | To ensure the St George's website has links to all data. To continue to drive ownership and quality of national audit data. To remain vigilant to developments in the transparency agenda so that we can prepare accordingly. |
| Objective 6: Delivery of clinical audit programme | | | | | | | |
| Participate in all mandatory national clinical audits and additional quality account audits that are judged to be appropriate | Ongoing with quarterly review | Chief Nurse and Director of Operations | Clinical Effectiveness & Audit Committee | | | Individual annual programme. NB not currently participating in National Diabetes Audit. | Continue to implement and report audit programme. |
| Set out a prioritised programme of clinical audit activity registered centrally with results and actions reported to the clinical audit teams for each division | Ongoing with quarterly review | Chief Nurse and Director of Operations/Divisional Chairs | Clinical Effectiveness & Audit Committee | | | Annual audit calendar pulled together (RAG - both amber). Successful a | CEAC will monitor delivery Local M&M meetings to feed into central system |
| Increase the number of staff trained in clinical audit and the number of clinical audit projects conducted | Mar-14 | Chief Nurse and Director of Operations | Clinical Effectiveness & Audit Committee | | | Training programme in place for 13/14 | Deliver programme and monitor attendance |
| FINANCE AND OPERATIONS - Meet all financial targets | | | | | | | |
| Objective 7: Maintain FRR of 3 | | | | | | | |
| No more than 5% adverse variance on 2013/14 Challenge programme | Mar-14 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics | Daily CIP movement tracker, fortnightly monitoring through FD mtgs with Divisions, Monthly reporting to FP&I Cttee and Board | | | 2.3% behind target at month 8. Forecast remains for a slight over delivery of £0.1m but risks in number of high value projects towards back end of financial year. Recovery plans in place for MedCard, SNT and Womens services to mitigate unidentified and slipped savings plans at divisional level | Continued monitoring and progress chasing through PMO and CIP governance |
| Complete Challenge Programme for 2014/15 | Apr-13 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics | as above plus improvement prog steering group and Board monthly | | | 2014/15 and 2015/16 CIP programmes submitted to TDA on 20/12 | Ongoing review through PMO and CIP governance processes including fortnightly reporting to EMT |
| First cut programme for 2015/16 | Sep-13 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics | as above plus improvement prog steering group and Board monthly | | | 2014/15 and 2015/16 CIP programmes submitted to TDA on 20/12 | Ongoing review through PMO and CIP governance processes including fortnightly reporting to EMT |
| Meet financial targets: FRR >= 3, No adverse variance from monthly financial target, Stay within external financing limit (RAG). Underlying EBITDA score >= 3, EBITDA achieved as % of plan >= 4, Achievement of planned EBITDA (RAG), Financial efficiency score >=3, I&E surplus margin score >= 3, Liquidity ratio score >= 3 | Mar-14 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics | monthly through FP&I, Board and TDA | | | £13k favourable to plan at month 4. FOT on target at £6.69m | Monthly detailed review of forecast outturns (best, medium and worst case) to continue. Ongoing monitoring of recovery plans for SNT and MedCard and Womens services. Tight monitoring and control of winter plan expenditure and impact on performance in place |
| FINANCE AND OPERATIONS - Meet all operational and performance requirements | | | | | | | |
| Objective 8: Meet all operational and performance requirements | | | | | | | |
| Deliver against activity and capacity plan: Beds additional 33 beds for winter plus address year round shortfall, Theatres utilisation 78%, ICU - additional 6 beds, Outpatients, Diagnostics, Specialty specific length of stay targets | Mar-14 | Div Chairs | EMT fortnightly | | | winter capacity based on bed modelling completed P programme of work developed to avoid admission, increase AAA, close working with Social Work representative, LoS work. Seeking off site capacity. ECIST visit including Vince Connelly visit to present models of seven day working November 2013. Other actions include: LOS target in place, LOS monitored, participating in RCP4. Critical car beds delayed until Jan 2014 due to co-dependency with cardiac beds. Sofia: Increased utilisation to 80.7% in pt and 74.2% DSU. Project plans on track to increase bed capacity | To continue all projects which support LOS reduction including from ECIST visit. Develop a mitigation plan for any clinical/ financial impact. Case mix review being undertaken to increase utilisation. Centralisation of PPC to improve scheduling and case mix. DSU utilisation lead has been appointed to improve utilisation. |

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| Deliver against performance targets A&E - Type 1 A&E 4 hours >95%, Cancer - 2 week GP referral to 1st outpatient, 31 day diagnosis to treatment for all cancers, 62 day urgent referral to treatment of all cancers. 18 weeks: RTT monthly admitted >=90%, RTT monthly non-admitted >=95%, RTT monthly non-admitted (community) >=95%, Zero waits over 52 weeks. Cancelled operations: 5% Operations cancelled at last minute (on day of surgery or admission) for non-clinical reasons, 28 day guarantee for rebooking. Contractual performance targets for 13/14 (still to be agreed). Implement and deliver CQUINs and KPIs when agreed with commissioners | Mar-14 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics/Divisional Chairs | monthly through FP&I, Board and TDA | | | ED performance to end Q3 at 94.2% below the standard of 95%. Comprehensive set of actions agreed with Urgent Care Working Group and commissioners. Trajectory and winter plan signed off by TDA and NHSE Cancer 62 day target at 83.8% ytd vs standard of 85%. Remedial action plan agreed, cancer strategy being updated | Sign off revised cancer strategy and implement remedial action plans to ensure target is met sustainably |
| REGULATION & COMPLIANCE: Maintain compliance with all statutory and regulatory requirements | | | | | | | |
| Objective 9: Meet all statutory and regulatory requirements | | | | | | | |
| Achieve Foundation Trust status | Apr-14 | Director of Corporate Affairs | FT Programme Board | | | Planned authorisation date being reviewed in discussion with TDA, following changes in the CQC inspection regime and the TDA approval process. Dates now agreed for TDA board to board and approval, subject to outcome of CQC inspection. | |
| Recruit 11,000 public Foundation Trust members | Jul-13 | Director of Corporate Affairs | FT Programme Board | | | Target number achieved July 2013 | |
| Meet Equality Delivery System objectives | Mar-14 | Director of Corporate Affairs | Equality and HR Committee | | | Progress being made in all objectives. Risk in achieving objective to develop systems (e.g. Datix) to allow characteristics to be captured | Continue to work with IT to develop Datix capability. Annual report of progress to Board March 2014 |
| Fully utilise HealthAssure | Mar-14 | Director of Corporate Affairs | | | | Ongoing work with divisions to revise the trust compliance framework and the use of HealthAssure | Complete review and agree revised framework |
| Deliver against assurance map | Mar-14 | Director of Corporate Affairs | | | | Ongoing work with divisions to revise the trust compliance framework and the use of HealthAssure | Complete review and agree revised framework |
| Achieve general CNST Level 3 | Sep-13 | Director of Corporate Affairs | | | | NHSLA risk management standards are being dropped by the NHSLA therefore objective no longer relevant. New guidance not yet published. | No further action required |
| STRATEGY, TRANSFORMATION & DEVELOPMENT - Redesign care pathways to keep more people out of hospital | | | | | | | |
| Objective 10: Develop health promotion and self care services | | | | | | | |
| Ensure that integration programmes have substantial prevention and self care focus | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair - CSW | Monitored monthly at DMB | | | Process in place to ensure that all proposed integration plans include appropriate levels of health promotion, prevention and self care. | To maintain current process to ensure ongoing scrutiny |
| Objective 11: Use technology to deliver more care at home | | | | | | | |
| Telehealth expansion in heart failure and COPD | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Community Services/Divisional Chair Medicine & Cardiovascular | Monitored at service level monthly and exception reporting to DMB. Quarterly meetings with Wandsworth CRG to develop service and report on progress. | | | Identified patients provided with telehealth monitoring | To continue to actively identify patients who would benefit from Telehealth |
| Objective 12: Improve the experience and outcomes for older people through integrating services | | | | | | | |
| Implement 2013/14 winter plan | Oct-13 | Divisional Chair Medicine & Cardiovascular/Divisional Chair Community Services | Progress discussed monthly at CS DMB. Also discussed at medicine DMB and Medical Directorate meeting monthly. | | | Full participation in development of surge plan . Assessment of capacity undertaken for services that contribute to early supported discharge and admission avoidance. Bids put forward to 70% NETA funding. Winter ward opened October 13. Additional winter funding bid for. Schemes being implemented. | NETA bid successful. Plans underway to recruit. Further winter bid funding to be submitted. |
| Respond to commissioner procurement of Wandsworth Planning All Care Together (PACT) services | Mar-14 | Chief Nurse and Director of Operations | EMT | | | Limited progress. This is a CCG led project and has now changed. | Review this objective and re-assign as appropriate. |
| Complete improvement programme on falls and bone health | Mar-14 | /Divisional Chair Community Services | Progress discussed monthly at CS DMB. Quarterly falls integration service meeting for progress review and reporting. | | | PID developed | To deliver key objectives outlined within the PID |
| Complete reviews for Senior Health and HMPW and implement agreed clinical strategies, models of care and any service developments/ financial reviews identified | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Community Services | Progress discussed monthly at CS DMB | | | PID developed for Senior Health Improvement work | To deliver key objectives outlined within the PID |
| Objective 13: Improve the experience and outcomes for those with long-term conditions through integrating services | | | | | | | |
| Implementation of community based integrated diabetes service in Wandsworth | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Medicine & Cardiovascular/Divisional Chair Community Services | Governed by DMB for each Division with feedback on progress from Programme Lead, managed in CIP - Service Improvement forum. Bi-weekly internal update meetings. | | | Pilot clinics have commenced, begin in August . . Pilot of Tier 3 clinic now underway, model agreed, pilot commenced at St John's therapy centre . Financial model to be drafted for future DMB | To deliver key objectives outlined within the PID. Two additional sites to be developed. Internal management arrangements and commissioning model to be agreed. |
| Complete integration of reproductive and sexual health services in Wandsworth | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Community Services | | | | Service Head appointed and joint working commenced | Service improvement project to develop new management structure, review of Clinical workplans and rationalisation of sites |
| Next phase of neuro-rehabilitation integration, transfer of Wolfson services to QMR | Feb-14 | Divisional Chair Surgery & Neurosciences | Progress discussed monthly at CS DMB | | | Meetings established and CS representation agreed. Meeting also held to identify service transfer requirements for Community neuro team and ESD for stroke service. Awaiting confirmation from Estates that move can go ahead as planned for July 2014. | To participate in project steering group re: shell space redesign. To work with neurosciences to continue to transfer community neuro rehab team and ESD for stroke by 1 April 2014. |
| Develop community ward model with emphasis on measuring impact | Oct-13 | Divisional Chair Community Services | Progress discussed monthly at CS DMB | | | Have worked with WCCG to redesign the current service specification. KPIs which measure impact have been identified and are reported on monthly to WCCG. | To continue to provide KPIs and service information. |

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| Complete work on integrated care pathway of haemoglobinopathy services | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Medicine & Cardiovascular/Divisional Chair Community Services | Project group established through Service Improvement. Meets quarterly. | | | Project currently underway to integrate adult community and acute nursing teams (bring in to acute) | To deliver key objectives outlined within the PID. |
| Work with Merton council and CCG on integrated service plans | Sep-13 | Director Strategic Development/Divisional Chair Community Services | Progress discussed monthly at CS DMB | | | This programme is being lead by Merton Council and Merton CCG. It is progressing slowly, and the appointment of a project manager was delayed because of difficulties in scheduling interviews. The first stage is the implementation of a reactive community prevention of admissions team, due to commence in October and then followed by proactive management of people with multiple co-morbidities identified through risk stratification. It is likely that implementation will be behind schedule. Initial conversations have been held in relation to 72 hour settling home service and intravenous antibiotic pathway | As this is commissioner and social care led, we need to continue to work with members of the project board on our components of implementation. To pursue discussions and commence proposals service modelling |
| Objective 14: Improve the experience and outcomes for children through integrating services | | | | | | | |
| Develop new leadership and structure for Children and Families Service | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Community Services | EMT | | | The care pathways for children are being written and clarified. I am attending the children's directorate meeting next week to present our vision for the future delivery of care to our vulnerable children in the community. | The plan for the future is to clarify the models of care and present to the EMT in October/November. The definitive outcome will be presented to EMT in January 2014. |
| Complete review of community paediatric provision with CCG | Sep-13 | Divisional Chair CWDTC | Steering group established Sept 2013 | | | refreshed plan agreed with EMT is completion date Jan 2014 | |
| STRATEGY, TRANSFORMATION & DEVELOPMENT - Redesign and reconfigure our local hospital services to provide higher quality care | | | | | | | |
| Objective 15: Enhance services and facilities for the care of children | | | | | | | |
| Full Business case for Children's Hospital (phase 1) completed | Jun-13 | Divisional Chair CWDTC | Divisional Management Board | | | Full business case to Trust Board in March, deferred from January 2014 due to need to rework designs | Complete business case |
| Open PAU 24/7 | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Medicine & Cardiovascular | Completed | | | PAU fully opened 24/7. | Completed. |
| Establish network partnerships with paediatric services in SW London | Oct-13 | Divisional Chair CWDTC | Divisional Management Board | | | clinicians engaged in BSBV process moving towards a CWG process | |
| Objective 16: Enhance our maternity services | | | | | | | |
| Outline Business case for Women's Hospital (phase 2) subject of Board focus | Apr-14 | Divisional Chair CWDTC | | | | starting development of OBC to meet April 2014 deadline | |
| Implement new maternity pathway arrangements | Start March 13 | Divisional Chair CWDTC | Divisional Boards | | | In place | |
| Implement SW London maternity network | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair CWDTC | Divisional Boards | | | In place with Director of Midwifery as Co-chair and member of national maternity review | |
| Objective 17: Provide more ambulatory care in a community setting or at home | | | | | | | |
| Capitalise on opportunities for AQP services | Start March 13 | Divisional Chair Community Services/Divisional Chair CWDTC | Divisional Boards | | | Chief Therapist for the trust is undertaking planning for AQP initially in CWDTC and will link this with community services AQP income above target particularly in Podiatry. Currently little interest in new GP referrals into audiology and physiotherapy. | |
| Developing at chemotherapy at home service | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Medicine & Cardiovascular | Steering group setup Oct 13, which includes Pharmacy | | | Proposal in development, drugs identified lead clinician identified to take this forward. | Model and costing to be drafted |
| Develop and expand services at Queen Mary's Hospital | Sep-13 | Divisional Chair Community Services | | | | Inpatient and outpatient activity continues to rise. Meeting arranged with S&M to develop opportunity to expand RDP's. QMH dermatology service transferring from C&W to SGH. Wolfson Project progressing | Develop opportunity for expanding RDP's to S&M GP's |
| Objective 18: Improve care at the end of life | | | | | | | |
| Review co-ordination and co-operation with other health and social care services within South West London to ensure a high quality integrated service is available | Oct-13 | Divisional Chair Medicine & Cardiovascular | Monitored through RCP4 steering group. Monitoring to pass to Medicine directorate on a monthly basis. | | | Work undertaken as part of RCP4. Improved collaboration with health and social care established in Wandsworth. | Further work to be undertaken with Lambeth and Merton. |
| Objective 19: Redesign models of care for people with urgent and emergency health needs | | | | | | | |
| Open Surgical Assessment Unit subject to business case and phasing of capital plan | 2014 | Divisional Chair Surgery & Neurosciences | Monthly at GM 1:1 | | | BC is nearing completion but currently makes a significant loss. More work being done around tariff assumptions and bedday savings. | |
| Design out of hospital arrest pathway | Sep-13 | Divisional Chair CWDTC | | | | audit and findings have been raised with commissioners, additional resources for these patients are in place- for the next commissioning round and discussion at EMT/ CQRM | |
| Objective 20: Redesign the pathway for patients needing planned surgery | | | | | | | |
| Surgical admissions lounge (SAL) relocation and redesign | Sep-13 | Divisional Chair Surgery & Neurosciences | bi-weekly and Divisional Service Improvement Board. Weekly and SM meetings | | | Completed and opened. | |
| Development of community ward for surgical patient support | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Community Services | AS appropriate at fortnightly CS strategy meeting | | | Initial discussions held with colleagues in surgery to identify appropriate patient pathways | To scope the level of patient activity and describe an appropriate clinical pathway |
| STRATEGY, TRANSFORMATION & DEVELOPMENT - Consolidate and expand our key specialist services | | | | | | | |
| Objective 21: Develop our key specialist children's services | | | | | | | |
| Approve the OBC and FBC for Children's Hospital (Phase1) – see above | Jun-13 | Divisional Chair CWDTC/Director of Estates & Facilities | | | | OBC approved- FBC in development and for submission in Jan 2014 to trust board | |
| Increase market share for paediatric surgery in Wandsworth and Lambeth by 2% | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair CWDTC | Monthly through SLAM vs SLA | | | At M04 for all paediatric surgery the current activity against target for Lambeth is 189% equal to an additional 15 cases above target YTD. Wandsworth is an 125% an additional 22 cases YTD | Continue to market and promote services across the neighbouring boroughs |
| Implement South London tertiary paediatric network | Dec-13 | Divisional Chair CWDTC | | | | The london strategic network has been relaunched to include the total pathway review. The division is fully involved in the refreshed process and any potential impact | |
| Objective 22: Expand our cardiovascular and neuroscience services | | | | | | | |

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| Start work on hybrid theatre subject to business case and phasing of capital plan | Mar-14 | Director of Estates & Facilities | Capital Programme Group | | | Funding for Hybrid Theatre slipped to 2014/15, therefore scheme will not complete until March 2015 | CPG to review 2013/14 capital expenditure. If, due to natural slippage funding is available for 2013/14 works may begin in January 2014 and complete in December 2014. |
| Agree plan for medium to long term expansion of neuroscience capacity | Sep-13 | Divisional Chair Surgery & Neurosciences | Monthly GM 1:1 | | | BC nearly completed, still awaiting estates and PFI costs to move neurorehabilitation which will create capacity for neurosurgery growth | |
| Increase market share for cardiology referrals in our local market by 1% | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Medicine & Cardiovascular | Monitored through cardiology care group and cardiovascular directorate | | | Lead clinical staff to meet GPs in a targeted way identified, practice nurse from GP surgeries to visit the service in November. Marketing plan to be developed further. Capacity to be brought on line to support anticipated growth from January 2014. | Dates to meet with targeted GP practices to be scheduled for Q4. Capacity available January 2014. |
| Objective 23: Further develop our role as a major trauma centre | | | | | | | |
| Open Helipad subject to planning permission and commissioner agreement | Dec-13 | Divisional Chair Surgery & Neurosciences/Director of Estates & Facilities | Capital Programme Group | | | Project delayed to re-design to accommodate a 25 x 25 pad. / Recruitment for the helipad porters has started aiming for a start date of November with one months training. On plan to open March 2014 | |
| Approve plans for the long term expansion of adult critical care | Sep-13 | Divisional Chair CWDTC | | | | Plans approved for short term expansion. Long term OBC due to trust Board in December 2013 | |
| Objective 24: Plan for the future of renal services in south West London | | | | | | | |
| Agree with commissioners five year strategy including plans for relocation of renal services | was not on the original document | Divisional Chair Medicine & Cardiovascular | A programme board and steering group are being set up to start meeting in Dec 13. | | | Programme board and steering group established to confirm a clear action plan with timescales. | Action plan with timescales to be agreed. |
| Objective 25: Promote our reputation as a leading centre for cancer services | | | | | | | |
| Achieve cancer survey action plan | As per plan milestones | Divisional Chair Surgery & Neurosciences | Monthly at cancer directorate meeting and updates at DMB | | | Action plan being devised | |
| Relocation of HOOP | Summer 13 | Director of Estates & Facilities | Capital Programme Group | | | Project completed. Relocated to HOOP in October 2013. | Completed. |
| Develop plan to consolidate locations of haematology and oncology services | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Medicine & Cardiovascular | To be presented to, and subsequently monitored at DMB. | | | Relocation to HOOP is complete as of October 2013. Plans for expansion are being drafted for presentation to DMB. | Plan to be completed in preparation for presentation to DMB. |
| Objective 26: Develop our reputation as a centre for specialist surgery | | | | | | | |
| Develop implementation plan for SWL urology "hub & spoke" model | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Surgery & Neurosciences | | | | | |
| Produce a business case for the expansion of the cochlear implant service | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair Surgery & Neurosciences | | | | | |
| Implement agreed business case for robot upgrade (possible expansion – head and neck) | Apr-13 | Divisional Chair Surgery & Neurosciences | | | | Complete | |
| STRATEGY, TRANSFORMATION & DEVELOPMENT - Provide excellent and innovative education to improve patient safety, experience and outcomes | | | | | | | |
| Objective 27: Ensure development of a competent, caring and capable workforce | | | | | | | |
| Ensure that 85% of staff have MAST training in the preceding 12 months | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce and Education Committee | | | Details of current performance in the workforce report. Level of safeguarding training is on the BAF as a risk. | Implementation of new training system |
| Develop an annual training plan based on the needs of the Divisions and Corporate Departments | Jul-13 | Director of HR & OD | Education Board | | | OD plan for divisions being developed and to be presented to EMT 27-Jan-14 | |
| Increase in the number of staff trained as mentors | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Nursing Board | | | This item relates to Nurse Mentors. 150 places have been commissioned this year for nurse mentorship training. | |
| Ensure that 75% of all clinical and educational supervisors are accredited to GMC standards | Mar-14 | Medical Director | Annually through Trainer return | | | 37% have completed all seven domains | Further training to be delivered over winter, 82% have met some but not all of the domains, this is new requirement which has to be delivered by 2016. Training packages being delivered. Reaudit in March 2014 |
| Objective 28: Be a national leader in multiprofessional training | | | | | | | |
| Publish a comprehensive directory of multiprofessional training opportunities | Oct-13 | Director of HR & OD | Education Board | | | This is available on the intranet. | |
| Develop and implement multiprofessional case based learning in partnership with SGUL | Jul-13 | Director of HR & OD | Education Board | | | The pilot for case based learning in the clinical setting was implemented as planned in July 2013. Although successful on small scale further discussion is needed to consider the wider application. | Steering group to consider wider application |
| Objective 29: Be a field leader in patient safety training | | | | | | | |
| Develop and implement a comprehensive patient safety training programme for the trust | Jul-13 | Director of HR and OD | Education Board | | | All staff involved in patient safety training are working on the development of a portfolio of training. | |
| Develop e-learning patient safety packages with SGUL | Mar-14 | Medical Director | Education Board | | | This development work will begin once the new on-line MAST system is established. | Meet with SGUL e-learning team January 2014 |
| Objective 30: Play a leading role in Health Education south London | | | | | | | |
| Active participation and influence in the working of HESL to meet the educational needs of St George's | Mar-14 | Chief Executive/Director of HR & OD | Education Board | | | CE member of the board. HRD a member of the membership council. | |
| Develop lead provider model with KHP for medical and dental postgraduate education | Mar-14 | Medical Director | Trust Board | | | MDU signed but awaiting implementation | Discussions with KHP to look at a shared services model for South London ongoing |
| Objective 31: Ensure the development of high quality learning environments | | | | | | | |

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| Staff feel supported to undertake appropriate training to meet their needs | Mar-14 | Divisional Chairs | monthly education meetings (WP/ICG), IPRs, PDPs, update at monthly DMB | | | Divisional training lead (WP, pharmacist) liaises with Trust education lead and with care groups, publicises available in-house and appropriate external training opportunities CSW: All staff undertake MAST over 85% compliant and encouraged to undertake clinical and professional updates as required. Training plan for all clinical staff in division updated on a yearly basis. Other training also identified during staff appraisals. Surgery: Annual training needs analysis completed focusing on key priorities | MedCard: Implementation of leadership program for care group leads. Surgery: Develop leadership program for Care Group Leads |
| Implement GMC survey action plans in each area that underperformed on the survey | Oct-13 | Divisional Chairs | Post graduate Medical Education Committee Quarterly | | | Refreshed action plans to be presented to EMT and Divisions. Clinical radiology: Clinical governance issue identified via GMC medical trainee survey in Clinical Radiology - addressing OOH portering issues. | Needs engagement at Divisional Level and implementation |
| Implement actions plans following other educational regulatory visits as they occur | Mar-14 | Divisional Chairs/Director of HR and OD | Education Board | | | As regulatory visits occur plans are drawn up for implementation. | |
| Objective 32: Implement new training pathways | | | | | | | |
| Identify training requirements to support successful implementation of new care pathways | Jul-13 | Divisional Chairs | support all staff groups in accessing relevant | | | Staff encouraged to engage in service improvement training (CWDTC division has trained the largest number of individuals across the 4 divisions); this continues with bespoke training sessions developed with GE. | |
| Develop and implement training to support the new care pathways identified above | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Education Board | | | Further discussion needs to take place about the system for identifying the training requirements of new care pathways. | Head of training and development to discuss a way forward with the service improvement team. |
| Participate in HESL pilot for community based training | Mar-14 | Medical Director | education board | | | joint bid with merton community services, SGUL and FHSCE | project development is in progress |
| STRATEGY, TRANSFORMATION & DEVELOPMENT - Drive research and innovation through our clinical services | | | | | | | |
| Objective 33: Develop a culture that places research at the core | | | | | | | |
| Set Division specific research KPIs | Oct-13 | Medical Director/Divisional Chairs | Quarterly reporting - Research Board. Divisional Structures when established | | | Awaiting CLRN strategy meeting before distributing to divisions. Strategy meeting in October was cancelled and expect to have end of November. 1st meeting of the Research Board has been arranged for December 2013 | Further work required to recognise performance in support services within the division. Bi-annual strategy meetings to link with CLRN strategy meetings Working with research Board to ensure key membership and agree ToR |
| Appoint NHS Research Performance manager | Oct-13 | Medical Director | n/a | | | JD in draft discussing with trust HR | Recruitment process |
| Objective 34: Maximise the benefits of our partnership with St George's, University of London | | | | | | | |
| Agree clear plan for the future management of the Clinical Research Facility | Oct-13 | Medical Director | JCRC | | | Current plans for structural changes in SGUL (Research Institutes) has taken priority Sign up by senior leadership at EMT and PAG. Developing plan for review and have identified suitable capacity to undertake this | Undertake review |
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| Objective 35: Partner with an Academic Health Science Centre (AHSC) at the heart of a vibrant Academic Health Science Network (AHSN) | | | | | | | |
| Launch strategic alliance with KHP | May-13 | Director Strategic Development | Joint SGH/SGUL executive monthly | | | Launch took place on 17.07.13 | Completed |
| Deliver on joint work plan with KHP | Mar-14 | Director Strategic Development | Joint SGH/SGUL executive monthly | | | Work plan being finalised but rather slowly - will include delivery of the programmes of the successful CLAHRC bid | Final work plan still being developed. KL appointed to CLAHRC executive. Still need to agree deployment of SGH/SGUL contribution |
| To play an active role in the development of the South London AHSN | Mar-14 | Director Strategic Development | Joint SGH/SGUL executive monthly | | | SGH/SGUL membership of AHSN/HESL Council | |
| Objective 36: Increase the success of research funding from grant giving bodies | | | | | | | |
| Submit successful joint bid for CLAHRC | May-13 | Medical Director/Director of Strategic Development | Joint SGH/SGUL executive monthly | | | Successful bid submitted, and funding awarded | Completed |
| Increase recruitment into NIHR studies over 13/14 year | Oct-13 | Medical Director | Joint Clinical Research Committee (quarterly) , Divisional boards | | | On track to achieve target for 2013/14 | |
| Objective 37: Become a preferred partner with industry for pharmaceutical research and medical innovation | | | | | | | |
| Achieve an increase in departments undertaking commercial research | Mar-14 | Medical Director | Joint Clinical Research Committee (quarterly) - Divisional Structures when established | | | Increase in no of Commercial studies open in last QTR. Pooled accounts for investigators is happening | Roll out to all Investigators who want pooled accounts; providing standard guidance for how to manage them. Transfer of staff income into care groups to cover costs (not currently happening universally) |
| Increase commercial trial income as measured by the Trust overhead figure | Mar-14 | Medical Director | Joint Clinical Research Committee (quarterly) - Divisional Structures when established | | | Over 100 closed accounts have been reviewed -and approximately 80 are being reviewed currently - steady progress. Once this exercise complete we can review with FD for guidance on moving large amounts of funds. | Completing review of 80 closed studies and 120 open. Expect to be on track to have figures 01/04/2014 |
| Objective 38: Develop a robust infrastructure to support research | | | | | | | |
| Complete recruitment into Joint Research and Enterprise Office | May-13 | Medical Director | Research Governance Committee (Quarterly). MHRA Operational Group (monthly | | | Complete - but general vacancies arising as and when | |

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| Improve performance against the National Institute of Health Research benchmarks: Increase the number of trials that meet the 70 day benchmark for time from research application to first patient recruitment. Increase the number of commercial trials that recruit the target number of patients in the agreed timescale | Mar-14 | Medical Director | Joint Clinical Research Committee (quarterly) - Divisional Structures when established | | | Increase in the number of trials meeting the 70 day target from 12.8% to 24.5% in one quarter - and moving from the bottom quartile to the third quartile Reduction in the number of commercial trials meeting target from 48% to 35.9% - this is due to better data collection for the Q1 report - and this picture should stabilise. We remain in the top 50% of performers | Amber rating reflects the newness of this report (only four submissions and two comparative reports); data quality and cleansing is still in process and therefore, remains a risk. Data quality has been improved, but data collection needs to be streamline Implementation of Divisional Scorecards Feasibility with new studies has been occurring - but will take sometime before this can be evidenced (when studies finally close to recruitment) |
| Implement action plan following MHRA review | Mar-14 | Medical Director | Research Governance Committee (Quarterly). MHRA Operational Group (monthly) | | | Complete | Embedding practice change within teams Audit programme of all studies (sponsored and hosted) will commence November |
| STRATEGY, TRANSFORMATION & DEVELOPMENT - Improve productivity, the environment and systems to enable excellent care | | | | | | | |
| Objective 39: Enhance clinical, operational and financial performance through a robust improvement programme. | | | | | | | |
| Deliver against the 2013/14 goals of the Improvement Programme | Mar-14 | Chief Nurse and Director of Operations/Divisional Chairs | Improvement Programme Board | | | Year two programme plan and structure agreed. | Revise reporting and Governance structure. Begin to implement plan |
| A robust Improvement Programme agreed for 2014/15 | May-13 | Chief Nurse and Director of Operations/Divisional Chairs | Improvement Programme Board | | | Year two plan agreed. | As above |
| Objective 40: Maximise the potential of IT | | | | | | | |
| Implementation of RiO for Older People and PLD services including activity and KPI reporting | Jul-13 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics | RiO Programme Board (now closed) | | | This project was completed in May 2013. Older People and PLD services now operated from RiO - which is used as the source of KPI reporting | Complete |
| Complete implementation of Order Comms | Jul-13 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics | Order Communication Project Board (monthly and Clinical Systems Programme Board (bi-monthly) | | | Order communications roll-out programme completed in May 2013 Formal closure to Clinical Systems Programme Board | Complete |
| Implementation of Electronic document management | Mar-14 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics | EDM Programme Board (monthly) and Clinical Systems Programme Board (bi-monthly) | | | Radio Frequency Identification infrastructure; commissioned. New case note tracking implemented; In house scanning service commissioned. | Paediatrics go live with electronic casenotes in outpatient clinics Monitoring of casenote tracking compliance |
| Renewal of IT infrastructure | Oct-13 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics | Infrastructure Project Board (monthly) and Clinical Systems Programme Board (bi-monthly) | | | New wireless network commissioned in Lanesborough. Upgrade of Lanesborough wired network commissioned. Virtual Desktop deployed into clinical areas in St.James and Lanesborough | completion of VDI rollout to all clinical areas in St.James and Lanesborough wings Installation and commissioning of new wireless network in Atkinson Morley Wing |
| Implementation of new data warehouse and business intelligence software | Oct-13 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics | Data Warehouse Project Board (monthly) and Clinical Systems Programme Board (bi-monthly) | | | New data warehouse phase 3 developed and in user acceptance testing (UAT). Old data warehouse decommissioned First Tableau (dashboard) data visualisations are live (Average Length of Stay and A&E performance). Upgrade to Tableau enterprise installed and in test | Complete testing of and commissioning of phase 3. Develop and launch series of Tableau data visualisations for managers and clinicians Complete roll-out of the new Tableau-based Trust & Divisional performance scorecard. |
| Commence implementation of e-prescribing and clinical documentation | Dec-13 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics | Meds Management and Clinical Documentation Programme Boards (monthly) and Clinical Systems Programme Board (bi-monthly) | | | Configuration and build activity is complete, but electronic prescribing and drugs catalogue not available in time to do full testing prior to planned go-live in cardiology in November - this has been rescheduled for February 2014 | Completion of testing; commissioning of 24/7 back up; establishment of deployment support team |
| Objective 41: Improve our buildings and the environment. | | | | | | | |
| Complete >=85% planned preventative maintenance | Mar-14 | Director of Estates & Facilities | Organisational Risk Committee | | | Working towards target however some delays due to CQC and project works | Improve levels of PPM and ensure that previous months are actioned |
| Complete estates elements of 2013/14 capital plan | Mar-14 | Director of Estates & Facilities | Capital Programme Group | | | Monthly review of the programme at CPG | Agree and action the plan to meet critical dates |
| Complete and optimise Community estates transfer | Apr-13 | Director of Estates & Facilities | Capital Programme Group | | | 5 Properties successfully transferred in April 2013 | Properties due to have space audit conducted in October 2013 |
| Achieve required progress against energy plan | Mar-14 | Director of Estates & Facilities | IT Environmental and Sustainability Committee | | | Provided appointed for the redevelopment of the Energy Centre and initial survey in place | Complete survey and enter into next stage of the Energy Performance Contract. |
| Objective 42: Make our systems and processes more customer focused. | | | | | | | |
| Deliver the GP engagement plans in the marketing plan | Mar-14 | Director of Strategic development | Commercial Board quarterly | | | Delivering according to GP engagement programme in the 2013/14 marketing plan | Continue with Bridging the Gap, development of consultant relationship managers, Spellbound programme and roll out of Kinesis programme |
| Creation of a single access point call centre for the booking, rescheduling and confirmation of new and follow up Outpatient appointments (merging the two current call centres in response to patient feedback) | Sep-13 | Divisional Chair CWDTC | | | | will be complete once relocation of coding team completed in November | |
| Improve clinical data & information capture and documentation | Mar-14 | Divisional Chairs | Monthly DGB | | | Many stand-alone data bases currently; working with EDM board to improve these elements; piloting in paediatrics (HMC; FA and VT on board). Data and information access remains an area of risk for the division Work still to be done around documentation. Notes audits being carried out including spot checks and consultant led WR implemented. | Continue to audit and target areas of concern. |
| Objective 43: Work with partners to develop the SW London pathology service. | | | | | | | |
| Implementation of South West London Pathology Service | Apr-14 | Divisional Chair CWDTC | | | | business case due to trust board in September 2013 | |
| Alliance with Kingston – pharmacy and radiology | Mar-14 | Divisional Chair CWDTC | | | | stage 1 implemented with update report to SAP on 18th Sept | |
| Objective 44: Develop a private patients facility. | | | | | | | |

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| Meet private patients income target | Mar-14 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics | FP&I cttee monthly, commercial board | | | private patient income targets increased significantly in budget setting but performance off track as a result of emergency pressures and other capacity constraints | review proposal to establish new PP website at commercial board. Agree a plan to recover pp income including investment in marketing resources |
| Increase private patients work at QMH | Mar-14 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics/Divisional Chair Community Services | FP&I cttee monthly, commercial board | | | QMH capacity and website agreed and in place | monitor implementation of new service |
| Identify partner for the development of a private patient facility on the Tooting site | Sep-13 | Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics/Director of Estates & Facilities | commercial board. Private patients steering group monthly | | | bidder dialogue sessions continue to progress well. Timetable for best and final offers from bidders reviewed and extended. Final offers expected January. OBC approved at FP&I cttee. | Receive and score final offers, OBC to be signed off by TDA. Prepare final contracts and FBC for Board and TDA approval |
| WORKFORCE - Develop a highly skilled and engaged workforce championing our values | | | | | | | |
| Objective 45: Maximise the well-being of our staff and their levels of contribution and engagement | | | | | | | |
| Implement the Listening in Action Programme | Dec-13 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce Committee/bi-monthly | | | A timetable for "conversations" has been agreed with the relevant service areas. | The 10 teams holding conversations will develop action plans. The next 20 teams will be recruited to take part in the programme. The Enabling our People project will be used to facilitate embedding the Trust values. |
| Directorates to manage sickness absence to the trust target of <3.0% | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Trust Board/monthly | | | Sickness Absence policy has been revised and will be re-launched to managers. Managers continue to receive reports of where absence levels may be unacceptable | The actions in the status report are on-going. |
| Develop and implement a 'well being' strategy in order to reduce sickness absence and to enhance a sense of personal responsibility and engagement amongst staff | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce Committee/bi-monthly | | | The implementation plan has been agreed. | The Wellbeing Strategy will be publicised in the organisation. |
| Continue to develop strategies to reduce bullying measured by an improvement from current position of worst 20% as measured in staff attitude survey 2012 | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce Committee/bi-monthly | | | A report to the Workforce Committee was reviewed in September. | Case of harassment and bullying continue to be monitored. |
| Objective 46: Strengthen the leadership and line management including the quality of appraisal | | | | | | | |
| Ensure all line managers are fully trained to tackle workforce and employee relation matters | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce Committee/bi-monthly | | | Bespoke training is planned to take place in the divisions | The training will be on-going throughout the year. |
| Meet 85% appraisal target (to be maintained for a further six months and then reviewed) | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce and Education Committee | | | Compliance rates for August 2013: non-medical 80.40%; medical 80.24% | Monthly on-going monitoring and action plans |
| Implement adoption of leadership framework within division/directorate/care group | Sep-13 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce and Education Committee | | | The leadership Framework has been introduced to each of the Clinical Divisions for cascade through their teams. | Progress update to EMT September 2013 for decision on future actions |
| Strengthen clinical leadership through adoption of leadership framework | Sep-13 | Director of HR & OD/Divisional Chairs | Workforce and Education Committee, Monthly CD and DDNG meetings | | | Leadership framework is incorporated into divisional workforce plans. Developed a local leadership induction prog. All Band 7 nurses have gone through corporate leadership prog | Develop leadership program for Care Group Leads. |
| Objective 47: Develop a robust workforce plan to support delivery of the Trust strategy | | | | | | | |
| Implement new roles in response to the changing role of junior doctors as part of training plan and as required | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | | | | No new role development currently identified by Clinical Divisions. Development of PA role underway within trust to recruit and retain | Development of PA teaching programme and proposal for career development |
| Achieve a variance of no greater than 3.25% either way for workforce utilisation against plan | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Trust Board/monthly | | | Where possible vacant posts are recruited to and agency usage is reduced. | The rollout of BankStaff will continue in line with the agreed timetable to monitor bank and agency usage |
| Objective 48: Improve the efficiency and productivity of the workforce | | | | | | | |
| Reduce agency expenditure across the trust and put in place methods of planning workforce need | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD/Divisional chairs | Workforce Efficiency Committee/Workforce Committee | | | Usage has not decreased due to an increase in activity levels. Agency spend reviewed monthly at management meetings. Monthly monitoring in place. Overspend in nursing due to unfunded short-stay ward remaining open over the weekend and the clinical need for RMNs increasing. | Roll out of BankStaff will continue in line with agreed timetable. Approach the psychiatrists re threshold for nursing RMNs. Working group to meet in January 2014 to plan for the recruitment of RMNs to the staff bank. |
| Achieve a less than 3.5% agency spend as a percentage of pay bill | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD/Divisional chairs | Finance Committee/Trust Board | | | Usage has not decreased due to an increase in activity levels. All in-patient wards now using the e-Rostering system to roster staff. | Line managers continue to scrutinise the use of agency staff |
| Ensure e rostering is rolled out successfully in line with the trust plan, to have significant impact on CRP | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD/Director of Finance, Performance & Informatics | Workforce Efficiency Committee/Workforce Committee | | | All new areas planned to use e-Rostering have gone live in line with the timetable | Continuation of rollout plan. |
| Improve medical workforce productivity | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD/Divisional chairs | Workforce Efficiency Committee/Workforce Committee | | | New areas of potential efficiencies have been identified. | Analysis of financial data and action plan to be developed. |
| Directorates to manage vacancies and turnover in line with Trust targets (11% vacancy rate, 12% voluntary turnover rate) | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD/Divisional chairs | Trust Board/monthly | | | All areas are on target. | |
| Ensure appropriate level of staff have 75% of annual leave booked in before Christmas 2013 | Dec-13 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce Efficiency Committee | | | The requirement is confirmed in the Annual Leave policy. Managers were reminded of this in November. | Completed in November 2013. |
| Achieve a greater than 80% temporary fill rate by bank staff | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce Efficiency Committee/Monthly | | | Latest fill rate for N&M staff shows that 55% of shifts filled are filled by bank staff. Overall 77% of temporary requests are filled. | Reminders to managers re: advance bookings have been sent |
| Achieve an overall temporary fill rate of greater than 90% | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce Efficiency Committee/Monthly | | | As above | As above |
| Develop specific plans to implement the national Agenda for Change amendments including a review of the link between incremental progression and performance | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce Committee/bi-monthly | | | Paper discussed at partnership forum in July | Revised paper will be submitted for discussion at EMT and then partnership forum |
| Undertake a review of local arrangements for out of hours working in order to support shifts to 7 day services. | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce Committee/bi-monthly | | | No new service changes identified | None, unless new service changes identified. |
| Objective 49: Strengthen the sense of belonging to the trust across all acute and community staff | | | | | | | |
| Management to take lead in "living the values" and encouraging and demonstrating behaviours in the workplace | Mar-14 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce and Education Committee / Education Board | | | Implementation of the Leadership Framework within Divisions. Implementation of 'Big Conversation' outputs from the LIA programme. | |
| Objective 50: Improve patient safety, experience and outcomes through the provision of excellent and innovative education | | | | | | | |
| Identify skills and training needed to support the workforce through the development of a comprehensive training plan | Sep-13 | Director of HR & OD | Workforce and Education Committee / Education Board | | | The training plan is under development | |