



**Cambridge
University Hospitals**
NHS Foundation Trust



Integrated Report

Quality, Performance, Finance and Workforce to end December 23

Chief Finance Officer
Chief Nurse
Chief Operating Officer
Director of Workforce
Medical Director

Report compiled: 31 January 2023

Key

Data variation indicators



Normal variance - all points within control limits



Negative special cause variation above the mean



Negative special cause variation below the mean



Positive special cause variation above the mean



Positive special cause variation below the mean

Target status indicators



Target has been and statistically is consistently likely to be achieved



Target failed and statistically will consistently not be achieved



Target falls within control limits and will achieve and fail at random

Rule trigger indicators

- SP** One or more data points outside the control limits
- R7** Run of 7 consecutive points;
H = increasing, L = decreasing
- S7** shift of 7 consecutive points above or below the mean; H = above, L = below

Quality Account Measures 2023/24

2023/24 Quality Account Measures				Oct 23	Nov 23	Dec 23				
Domain	Indicator	Data to	Target	Previous Month-1	Previous Month	Current status	Trend	FYtD	Baseline	LTM
Safe	% Trust Compliance with Falls Risk assessment & documentation within 12 hours of admission	Nov-23	90%	86.0%	87.0%	87.0%	↔	86.4%	50.0%	86.4%
	Trust Compliance with Pressure Ulcer risk assessment tool & documentation within 6 hours of admission	Nov-23	90%	80.0%	81.0%	81.0%	↔	80.7%	13.4%	80.7%
	% Rosie MDT Obstetric staff passed PROMPT emergencies training	Dec-23	90%	94.6%	92.4%	89.7%	↓	84.7%	71.0%	84.7%
	% Rosie Obstetricians and Midwives passed fetal surveillance training	Dec-23	90%	84.5%	91.4%	92.4%	↑	86.1%	72.0%	86.1%
Patient Experience / Caring	Healthcare Inequality: Percentage of patients in calendar month where ethnicity data is not recorded on EPIC Cheqs demographics report (Ethnicity Summary by Patient)	Dec-23	7%	7.4%	7.1%	7.0%	↓	7.6%	14.0%	7.6%
Effective / Responsive	% of Early Morning Discharges (07:00-12:00)	Dec-23	20%	14.6%	17.3%	15.3%	↓	15.7%	15.3%	15.7%
	Percentage of in-patient discharges on a Saturday and Sunday compared to the rest of the week (calculated as the average daily discharges on Sat/Sun divided into the average daily discharges Mon-Fri). Excludes day cases. 80% (of weekday rate) Additional Filters Simple Discharges, G&A etc	Dec-23	80%	67.4%	73.8%	84.6%	↑	75.4%	74.0%	75.5%
	Same day emergency care (SDEC)	Dec-23	30%	24.9%	24.9%	25.3%	↑	25.3%	22.0%	24.3%
	Percentage of admissions over 65yo with dementia/delirium or cognitive impairment with a care plan in place	Nov-23	50%	79.0%	71.0%	N/A	▪	66.1%		66.1%
	SSNAP Domain 2: % of patients admitted to a stroke unit within 4 hours of clock start time (Team centred)	Dec-23	55%	45.7%	43.6%	42.3%	↓	43.8%	29.2%	39.3%
	Trust Vacancy Rate (Band 5) Nurses	Jun-22	5.0%	N/A	N/A	N/A	▪	8.4%	12.0%	7.6%
Staff Experience / Well-led	Annual			2016	2017	2018				
	National Staff Survey - "I feel secure about raising concerns re unsafe clinical practice within the organisation"	2018	78%	75.0%	73.0%	74.0%	↑		75%	

Key: ■ Adverse to absolute target or a deterioration in performance from baseline
■ Adverse to target, but an improvement from baseline
■ Favourable to target

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Quality Summary Indicators

Performance Framework - Quality Indicators				Oct 23	Nov 23	Dec 23					
Domain	Indicator	Data to	Target	Previous Month-1	Previous Month	Current status	Trend	FYtD	Previous FYR	LTM	
Infection Control	MRSA Bacteraemia (avoidable hospital onset cases)	Nov-23	0	0	1	0	↓	6	3	6	
	E.coli Bacteraemias (Total Cases)	Nov-23	50% over 3 years	44	28	39	↑	319	401	413	
	C. difficile Infection (hospital onset and COHA* avoidable)	Nov-23	TBC	13	14	10	↓	96	129	116	
	Hand Hygiene Compliance	Dec-23	TBC	93.4%	95.3%	94.9%	↓	94.2%	96.4%	94.2%	
Clinical Effectiveness	% of NICE Technology Appraisals where funding was not procured within three months. ('last month')	Dec-23	100%	50.0%	0.0%	25.0%	↑	54.7%	None recorded	54.7%	
	% of NICE guidance relevant to CUH is returned by clinical teams within total deadline of 30 days.	Dec-23	80%	None recorded	None recorded	25.0%	↓	33.3%	51.0%	47.2%	
	100% of NCEPOD questionnaires (clinical and operational) relevant to CUH is returned by clinical teams within deadline ('last month').	Dec-23	100%	None recorded	0.0%	20.0%	↑	40.0%	None recorded	40.0%	
	85% of national audit's to achieve a status of better, same or met against standards over the audit year	Dec-23	85%	100.0%	83.3%	None recorded	↑	90.9%	84.6%	88.2%	
Nursing Quality Metrics	Blood Administration Patient Scanning	Dec-23	90%	99.9%	99.5%	99.9%	↑	99.7%	99.7%	99.7%	
	Care Plan Notes	Dec-23	90%	95.7%	96.1%	95.9%	↓	95.9%	96.1%	96.0%	
	Care Plan Presence	Dec-23	90%	99.5%	98.6%	98.6%	↓	99.4%	99.6%	99.5%	
	Falls Risk Assessment	Data reported in slides									
	Moving & Handling	Dec-23	90%	74.9%	76.4%	76.2%	↓	76.3%	71.8%	75.2%	
	Nurse Rounding	Dec-23	90%	99.0%	99.0%	99.0%	↓	99.1%	99.2%	99.1%	
	Nutrition Screening	Dec-23	90%	74.9%	75.6%	76.3%	↑	76.4%	72.8%	75.5%	
	Pain Score	Dec-23	90%	85.2%	84.6%	84.2%	↓	85.1%	83.2%	84.6%	
	Pressure Ulcer Screening	Data reported in slides									
	EWS										
	MEOWS Score Recording	Dec-23	90%	88.9%	86.7%	86.1%	↓	86.0%	82.4%	85.1%	
	PEWS Score Recording	Dec-23	90%	99.3%	99.1%	99.4%	↑	99.2%	99.2%	99.2%	
	NEWS Score Recording	Dec-23	90%	97.7%	97.7%	97.8%	↑	97.7%	97.4%	97.6%	
	VIP										
VIP Score Recording (1 per day)	Dec-23	90%	84.3%	87.4%	86.7%	↓	87.3%	85.2%	86.8%		
PIP Score Recording (1 per day)	Dec-23	90%	78.3%	76.9%	83.3%	↑	84.0%	88.7%	85.3%		
Patient Experience	Mixed sex accommodation breaches	Jun-20	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	▪	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Number of overdue complaints	Dec-23	0	85	45	46	↑	504	172	592	
	Re-opened complaints (non PHSO)	Dec-23	N/A	8	9	4	↓	56	18	59	
	Re-opened complaints (PHSO)	Dec-23	N/A	0	0	0	↔	5	2	5	
	Number of medium/high level complaints	Dec-23	N/A		Oct 23	Nov 23	Dec 23				
				22	14	8	↓	129	257	200	

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Serious Incidents

Indicator	Data range	Period	Threshold	Current period	Mean	Variance	Special causes	Comments
Patient Safety Incidents	January 2021- December 2023	Dec-23	-	1424	1463		-	
Patient Safety Incidents per 1,000 admissions				80	91		-	
Percentage of moderate harm and above patient safety incidents			≤ 2%	2.2%	2.5%		-	Severe harm incidents are showing a statistically significant downward shift in the last 8 months.
All Serious Incidents			-	1	4.5		-	

Patient safety incidents (PSIs)

In December 2023 there were 39 moderate harm incidents and one severe harm incident.

PSIs of moderate harm and above are in normal variance; the majority of these are moderate harms coming from hospital-acquired pressure ulcers.

Severe harm incidents are showing a statistically significant **downward** shift in the last 8 months.

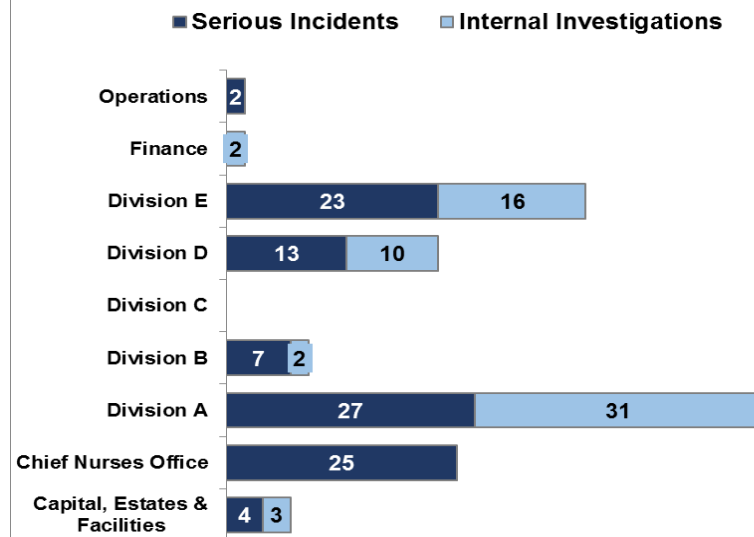
Serious Incidents

At time of reporting all serious incident investigations have been completed and reports submitted to the ICB; with the exception of the IG breach Si declared in December 2023.

There are currently 165 overdue actions from investigations: 101 (↓) Serious Incident actions and 64 (↓) Internal (RCA) Investigation actions.

The patient safety team are working with divisional teams to support implementation and closure of outstanding SI and II actions.

Overdue actions in relation to level of investigation for patient and organisational incidents as of 25.01.2024



Duty of Candour (DOC)

In the last 12 months, Trust-wide **stage 1** DOC compliance is **94%** (435/461), and Trust wide **stage 2** DOC compliance is **90%** (382/423), and a breakdown by Divisions can be seen in graph 1 below.

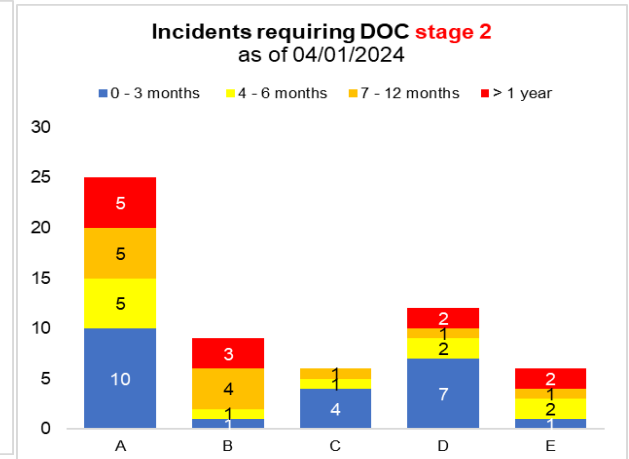
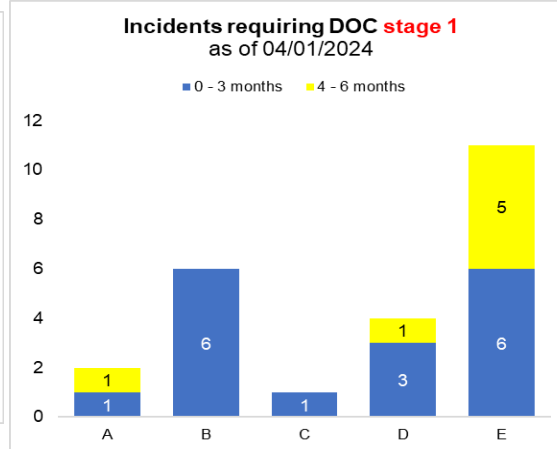
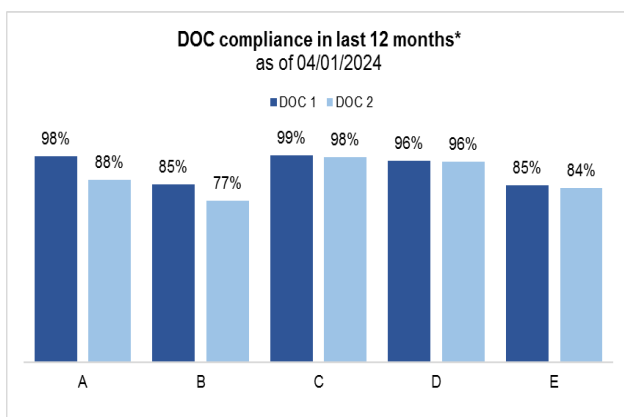
There are a number of DOC that are outstanding shown in graphs 2 and 3 below. There are 7 DOC **stage 1** cases outstanding by more than >4 months (from date reported) and 12 DOC **stage 2** cases not yet completed more than 1 year after the incident was reported.

A new process is being designed to improve oversight of outstanding compliance and the corporate patient safety team are supporting division to prioritise outstanding compliance.

Indicator definitions

Stage 1 is notifying the patient (or family) of the incident and sending a DOC stage 1 letter. Our internal standard is completion within 10 days of the incident reported.

Stage 2 is sharing of the relevant investigation findings (where the patient has requested this response). Our internal standard is completion within 10 days of the investigation being completed.



Falls

Indicator	Data range	Target	Dec-23	Mean	Variance	Special causes	Target status	Comments
All patient falls	January 2021 - December 2023	—	130	152		-	-	Last 6 months below the mean
Inpatient falls per 1,000 bed days		—	3.5	4.4		-	-	Last 6 months below the mean
Moderate harm & above - inpatient falls		—	4	4.3		Shift	-	Last 7 months below the mean
Falls risk screening compliance within 12 hours of admission		≥90%	87%	85%		-		We were last compliant with this metric in June 2021

Summary

All falls are within normal variance, however falls of moderate harm or above have a statistically significant **decrease** in the last seven months.

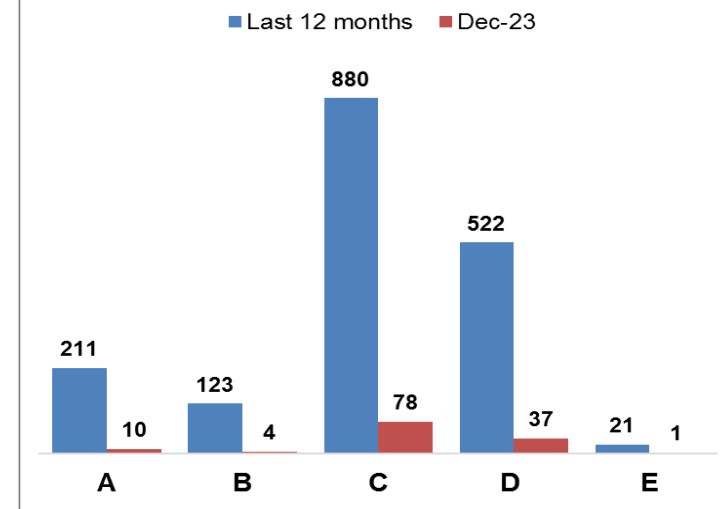
In December 2023 there were three moderate harm falls, and one severe.

QI update

Two new staff have joined the Falls prevention team in November/ December.

Falls alarms supply has been renewed and the falls team are working with clinical engineering to agree a SOP for the management of equipment.

All patient falls by division



Hospital Acquired Pressure Ulcers (HAPUs)

Indicator	Data range	Target	Dec-23	Mean	Variance	Target status	Comments
All hospital-acquired pressure ulcers	January 2021 - December 2023	-	39	32		-	The last 18 consecutive months have been above the mean.
All HAPUs by date of occurrence per 1,000 bed days		-	1.10	0.94		-	17 out of the last 18 months have been above the mean.
Category 2, 3, 4, Suspected Deep Tissue Injury, and Unstageable HAPUs		-	28	19.9		-	17 out of the last 18 months have been above the mean.
Category 1 hospital-acquired pressure ulcers		-	11	11.9		-	
Category 2 hospital-acquired pressure ulcers		-	24	13.7		-	There has been a statistically significant increase in the last 8 months .
Unstageable HAPUs		-	0	1.6		-	
Suspected Deep Tissue Injury HAPUs by date of occurrence		-	4	4.5		-	
Medical device related HAPUs		-	14	7.9		-	Statistically significant upward shift in the last 10 months.
Pressure Ulcer screening risk assessment compliance		90%	81%	79%			We have not been compliant with this metric in the last 3 years.

Summary

The increase in HAPUs is being driven by an increase in the categories of Suspected deep tissue injury and Category 2 . There were no category 3 or 4 HAPUs in December. There is a statistically significant increase in HAPUs related to:







- Medical devices overall and from 'mask/tubing'. The latter being predominantly from our critical care areas.
- To the sacrum. The highest HAPUs in the last 12 months are from the sacrum and heels.

QI update

Tissue Viability team is now fully recruited (December 2023).

The work in partnership with the Institute Health Improvement (IHI) to reduce incidence of HAPUs commenced in July 2023. Current pilot ward/departments: ICU/D3, D9, J3, ED, M5. We have seen a statistically significant decrease in HPAUs in the ICU/D3 and ward M5 achieved their aim of 150 days with not HAPUs (Category 2 and above). Spread of the program to phase 1 wards is planned for early March 2024.

Sepsis

Indicator	Data range	Period	Target	Current period	Mean	Variance	Comments
All elements of the Sepsis Six Bundle delivered within 60 mins from time patient triggers Sepsis (NEWS 5>) - Emergency Department	January 2021- December 2023	Dec-23	≥95%		57%	59%	 6 out of the last 7 months have been above the mean
Antibiotics administered within 60 mins from time patient triggers Sepsis (NEWS 5>) - Emergency Department					57%	72%	
All elements of the Sepsis Six Bundle delivered within 60 mins from time patient triggers Sepsis (NEWS 5>)- Inpatient wards					40%	39%	
Antibiotics administered within 60 mins from time patient triggers Sepsis (NEWS 5>) - Inpatient wards					100%	74%	
All elements of the Sepsis Six Bundle delivered within 60 mins from time patient triggers Sepsis (NEWS 5>) - Maternity					60%	32%	
Antibiotics administered within 60 mins from time patient triggers Sepsis (NEWS 5>) - Maternity					100%	95%	

Sample size in month for above audits:

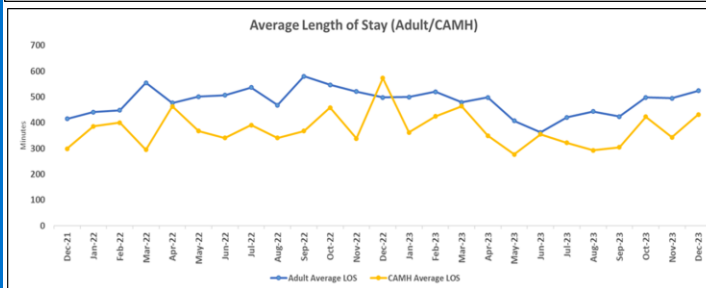
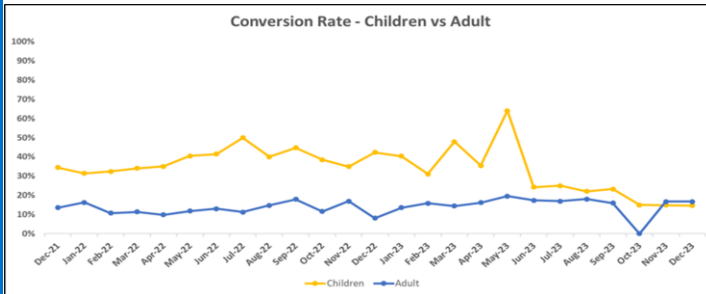
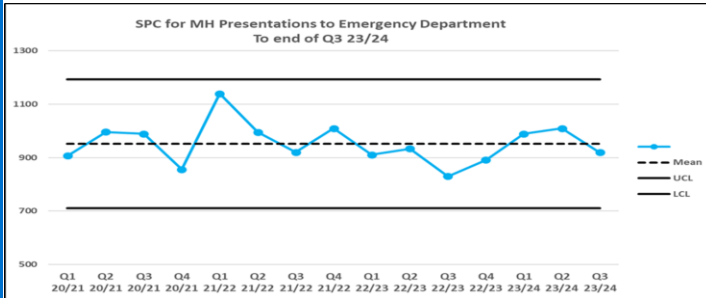
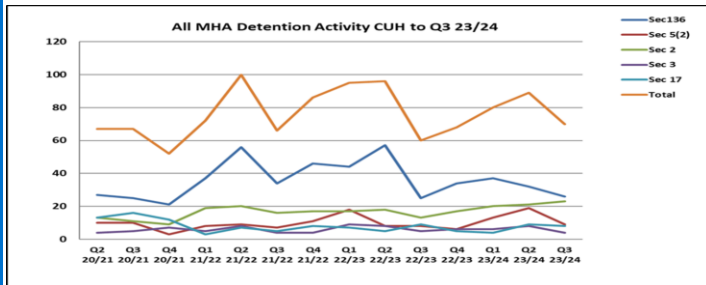
Inpatients = 5
ED-Adult = 15
Maternity inpatients = 10

- Sepsis QI corporate plan – approved at project plan pending
- Setting up QI pilot wards to support sepsis bundle compliance - vascular and renal teams
- NICE Sepsis guidance update due for release early 2024 - to inform improvement plans as required
- Sepsis order set refined to promote increased usage by clinicians

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Mental Health - Q2 2023/24 (September)



Q3 2023/24 (December)

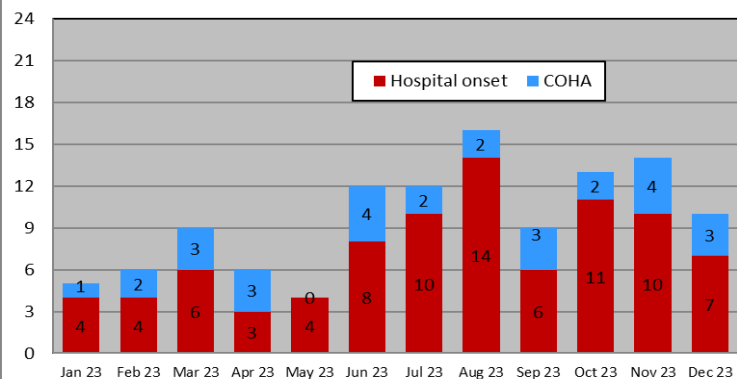
- Mental Health Act (MHA) activity at CUH in Q3 23/24 showed a 21% decrease on Q2 23/24.
- The number of patients detained at CUH in Q3 23/24 shows a decrease of 27% when compared to Q2 22/23.
- There has also been a reduction in the use of Section 5(2) MHA by 47% in Q3 compared to Q2 and 50% reduction in Section 2 MHA.
- Q3 Section 136 MHA to CUH have shown a decrease for the second consecutive quarter.
- 61% of Section 136 MHA were rescinded on assessment in Q3.
- 27% of Section 136 MHA were transferred to an alternative place of safety in Q3.
- 12% of section 136 MHA lapsed in Q3.
- 44% of those detained on Section 5(2) were discharged from section following a psychiatric review in Q3.
- The numbers of patients presenting to the Emergency Department (ED) due to mental health in Q3 shows a 9% decrease, following three previous successive quarterly increases.
- Self harm represents the significant majority of ED attendances for children and young people.
- In Q3 there were 40 delayed transfers of care to mental health inpatient care, with 191 days lost acute bed days at CUH.

Ongoing work:

- The new Mental Health Study day for CUH clinical staff has received positive feedback from attendees. The study day will take place monthly throughout 2024. The CUH Mental Health Team are also exploring how they can support the 'Breakaway' training delivered by the CUH Security Team, by joining those training sessions to educate around the management of disturbed or distressed mental health patients.
- The Cambridgeshire Constabulary Right Care Right Person (RCRP) programme continues. The current phase being 'Missing or AWOL patients from health care settings'. The 'go live' date of this phase will be delayed to ensure system partners have opportunities to identify gaps in provision and to plan actions and resource in partnership with the Integrated Care Board. Changes in police response and escalation processes will influence review of the CUH Missing Patient procedure document.
- The CUH Mental Health Team have completed a site visit, with ward C7 clinical staff and estates, to the new gastroenterology ward, U2. Two side rooms have previously been identified as preferred areas for caring for patients with eating disorders in need of acute care at CUH. These side rooms and the quiet room has ligature point assessment carried during the visit. The risk assessment will inform the Division's action plan for remedial work, costing for alternative solutions and mitigations.
- CUH informatics have completed the build for the reporting system for delays in transfer of care to mental health inpatient services from acute beds. The report is now live and will also support review around delayed transfers and lost bed days with our system partners.

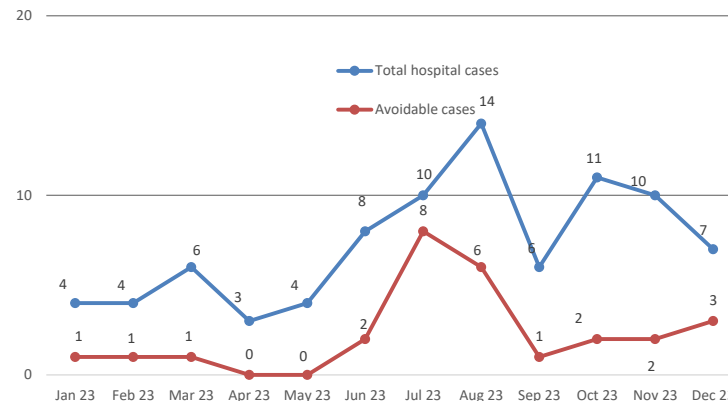
Infection Control

Monthly *Clostridioides difficile* cases in last 12 months



* COHA - community onset healthcare associated = cases that occur in the community when the patient has been an inpatient in the Trust reporting the case in the previous four weeks

Monthly hospital acquired *Clostridioides difficile* cases in last 12 months



CUH trend analysis

MRSA bacteraemia ceiling for 2023/24 is zero avoidable hospital acquired cases.

- 0 cases of hospital onset MRSA bacteraemia in December 2023
- 6 cases (1 community, 3 unavoidable & 2 avoidable hospital onset MRSA bacteraemia year to date)

C. difficile ceiling for 2023/24 is 109 cases for both hospital onset and COHA cases*.

- 7 cases of hospital onset *C. difficile* and 3 cases of COHA in December 2023.
- 73 hospital onset cases and 23 COHA cases year to date (55 cases unavoidable, 19 avoidable and 22 cases are pending).

MRSA and C difficile key performance indicators

- Compliance with the MRSA care bundle (decolonisation) was 80% in December 2023 (84% in November 2023).
- The latest MRSA bacteraemia rate comparative data (12 months to November 2023) put the Trust 7th out of 10 in the Shelford Group of teaching hospitals.
- Compliance with the *C. difficile* care bundle was 100% in December 2023 (74% in November 2023).
- The latest *C. difficile* rate comparative data (12 months to November 2023) put the Trust 7th out of 10 in the Shelford Group of teaching hospitals.

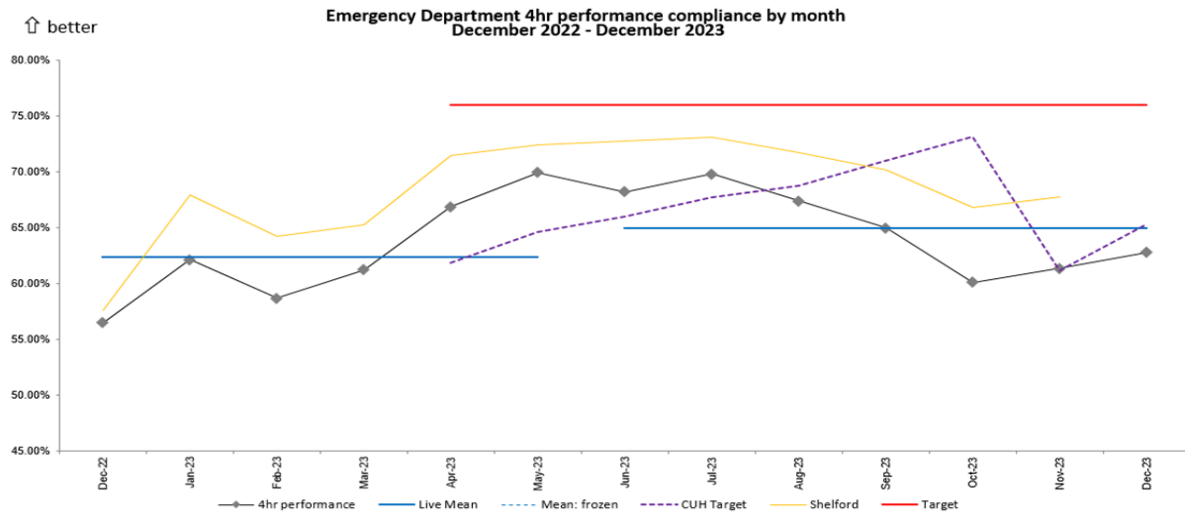
4HR Performance

Dec-23	Plan
62.7%	65.3%

SPC Variance
Normal variation

Shelford Group Avg (Dec-23)
66.4%

Three Month Trajectory		
Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24
68.4%	72.5%	76.6%



Highest breaches by specialty		
Specialty	Performance	4hr Breaches
Emergency	58.6%	1,944
Medicine	24.7%	1,922
Paediatrics	38.1%	411
Surgery	28.2%	247
Orthopaedics	19.8%	215

Updates since previous month
- 4hr performance increased from 61.3% in November to 62.7% in December
- This is below our target of 65.3% but above performance in December 2022 of 56.5%

Current issues
- Outflow due to high in-patient occupancy levels remains a key issue, leading to crowding in the department
- High ambulance conveyances have contributed to demand

Key dependencies
- 4hr performance is dependent on the speed of processing within the department and effective outflow to in-patient beds to release assessment space

Future actions
- We continue to hold performance meetings on a weekly basis to closely monitor progress
- This was supplemented by a recent in-person workshop with the Chief Executive to identify additional actions

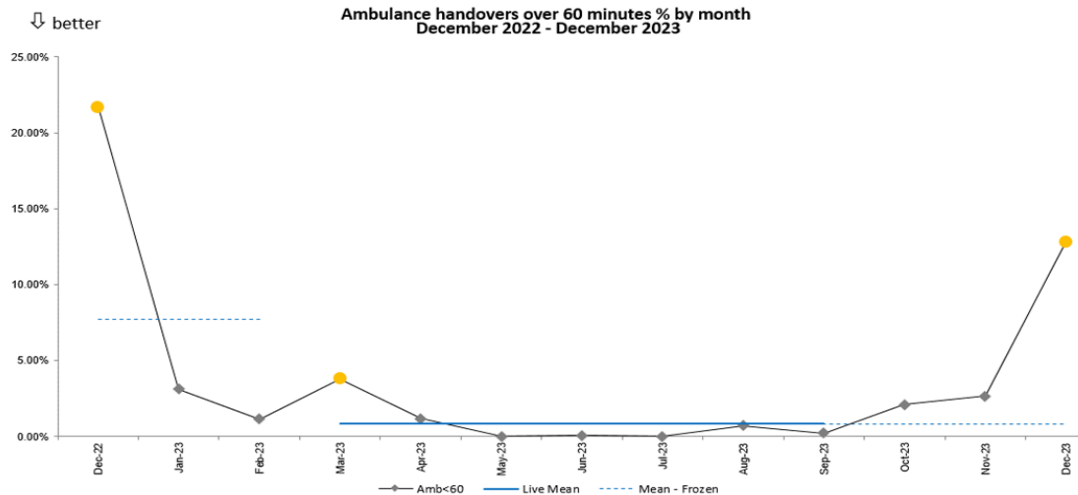
Ambulance Handovers > 60 minutes

Dec-23	Target
12.8%	0%

SPC Variance
Negative special cause variation

East of England > 60 minutes

Trust	December	November
Bedford	5%	2%
Milton Keynes	5%	5%
Watford General	8%	2%
Norfolk and Norwich	8%	59%
Broomfield	12%	10%
CUH	12.8%	2.6%
Queen Elizabeth	13%	40%
Basildon & Thurrock	14%	8%
West Suffolk	15%	9%
Southend	15%	14%
Colchester General	16%	9%
Papworth	18%	18%
Hinchingbrooke	19%	9%
Luton and Dunstable	19%	15%
Ipswich	25%	21%
Peterborough City	25%	25%
Princess Alexandra	25%	43%
James Paget	26%	34%
Lister	31%	24%



Updates since previous month

- Ambulance handovers >60mins increased significantly from 2.6% in November to 12.8% in December, primarily due to increased numbers of patients in the Emergency Department
- CUH moved from 3rd to 6th best performance in EoE

Current issues

- Crowding in the ED contributed to an increase in the number of handovers >60mins in December
- This was partly due to an increase in ambulance conveyances and higher bed occupancy levels

Key dependencies

- Outflow from the ED remains a key contributor to handover performance. Lower bed availability has increased the time that admitted patients spend in the ED, reduced our capacity to offload patients

Future actions

- Handover delays have become a key area of focus for the Trust and is monitor in real time 24/7 by the site operations team
- Additional rapid handover spaces are being created to support offloads.

Overall fit test compliance for substantive staff

Division	Corporate			Division A			Division B			Division C			Division D			Division E			Total		
	Number of Staff requiring testing	Total protected staff	% Total staff protected	Number of Staff requiring testing	Total protected staff	% Total staff protected	Number of Staff requiring testing	Total protected staff	% Total staff protected	Number of Staff requiring testing	Total protected staff	% Total staff protected	Number of Staff requiring testing	Total protected staff	% Total staff protected	Number of Staff requiring testing	Total protected staff	% Total staff protected	Number of Staff requiring testing	Total protected staff	% Total staff protected
Add Prof Scientific and Technical (Pharmacists only)	-	-	-	1	1	100%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	100%
Additional Clinical Services	1	0	0%	268	158	59%	66	40	61%	151	88	58%	106	48	45%	93	44	47%	685	378	55%
Allied Health Professionals	-	-	-	58	24	41%	17	1	6%	1	1	100%	-	-	-	3	1	33%	79	27	34%
Estates and Ancillary (Porters and Security Personnel only)	120	64	53%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	0	0%	121	64	53%
Medical and Dental	-	-	-	248	59	24%	-	-	-	188	68	36%	148	13	9%	225	60	27%	809	200	25%
Nursing and Midwifery Registered	-	-	-	691	512	74%	4	2	50%	290	179	62%	138	77	56%	373	207	55%	1496	977	65%
Total	121	64	53%	1266	754	60%	87	43	49%	630	336	53%	392	138	35%	695	312	45%	3191	1647	52%

The data displayed as of 16/01/24. This data reflects the current escalation areas requiring staff to wear FFP3 protection. This data set does not include Medirest, student Nurses, AHP students or trainee doctors. Conversations on fit testing compliance with the leads for the external entities take place on a regular basis. These leads provide assurance on compliance and maintain fit test compliance records. Fit test compliance for Bank and Agency staff working in 'red' areas is checked at the start of each shift and those not tested to a mask in stock are offered fit testing and/or provided with a hood. Security and Access agency staff are not deployed to 'red' areas inline with local policy.

Referral to Treatment > 65 weeks and > 78 weeks

65+ Weeks

Dec-23	Plan
870	220

SPC Variance

Positive special cause variation

% of WL over 65 weeks (Nov-23)

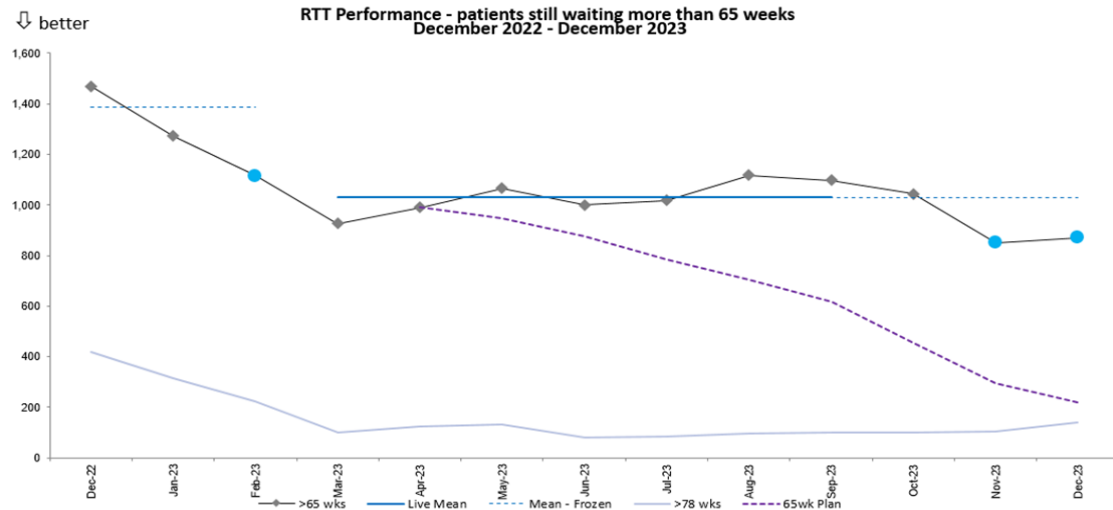
CUH	1.37%
Shelford Group	1.30%

Three Month Forecast (65+ wks)

Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24
150	80	0

Divisional Performance

Division	65+ weeks	78+ weeks
A	215	46
B	49	8
C	10	0
D	479	78
E	117	10
Trust	870	142



Updates since previous month

- Two > 104 week breaches both due to identification of missed referrals. Expedited once detected. One since completed and second delayed at patient request.
- >78 week waits increased by 39 to 142. Highest growth seen in OMFS (15) Colorectal (12) T&O (8) >65 weeks increased by 19 to 870.

Current issues

- Latest National data reflects deterioration in longest waits across 104, 78 and 65 weeks.
- Industrial Action coinciding with the Christmas period impacted on the progress that had been achieved through November when there was no disruption to activity.

Key dependencies

- Cessation of Industrial Action
- Theatre efficiency and surgical bed protection.
- Recruitment to medical workforce vacancies
- Independent Sector in ENT. Still no decision on support for Gynae.
- Continuation of Insourcing OMFS and Gynae.

Future actions

- Despite deterioration in month, the re-submitted year end forecast of ~800 >65 weeks remains on trajectory.
- National focus is now on the > 78 week maximum being delivered by year end. Weekly trajectories are being monitored and are on track. Sunday theatre sessions have commenced to support delivery.

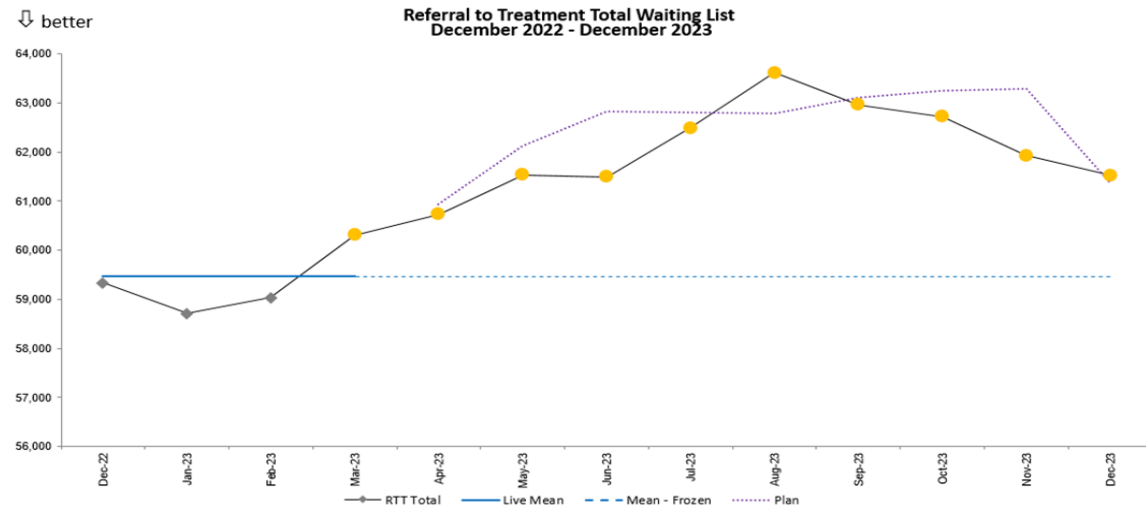
Referral to Treatment Total Waiting List

Dec-23	Plan
61,529	61,358

SPC Variance
Negative special cause variation

Change in WL: Nov-23 vs. Oct-23	
CUH	-1.28%
Shelford Group	+0.71%

Three Month Forecast		
Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24
61,186	61,282	61,473



Waiting list by division	
Division	Total Waiting List
A	12,099
B	6,375
C	4,726
D	28,987
E	9,334
Other	8
Trust	61,529

Updates since previous month

- Total RTT waiting list decreased for the fourth consecutive month, a reduction of 0.6% in December.
- However, the total waiting list size is 171 higher than the planning submission for month 9.
- Clock starts in December were 8% (939) above plan reducing the cumulative variance to -1.5 year to date.

Current issues

- Total stops (treatments) were only 0.4% variance to plan in December despite Industrial Action.
- The Industrial Action impact equated to a reduction of ~370 stops. Even with the higher Clock starts, without this the total waiting list would have continued to reduce ahead of plan.

Key dependencies

- Demand (clock starts) remains within plan
- Outpatient and elective activity plans are met
- Resilience in administrative and clinical capacity to support pathway validation.
- Cessation of Industrial Action

Future actions

- Continued emphasis on Outpatient Transformation, releasing capacity for new outpatients. Those awaiting 1st appointments remained 60.7% of total waiting list in December.
- Rolling waiting list validation at 12 weeks is yielding a 6% removal rate.

Cancer - 28 day faster diagnosis standard

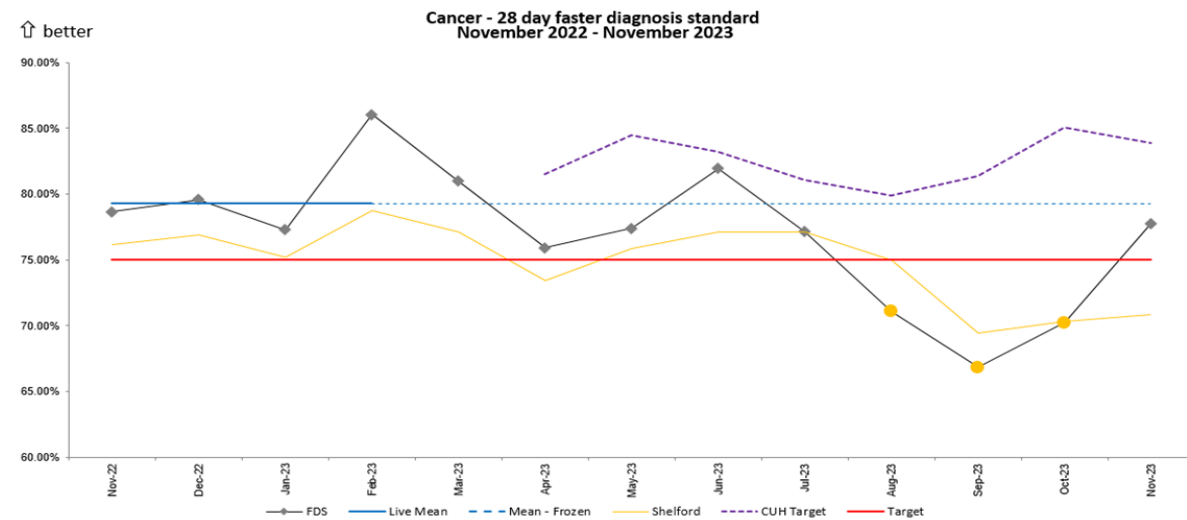
Nov-23	Target
77.7%	75.0%

SPC Variance
Normal variation

Shelford Group Avg (Nov-23)
70.8%

Three Month Forecast		
Dec-23	Jan-24	Feb-24
82.6%	76.8%	82.6%

Cancer Site Overview		
Site	Performance	Breaches
Skin	57.6%	371
Lower GI	81.7%	63
Gynaecological	78.3%	51
Head & Neck	77.9%	51
Urological	76.8%	47
Breast	96.5%	24
Haematological	56.3%	7
Sarcoma	67.7%	10
Upper GI	88.5%	3
Lung	96.2%	4
Childrens	100.0%	0
CNS/Brain	100.0%	0
Testicular	100.0%	0
Total	77.7%	631



Updates since previous month

CUH has returned to above standard performance for FDS, recovering a month earlier than forecast. Skin remain below target however are making significant improvements month on month. Pathology turn around times also continue to delay diagnosis and impact on this target. Urology achieved the target for the first time, and is one of few urology teams nationally to achieve this standard.

Current issues

Delays to 1st appointment and diagnosis in skin cancer, and pathology turn around times continue to impact performance across all sites. Industrial action and bank holidays in December and January have impacted performance however the national standard has still been achieved.

Key dependencies

- Pathology turn around times recovering to above 25% in 7 days
- Additional ad hoc activity in skin to reduce backlog

Future actions

Actions are in place as part of the Cancer Improvement Plan. Focus continues on skin, gynae, urology and pathology. System meetings continue to share good practice from CUH with the ICB and wider Cancer Alliance - particular focus on Skin, LGI and Urology.

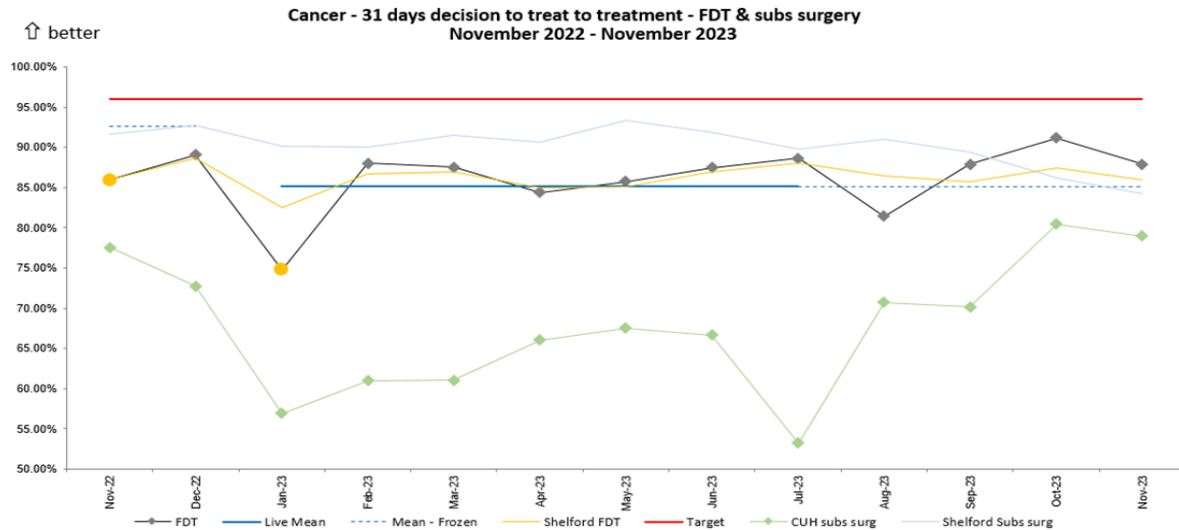
Cancer - 31 days decision to treat to treatment

	Nov-23	Target
FDT	87.9%	96.0%
Subs Surgery	79.0%	94.0%

SPC Variance
Normal variation

Shelford Group Avg (Nov-23)	
FDT	85.9%
Subs Surgery	84.2%

Cancer Site Overview as of 23/01/2024	
Site	Backlog
Breast	18
CNS/Brain	0
Gynaecological	11
Head & Neck	1
Haematological	0
HPB	7
Lower GI	4
Lung	1
Childrens	0
Sarcoma	3
Skin	51
Testicular	0
Upper GI	1
Urological	7
All	104



Updates since previous month

CUH continues to fall below target with 96.8% of the breaches in October relating to surgical capacity, the sites with the largest breaches are in Skin (42%), LGI (12.5%), and Breast (12.5%). The average length of a 31 day pathway for surgery is 45 days.

Current issues

Access to sufficient theatre capacity within 31 days remains an issue across multiple cancer sites. Following the Radiotherapy equipment failure in October, along with record referral numbers in October and November has resulted in a number of breaches particularly in breast and urology. The service is working extended days and weekends to recover but due to the Christmas period and ongoing high referral volumes this will not be until February.

Key dependencies

Ongoing prioritisation of theatre allocation to P2/cancer surgery.
Engagement from clinical teams to undertake additional / respond flexibly to available capacity.
Ongoing use of Independent sector to support Breast.
Impact of Industrial Action in December/January

Future actions

Continued focus on Gynae, HPB, and skin surgery in Q4
Additional treatment capacity for skin has been agreed from January with additional cancer alliance funding.

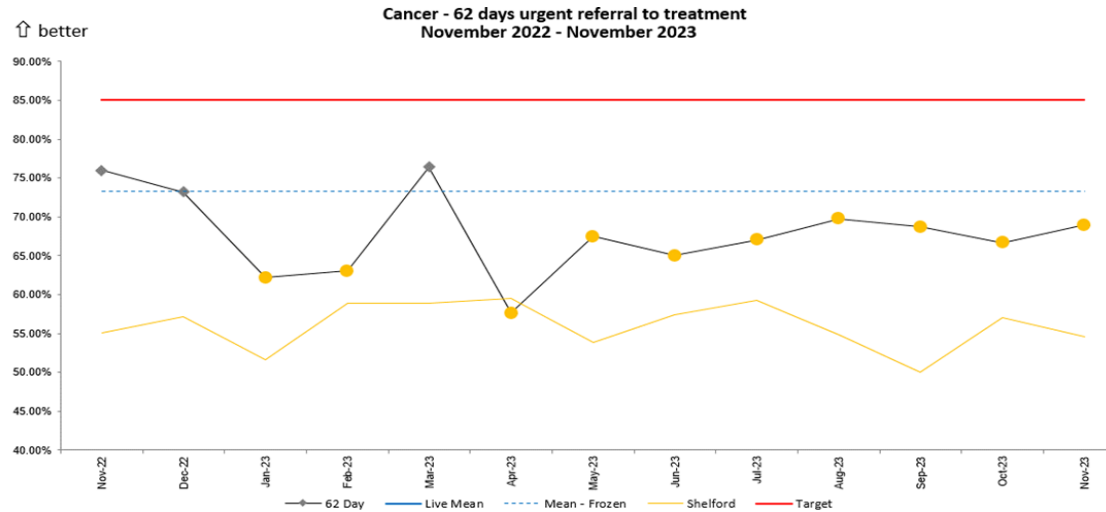
Cancer - 62 days urgent referral to treatment

Nov-23	Target
69.0%	85.0%

SPC Variance
Negative special cause variation

Shelford Group Avg (Nov-23)
54.6%

Cancer Site Overview as of 23/01/2024	
Site	Backlog
Breast	7
CNS/Brain	0
Gynaecological	31
Head & Neck	2
Other Haem Malignancies	12
Lower GI	13
Lung	8
NSS	0
Upper GI	2
Urological	28
Sarcoma	3
Skin	52
HPB	13
Childrens	0
Symptomatic Breast	0
All	171



Updates since previous month

CUH performance remains below target although continues to be higher than the Shelford Group. 58.3% of breaches are CUH only patients and of that 73% were due to delays within CUH control such as delayed pathology reporting, outpatient and surgical capacity. 45% of referrals to CUH from regional hospitals were treated in the required 24 days.

Current issues

- Delays in pathology turn around times (currently at 27% within 7 days)
- Outpatient and surgical capacity
- Further impact of industrial action
- delays to diagnosis due to capacity (skin) resulting in adverse backlog recovery

Key dependencies

- Continuing achievement of 28 day FDS
- Pathology turn around times recovering to above 25% in 7 days
- Reduced late referrals from regional teams
- Improved regional compliance with the Inter provider transfer policy, including all diagnostics being completed prior to tertiary referral.

Future actions

There is an extensive improvement plan in place which is reviewed monthly; there is a focus on Skin, Urology and Gynae with specific recovery actions. From Q4 a focus on skin, H&N, Gynae and LGI will result in an improvement in performance from Q1 2024/25. Urology have continued to see backlog reductions and are at their lowest backlog ever.

Diagnostic Performance

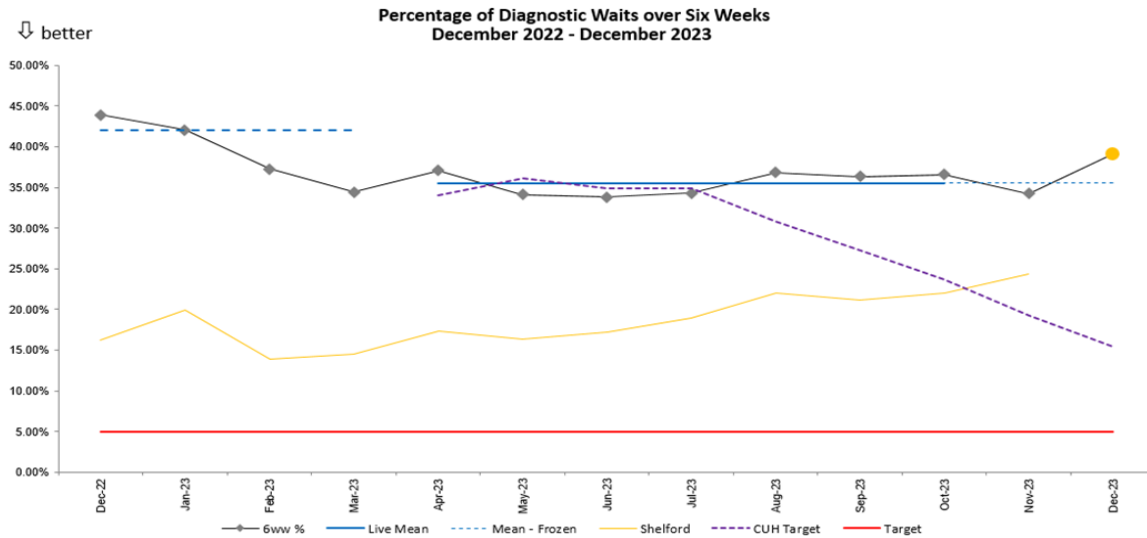
Dec-23	Plan
39.1%	15.5%

SPC Variance
Negative special cause variation

Shelford Group Avg (Nov-23)
24.4%

Three Month Forecast		
Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24
9.3%	6.7%	4.4%

Modality overview		
Modality	% >6wks	Breaches
Echocardiography	75.5%	3016
Non obstetric ultrasound	31.4%	763
Audiology	69.7%	989
Magnetic Resonance Img'	14.1%	327
DEXA Scan	5.4%	37
Computed Tomography	8.6%	87
Urodynamics	64.8%	177
Neurophysiology	4.1%	6
Cystoscopy	14.4%	37
Gastroscopy	3.1%	18
Colonoscopy	2.6%	19
Respiratory physiology	34.6%	18
Barium Enema	8.8%	5
Flexi sigmoidoscopy	0.0%	0
Total		5499



Updates since previous month

- December saw a marked deterioration in 6wk performance to 39.1%.
- 4 modalities achieved < 5% over 6 weeks.
- The total waiting list reduced by 42, but the > 6 week cohort increased by 669.
- Echo is now 55% of the Trust >6wk backlog and saw a total waiting list rise of 413 in month and a rise in >

Current issues

- New Insourcing provider for Echo had not commenced leading to a reduction in activity of 13% on a per working day basis in month.
- New provider has delivered limited activity in January due to delays in compliance checks. Progress being evaluated.
- 52% vacancy rate (10.5 wte) continues for Echo.

Key dependencies

- Ongoing use of Insourcing for Echocardiography, required.
- Agency/locum staffing and enhanced bank rates whilst recruiting.
- Continued delivery of ICB capacity for Direct Access Community Ultrasound to manage demand.
- Agreement to continue location of CDC MRI at Ely rather than Wisbech during MAG 3 replacement.

Future actions

- 6 candidates interviewed for Band 7 Physiologists and 4.6WTE posts offered. Start dates will not be until March through to August.
- ICB to review the Echo Task and Finish Group. Actions not developing. EoE Regional Diagnostic Lead also requested to support with best practice.
- Deadline given to ICB to support a re-direction of

New Outpatient Attendances - % vs. Baseline

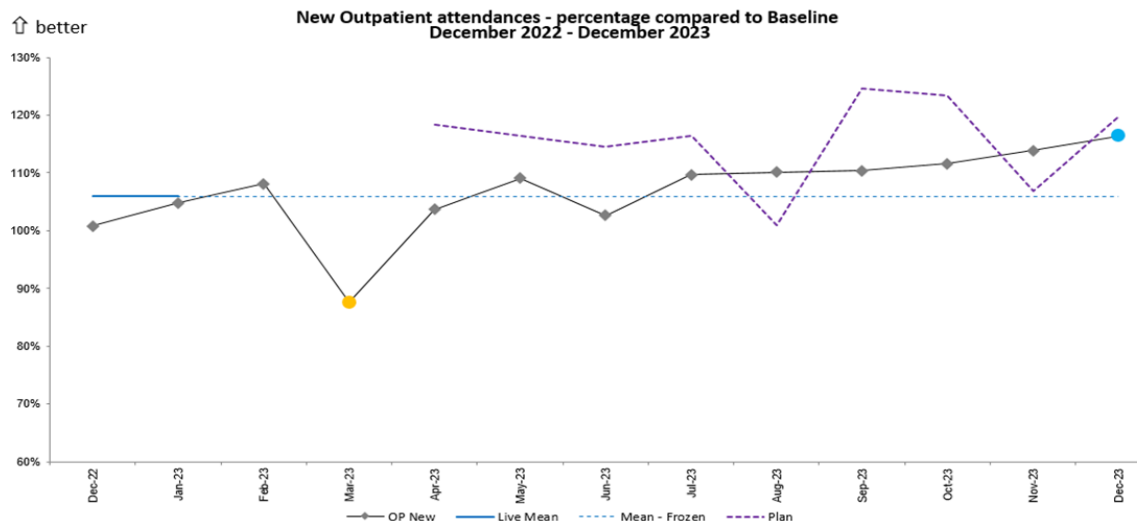
Dec-23	Plan
116.4%	119.8%

SPC Variance
Positive special cause variation

Shelford Group Avg (Nov-23)
N/A

Three Month Forecast		
Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24
111.3%	119.5%	118.5%

Divisional overview	
Division	Performance
A	129.6%
B	115.3%
C	102.5%
D	111.5%
E	129.8%



Updates since previous month

New activity remains below the 115% target for end March 2024, however, the interim target of 110% has been achieved in the last 2 months. There is a significant trend upwards in the last 6 months. Div E's performance remains strong, and Div A has seen recent improvement although not maintained long enough to shift the median.

Key dependencies

Specialties must use the GIRFT Outpatients guidance and checklist and the Further Faster handbooks published in August / September 2023, to help implement further action, and also use the NHSE data opportunity tool that enables specialties to benchmark with and learn from other Trusts.

Current issues

New outpatient appointments on the waiting list remains high at 63,171 in December 2023. However, the rate of rise per month has slowed with a significant trend downwards in the rate of rise for the last 6 months. The rate has been lower than the current median of 0.5% for the past 5 months, reaching -1.3% in December 2023.

Future actions

Further action is needed to increase new activity. This should be reflected in 2024/25 business and activity plans. Divisions need to further test change ideas including clinic template changes, waiting list initiatives, specialist advice, remote appointments, DNAs and PIFU. A greater volume, pace and spread of this action is needed.

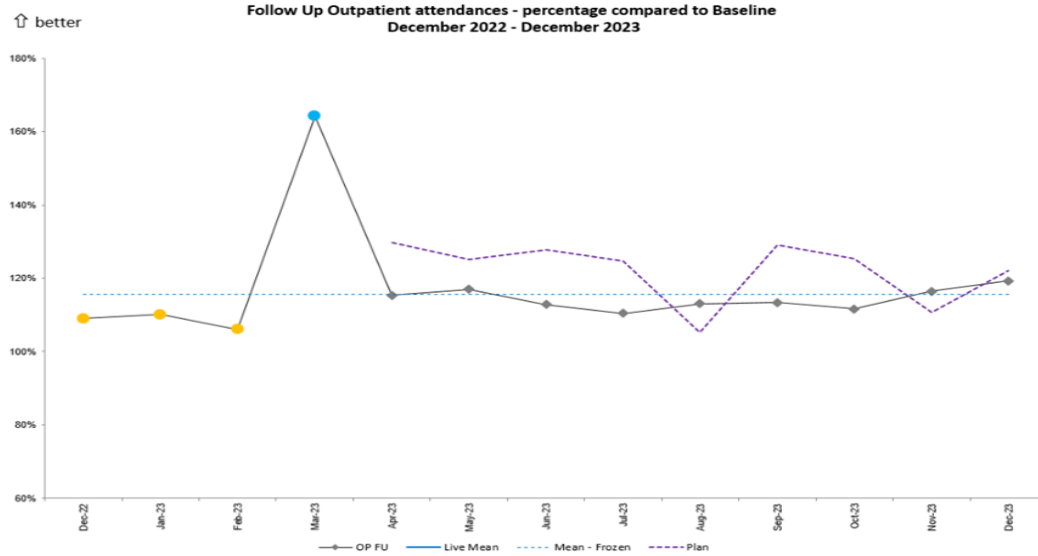
Follow Up Outpatient Attendances - % vs. Baseline

Dec-23	Plan
119.3%	122.0%

SPC Variance
Normal variation

Shelford Group Avg (Dec-23)
N/A

Three Month Forecast		
Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24
116.2%	123.9%	121.7%



Divisional overview	
Division	Performance
A	130.7%
B	124.0%
C	108.2%
D	114.0%
E	138.7%

Updates since previous month

F/U activity increased in 2023 and remains above the 100% CUH target for end March 2024. The current median of 114.1% since March 2023 is an increase on 112.7% from April 2022 to February 2023. Analysis suggests some increase is driven by non-consultant F/Us which were not recorded in 19/20, now being recorded.

Key dependencies

This action needs to be encouraged at pace. A new SOP for PNP was signed off in December 2022, and updated in November 2023, to support specialities to test this change idea.

Current issues

The number of overdue follow-ups remains high, reaching 58,360 in December 2023. All divisions have overdue follow-ups on their risk registers. The rate of rise of overdue follow-ups is stable with natural variation since April 2021, with a 1.6% median rate of rise per month during this two and a half year period.

Future actions

Action being taken to address overdue follow ups includes waiting list validation and initiatives, and pathway redesign including PIFU, and early tests of Patient Not Present (PNP) remote monitoring. 5 specialities are currently using PNP, 5 more have PNP clinics built and available in Epic but no activity has yet been recorded on CHEQS.

PIFU Outpatient Attendances

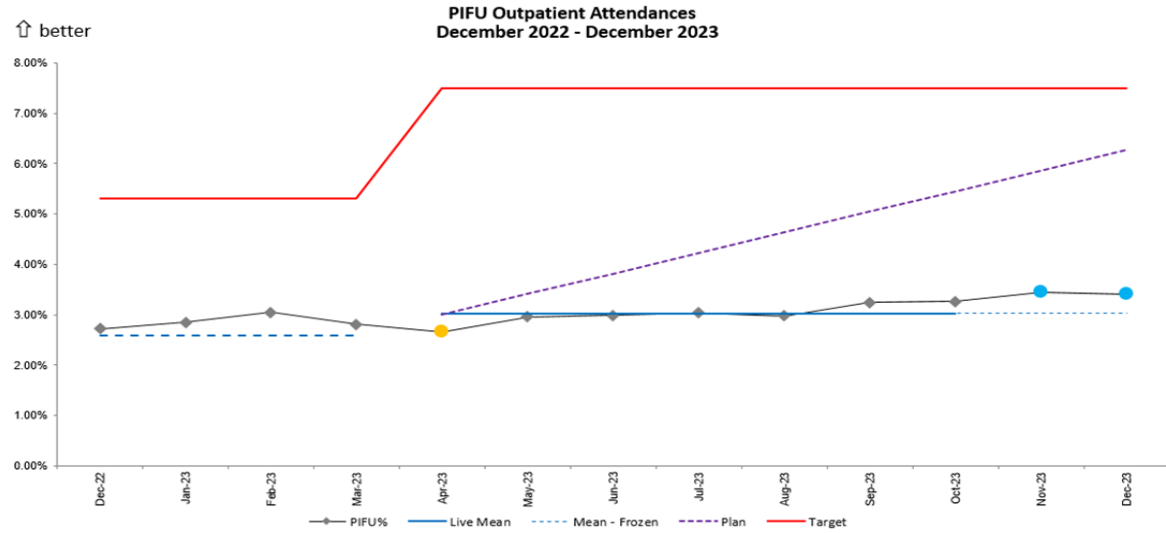
Dec-23	Plan
3.4%	6.3%

SPC Variance
Positive special cause variation

Shelford Group Avg (Dec-23)
N/A

Three Month Forecast		
Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24
6.7%	7.1%	7.5%

Divisional overview	
Division	Performance
A	7.4%
B	3.6%
C	2.0%
D	2.2%
E	3.1%



Updates since previous month

The rate of rise is slow, with the median for the last six months increasing to 3.9% from 3.6% since October 2022. Our position as of December 2023 is 4.4%. Division A is the only Division to meet, and exceed, the 7.5% target.

Current issues

None

Key dependencies

Data shows a correlation between PIFU and reduced F/Us. As of 12 January 2024, of 76,525 PIFU orders placed since 2019 – 47,109 have expired. 91.5% expired with no follow up taking place which equates to 43,114 follow ups saved / avoided due to a PIFU being in place. Specialties need to increase the pace of implementation.

Future actions

There is a consistent overall trend upwards in the use of PIFU but CUH is yet to reach the 7.5% target for end March 2024. Outpatient Clinical Director and Director of Improvement and Transformation are visiting high priority specialists to discuss pace of implementation.

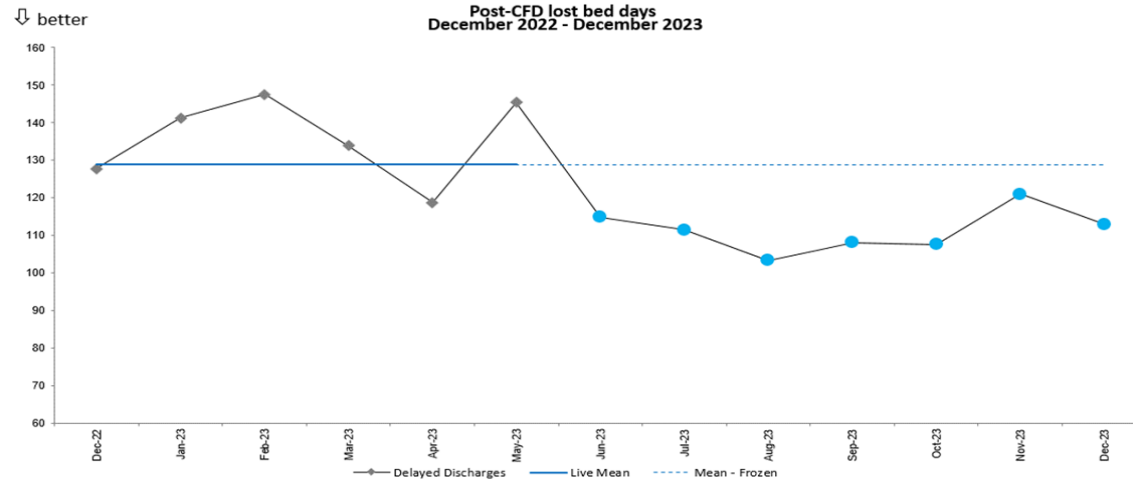
Delayed discharges

Dec-23	Target
113	N/A

SPC Variance
Positive special cause variation

Shelford Group Avg (Dec-23)
N/A

Beds lost to delays - by pathway	
Pathway	Beds lost
Pathway 1	48
Pathway 3	23
Pathway 2	18
Pathway 0	19
Internal Assessments	2
External Assessments	1
Triage	2
Unknown	0
Total	113



Updates since previous month

- Beds lost to delayed discharges beyond patients' clinically fit dates (CFD) continue to be lower than last year, with 113 beds lost in December compared to an average of 136 in 2022/23

Current issues

- Pathway 1 (care at home) remains the most significant patient group for beds lost
- Of the 113 beds lost in December, approximately 38 were lost due to internal processes

Key dependencies

- Delayed discharges are impacted by the availability of care packages in the community
- There remains an opportunity to optimise internal processes to reduce the number of beds lost

Future actions

- Reducing internal delays are a key part of our plans to improve in-patient length of stay during 2024/25
- Granular analysis of data is being performed to identify root causes, focusing on medical patients

Theatre Utilisation - Elective GIRFT Capped

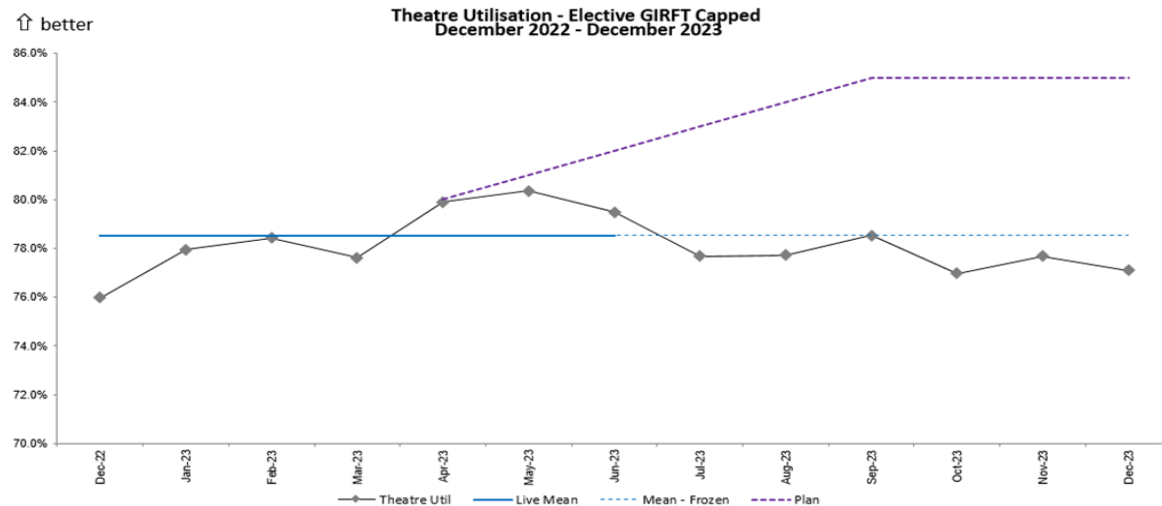
Dec-23	Plan
77.1%	85.0%

SPC Variance
Normal variation

Performance in the 2 weeks to 03/12/2023	
CUH	78.2%
Shelford Grp Median	76.9%

Three Month Forecast		
Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24
85.0%	85.0%	85.0%

Utilisation by department	
Department	Utilisation
ATC	78.5%
Main	77.2%
Rosie	78.2%
CMSH	77.7%
CEU	68.6%
Ely	78.8%
All	77.1%



Updates since previous month

- Capped Utilisation across December was 77.1%.
- Excluding the Industrial Action period increases performance to 78%. Performance remains in Quartile 3.
- Ely delivered an improved 78.8% this month.
- Sessions used were 88.6% improving to 95.4% with Industrial Action dates excluded.

Current issues

- Two services achieved over 85% utilisation in month. Eight were below 70% including General Ophthalmology with 23 sessions of activity.
- Short notice cancellations were 327 this month and Ophthalmology have the highest volume at 47.
- 34% clinical reasons, 13% patient initiated. 27% were in advance of the day of surgery.

Key dependencies

- Low short notice cancellations
- Ability to readily back fill cancellations requiring pool of pre-assessed patients
- Efficient start times and turnaround times
- Optimum scheduling with 6-4-2 oversight.
- L2DSU maintaining core function as DOSA and 23hr stay elective facility.

Future actions

- Cancellation data again supports that standby patients should be a targeted initiative in Ophthalmology and Paediatric Surgery where bed capacity is less of a constraint. This has been a requested action from Surgery Programme Board.

BADS Daycase Rates

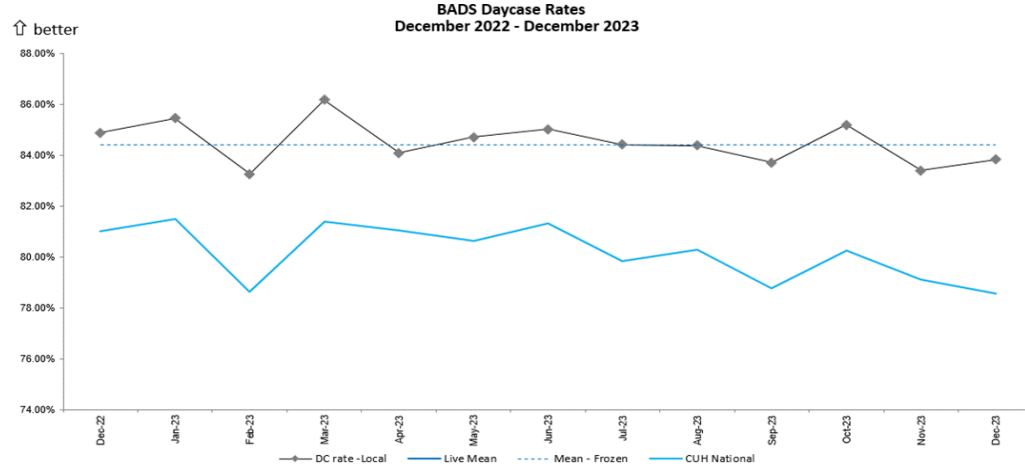
Dec-23	Target
83.8%	N/A

SPC Variance
Normal variation

Shelford Grp Median 3m to end of Sep '23
77.5%

BADS Section Day Case Rate for HVLC focus areas

	3 months to end of Sep '23				Dec-23
Specialty	CUH	Shelford	Quartile	Local	
Orthopaedics	84.8%	83.1%	3	90.6%	
ENT	68.4%	80.1%	1	81.4%	
General	66.0%	67.0%	2	75.2%	
Gynaecology	49.3%	64.6%	1	63.4%	
Ophthalmology	98.3%	98.1%	2	99.3%	
Urology	65.6%	68.3%	2	61.8%	



Updates since previous month

- Model Hospital GIRFT data for 3months to Sep 2023 still shows low performance in quartile 1.
- Local BADS reporting for zero LOS shows performance below 85% at to 83.8% in December.

Current issues

- Inaccurate recording of Intended Management. 55 zero LOS BADS procedures recorded as inpatient.
- 29% of the >0 LOS. were in Urology, with 11% specifically for HOLEP, 5% Lap Chole, 4% Urology bladder tumour resection.
- 58% >0 LOS were 23hr stay on L2 or F3. Did not use Inpatient capacity.

Key dependencies

- Correct data recording of Intended Management
- Effective patient flow on L2 daycase / 23 hr stay
- Clinically led discharge criteria.
- Timing of cases on theatre list

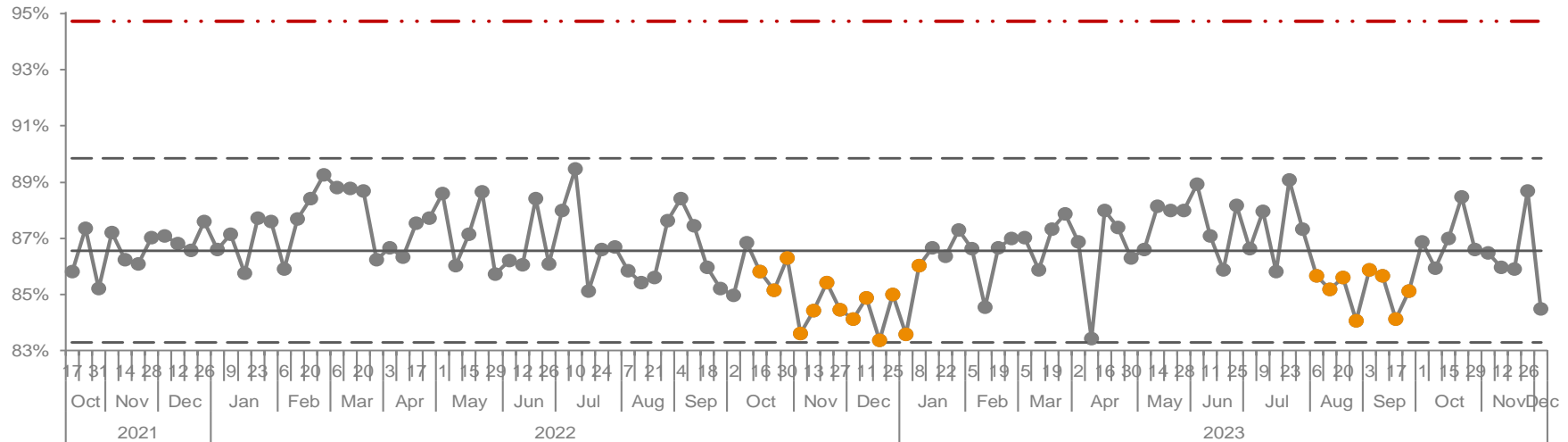
Future actions

- Detail on incorrect intended management being circulated to Specialties each month at SPB.
- Urology deep dive into HOLEP procedures requested. Urology have completed a similar action on Ureteroscopy and findings being taken forward.

Discharge Summaries

Discharge Summary Letters (Weekly)

Percent of discharge summaries sent in under 2 days



Discharge summaries

The importance of discharge summaries has been raised repeatedly with clinical staff of all grades and is included at induction.











The ongoing performance of each clinical team can be readily seen through an Epic report available to all staff

The clinical leaders have been repeatedly challenged over performance in their areas of responsibility at CD/ DD meetings and within Divisional Performance meetings

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Patient Experience - Friends & Family Test (FFT)

The good experience and poor experience indicators omit neutral responses.

Indicator	Data range	Period	Target	Current period	Mean	Variance	Special causes	Target status	Comments
FFT Inpatient good experience score	Jul 20 - Dec 23	Month	-	93.0%	95.1%		S7	-	For December, both the Good and Poor scores improved. The Good score improved by 1% compared to November and is now 1.5% lower compared to same time last year. The Poor score improved by 2% and is now the same score compared to this time last year. FOR DEC: there were 322 FFT responses collected from approx. 4,173 patients.
FFT Inpatient poor experience score	Jul 20 - Dec 23	Month	-	2.2%	1.9%		-	-	
FFT Outpatients good experience score	Apr 20 - Dec 23	Month	-	93.8%	94.8%		S7	-	For December, there was no change in the Good score or the Poor score. Both scores are remaining consistent with less than 1% change. There were only 3 paediatric FFT responses so the FFT scores mainly reflect adult clinics. FOR DEC: there were 4,546 FFT responses collected from approx. 24,971 patients. The SPC icons shows special cause variations: high is a concern with having more than 7 consecutive months below/above the mean / low is a concern.
FFT Outpatients poor experience score	Apr 20 - Dec 23	Month	-	3.2%	2.5%		SP	-	
FFT Day Case good experience score	Apr 20 - Dec 23	Month	-	95.0%	96.4%		-	-	For December, there was no change in the Good score or the Poor score, compared to November. Although both scores are the lowest/highest for the year, it is not a concern. The Good score remains around 95% and the Poor score below 3%. FOR DEC: there were 1,166 FFT responses collected from approx. 4,289 patients.
FFT Day Case poor experience score	Apr 20 - Dec 23	Month	-	3.0%	1.8%		SP	-	
FFT Emergency Department good experience score	Apr 20 - Dec 23	Month	-	80.6%	82.7%		S7	-	For December, both the Good score and the Poor score improved compared to November. The Good score improved by 2% and is now slightly above 80%, the first time in 4 months. The Poor score also improved by 2% and is also the best score in the past 4 months. Both adult and paediatric ED had improved scores, with paedics Good score improving by 9% and Poor score by 7%, compared to Nov. FOR DEC: there were 1,020 FFT responses collected from approx. 5,776 patients.
FFT Emergency Department poor experience score	Apr 20 - Dec 23	Month	-	11.3%	10.6%		S7	-	
FFT Maternity (all FFT data from 4 touchpoints) good experience score	Jul 20 - Dec 23	Month	-	89.6%	94.4%		-	-	FOR DEC: Antenatal had 5 FFT response - 80% Good/0% Poor; Birth had 20 FFT responses out of 436 patients - 95% Good/ 0% Poor; Postnatal had 42 FFT responses: LM had 14 FFT (compared to 72 responses beginning of the year) with 85.7% Good/14.3% Poor, DU had 3 FFT with 66.7% Good/0% Poor, BU had 23 FFT with 91.3% Good/4.3% Poor, and COU 100% Good from 2 responses. 0 FFT responses from Post Community . DEC MATERNITY OVERALL: Good score increased by 4% and Poor score decreased by 2% from 67 FFT responses.
FFT Maternity (all FFT data from 4 touchpoints) poor experience score	Jul 20 - Dec 23	Month	-	4.5%	2.1%		-	-	

FFT data starts from April 2020 for day case, ED and OP FFT (SMS used to collect FFT), and inpatient and maternity FFT data starts with July 2020 due to Covid-19 restrictions on collecting FFT data. For NHSE FFT submission, wards still not collecting FFT are not being included in submission. In December 15 wards did not collect any FFT data.

December FFT scores either improved or did not change, compared to November. There was no change to the scores for day unit and for outpatients. The outpatients FFT scores have remained steady yet the SPC icon shows a concern, but with the Good score close to 95% and the Poor score 3%, there is no concern. Day case FFT scores are similar to outpatients and there is no concern. Overall ED Good score improved by 2% and the Poor score improved by 2%. Adult ED improved slightly, however the paedics ED Good score improved by 9% and the Poor score improved by 7% compared to November.

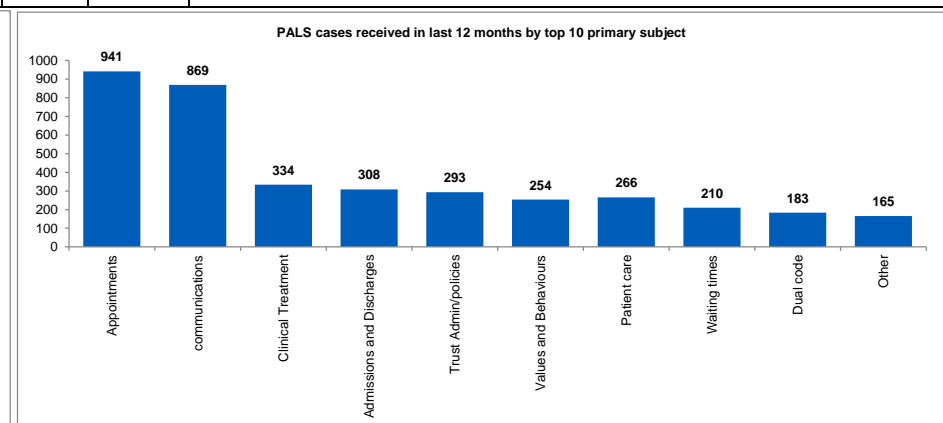
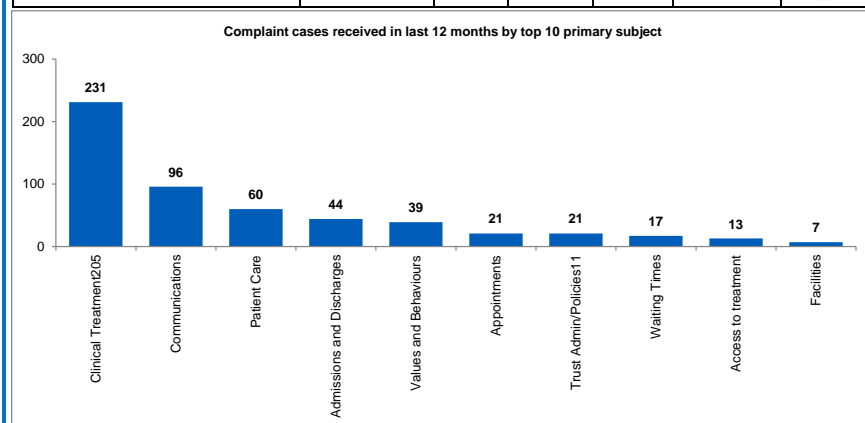
Overall maternity FFT scores also improved: Good score improved by 4% and the Poor score improved by 2%. This is mainly from the Birth Good score that increased by 10% and the Poor score decreased by 6% compared to Nov. The Postnatal scores also improved: 2% increased for the Good score and 1% decrease for the Poor score. However the Antenatal Good score declined by 20%, from 100% in Nov to 80%. The very low number of FFT collected in maternity has affected the score. Only 5 FFT responses from antenatal, 3 FFT from the delivery unit (out of 365 patients), 14 FFT from Lady Mary (out of 350 patients).

Please note starting in 2022, the Trust reduced the number of SMS being sent to adult patients. Instead of sending a text message to every adult patient that attend an OP/DU appointment, or presented to A&E, the Trust now sends a fixed number of SMS daily.

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PALS and Complaints Cases

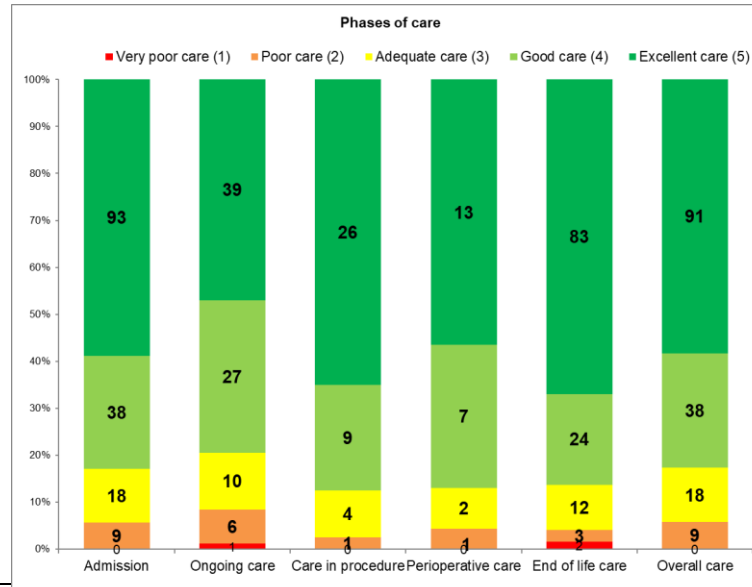
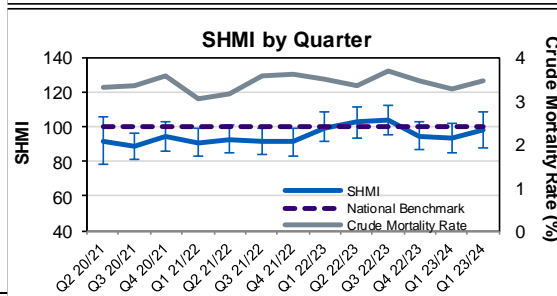
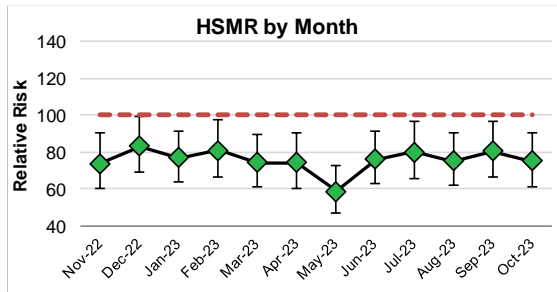
Indicator	Data range	Period	Target	Current period	Mean	Variance	Special causes	Target status	Comments
Complaints received	Dec 19- Dec 23	month	-	51	55		SP	-	The number of complaints received between December 2019 - December 2023 is higher than normal variance.
% acknowledged within 3 days	Dec 19-Dec 23	month	95%	94%	73%		-		48 out of 51 complaints were acknowledged within 3 working days
% responded to within initial set timeframe (30, 45 or 60 working days)	Dec 19-Dec 23	month	50%	37%	30%		S7		82 complaints were responded to in December, 30 of the 82 met the initial time frame of either 30,45 or 60 days.
Total complaints responded to within initial set timeframe or by agreed extension date	Dec 19 -Dec 23	month	80%	37%	87%		SP		30 out of 82 complaints responded to in December were within the initial set time frame or within an agreed extension date.
% complaints received graded 4 to 5	Dec 19 -Dec 23	month	-	16%	34%		-	-	There were 7 complaints graded 4 severity, and 1 graded 5. These cover a number of specialties and will be subject to detailed investigations.
Compliments received	Dec 19 -Dec 23	month	-	33	32		S7	-	33 Compliments were registered during December and sent onto relevant staff for information



PHSO - There were no cases taken for investigation in December 2023 by the Parliamentary and Health Service Ombudsman. A backlog of complaint responses (550) declared in May 2023 has now been brought down to less than 20. A new process has been introduced within the complaints team to try to resolve issues raised much quicker by engaging the Divisions at the outset to reduce the number of lengthy responses. Meetings and telephone conversations are being offered to all complainants as an option rather than a written response.

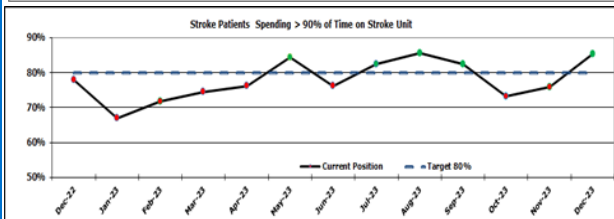
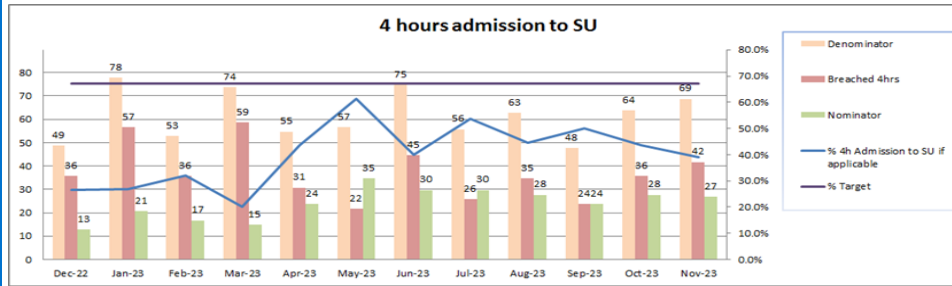
Learning from Deaths

Indicator	Data range	Dec-23	Mean	Variance	Comments
Total inpatient and Emergency department deaths	January 2019 - December 2023	154	136		
Total Emergency Department and Inpatient deaths per 1000 admissions		8.9	8.6		
Emergency department deaths per 1,000 attendances		1	0.8		
Inpatient deaths by 1,000 admissions		10.1	10.3		Statistically significant downward shift in the last 10 months.
NON-elective admission deaths by 1,000 admissions		41	28		December 2023 shows a statistically significant high point.
% of Emergency Department and Inpatient deaths in-scope for a Structured Judgement Review (SJR)		18%	20%		In December 2023 27 SJRs were commissioned.



Executive Summary
HSMR - The rolling 12 month (November 2022 to October 2023) HSMR for CUH is 75.82, this is 5th lowest within the London and ATHOL peer group. The rolling 12 month HSMR for the Shelford Peer group is 91.39.
SHMI - The Summary Hospital-level Mortality Indicator (SHMI) for CUH in the latest period, September 2022 to August 2023 is 97.88.
Alert - There is 1 alert for review within the HSMR and SHMI dataset this month.
 There were **no serious incidents categorised as potentially/avoidable death** commissioned in December 2023.

Stroke Care



4h Themes	MRN
Awaiting senior review	4
Covid pt	1
Delay to review	2
Inpatient stroke	1
Not referred on arrival	8
Patient had cardiac problems in ED	1
SAT busy with multiple calls, CT busy	1
Trust Bed Capacity	15
Unsure if stroke, MRI confirmed stroke	2
Total	35

Breach reasons for not achieving 90% IP stay on Stroke ward 2022/23 and Monthly Stroke position															
Month	Stroke Bed Capacity * No outliers *	Trust Bed Capacity * Outliers *	Operational decision - patient moved off the unit to accommodate an acute stroke	Delay in medical review in ED	Delay in referral to Stroke Team	Clinical - Appropriate pathway for patient	Difficult presentation	Not referred to stroke team	Delayed diagnosis	Clinician's decision to place patient on different ward	Unclear presentation	Difficult diagnosis / Complex patient	Resource capacity	Number of breaches	Month Position (Target 80%)
Dec-22	1	6			1		1				4			13	73.5%
Jan-23	14	14			3	4					6		1	28	67.1%
Feb-23	2	7			1	2					6			18	71.9%
Mar-23	1	9		2	3	1			1		3	2		22	74.4%
Apr-23	3	6			3				2			1		15	76.2%
May-23	1	2			3						3	1		10	84.4%
Jun-23	2	5				4					9			20	76.2%
Jul-23	5	5		2		1					4			12	82.4%
Aug-23	5	5			1	2					2			10	85.7%
Sep-23	6	6			1	1		2						10	82.5%
Oct-23	16	16			2	1					1			20	73.3%
Nov-23	12	12				4	2				2			20	75.9%
Dec-23	4	4		1	3	1	1				1			11	85.3%
Summary	10	97	0	5	21	21	4	2	3	0	41	4	1	209	

90% target (80% Patients spending 90% IP stay on Stroke ward) was achieved for December 2023 = 85.3%

Trust bed capacity (4) was the main factor contributing to breaches last month, with a total of 11 breaches in December 2023.

4hrs adm to SU (67%) target compliance was not achieved in December 2023 = 44.4%

Key Actions

- Work continues to protect 2 x ring-fenced beds on R2 (one male and one female)
- Ops team met with new head of patient flow in November and she is supportive of helping to increase awareness of R2 pathway and the importance of protecting the stroke bedbase
- Currently in discussion with ED to change pathway for Stroke Alert notification – will explore paramedic contacting SAT directly to reduce delays between patient arrival and SAT in ED.
- ACP role to support stroke unit interviews to take place mid-February
- National SSNAP data shows Trust performance from July -Sept 2023 at Level A. The team is formulating a plan to try to maintain this progress
- Weekly review with root cause analysis undertaken for all breaches, with actions taken forward appropriately.
- The stroke bleep team continue to see over 200 referrals in ED a month, many of those are stroke mimics or TIAs. TIA patients are increasingly treated and discharged from ED with clinic follow up. Many stroke mimics are also discharged rapidly by stroke team from ED. For every stroke patient seen, we see three patients who present with stroke mimic.
- Working with acute med team to establish TIA ambulatory service in clinic 5 to help support admission avoidance and reduce presentations in ED. We have worked through pathway with Acute Medicine and the plan is to go live April 2024

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Clinical Studies

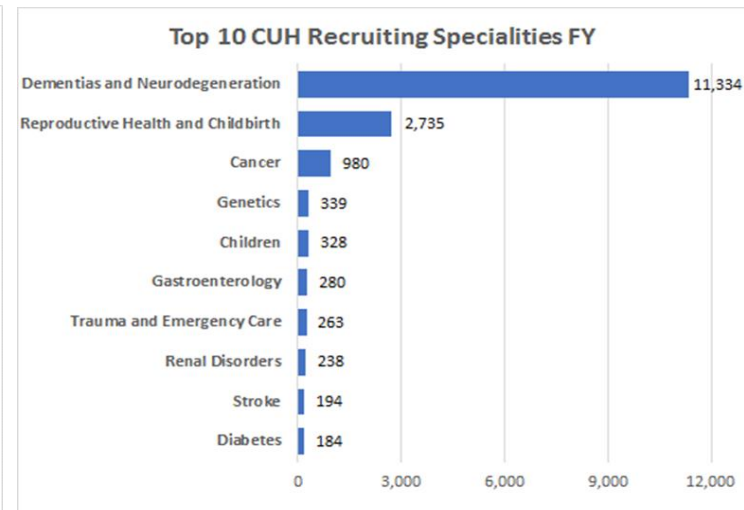
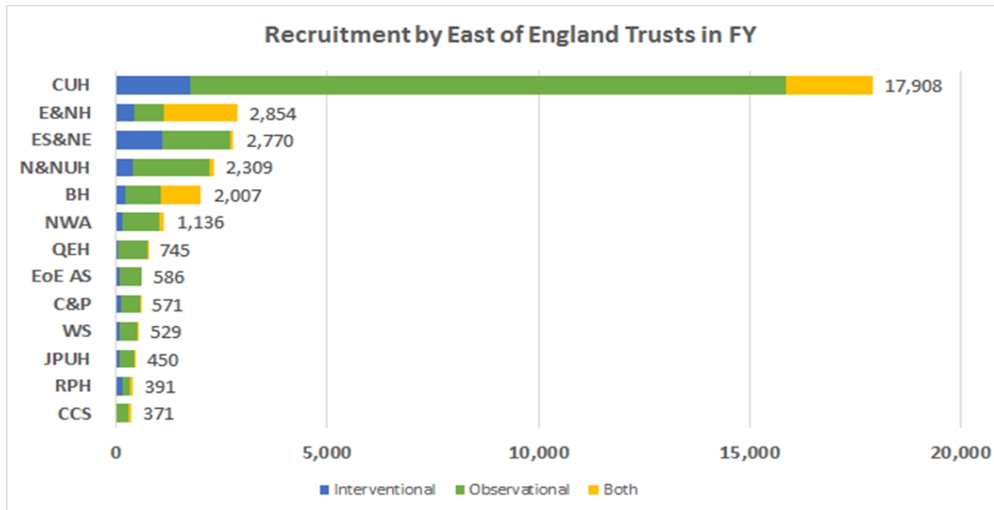


Total Recruitment at end of Dec - FY 2023-24

17,908

Recruiting Studies at end of December for FY 2023-24

Open	274	Non Commercial	276
Closed	56	Commercial	57
Suspended	3		
Total	333		



Situation as at end of Q3 2023/24 (Data cut: 17/01/2024)

- * Total recruitment in the financial year to date: 17,908. The significant increase from September was driven by the Bioresource - Genes & cognition Study. This is a questionnaire based study and the Bioresource has a large cohort to recruit participants from (target = 40,000) and accounted for 80% of CUH recruitment from September to Dec.
- * CUH accounted for 53% of total recruitment by Eastern Trusts in the financial year to date.
- * Recruitment to the Dementias and Neurodegeneration speciality accounted for 63% of all recruitment (driven by the Bioresource - Genes & cognition Study). Reproductive Health and Childbirth accounted for 15%. All of the other individual specialities accounted for less than 6% of the total recruitment.
- * There were 333 recruiting studies, of which 57 were Commercial, and 276 Non-Commercial.

Note: Figures were compiled by the Clinical Research Network and cover all research studies conducted at CUH that are on the national portfolio

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Compliance

Assessed compliance with CNST MIS 10 Safety Actions Yr 5			Evidence of SBLCB V3 Compliance			Assessment against Ockenden Immediate and Essential Actions (IEA) – to achieve full compliance will all elements of each IEA		
	Please identify unit	CUH	Element		CUH			CUH
1	Perinatal Mortality review tool	C	1	Reducing smoking in pregnancy	W	IEA1:	Enhanced Safety	W
2	MSDS	C	2	Fetal growth: Risk assessment, surveillance and management	W	IEA2:	Listening to Women & Families	C
3	Transitional care / ATAIN	C	3	Raising awareness of Reduced Fetal Movements	C	IEA3:	Staff training & Working Together	C
4	Clinical workforce planning	C	4	Effective Fetal monitoring during labour	W	IEA4:	Managing complex pregnancy	W
5	Midwifery Workforce planning	C	5	Reducing preterm birth and optimising perinatal care	W	IEA5:	Risk Assessment Throughout pregnancy	W
6	SBLCB V3	C	6	Management of pre-existing Diabetes in Pregnancy	W	IEA6:	Monitoring Fetal wellbeing	C
7	Listening to women, parents & families / co-production with service users	C	SBLCBv3 Fully compliant (National Tool)		N	IEA7:	Informed Consent	W
8	Core competency framework / Multi-prof training	C				Fully compliant (self assessment)		N
9	Board level assurance	C						
10	HSIB (MNSI) /Early notification scheme	C						
Repayment of CNST (since introduction) Y/N and MIS yr		N						

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Key (current position)		Insert (to automatic)
Compliant	Compliant with all aspects of element	C
Working towards / Partially compliant	Working towards (MIS & SBLCB) / Partially compliant (Ockendon)	W
Not compliant	Not compliant with all aspects of element	N

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Clinical Outcome Measures

KPI (see final slide for detail)	Measurement / Target		Numerator / Denominator			KPI (see final slide for detail)	Measurement / Target		Numerator / denominator		
			Numerator	denominator	%				Numerator	denominator	%
Massive Obstetric Haemorrhage ≥ 1500 mls	Vaginal birth	3.30%	9	246	3.66%	Term admissions to NNU. Reviews should now include all neonatal unit transfers or admissions regardless of their length of stay and/or admission to BadgerNet.	<6% (of total births)	30	469	6.4% (Nov'23)	
(as per NMPA descriptor, slide 8)	Caesarean	4.50%	7	156	4.49%		%age of total admissions that were avoidable	0	27	0% (Oct'23)	
3rd & 4th degree tear (as per NMPA descriptor, slide)	SVD (unassisted)	Unassisted 2.5%	1	193	0.52%	Optimisation (metrics to be determined locally as per SBLBCV3) please see the implementation tool for technical guidance			Oct'23 data		
(as per NMPA descriptor, slide)	Instrumental (assisted)	Assisted 6.3%	6	53	11.32%	Right place of birth					
						Percentage of singleton infants less than 27 weeks of gestation, multiples less than 28 weeks of gestation, or any gestation with an estimated fetal weight of less than 800g, born in a maternity service on the same site as a neonatal intensive care unit (NICU)	local agreement %	4	4	100%	
Caesarean section (%age)	(see guidance document)	overall rate not required				Antenatal corticosteroids					
(primip, singleton, ceph, over 37/40, spontaneous labour)	Robson Group 1	N/A	17	83	20.5%	Percentage of babies born before 34 weeks of gestation who receive a full course of antenatal corticosteroids within 1 week of birth	local agreement 55%	5	13	38%	
[primip, singleton, over 37/40, who had labour induced (2a) or LSCS prior to labour (2b)]	Robson Group 2	N/A	31	82	37.8%	Magnesium sulphate					
	2a		17	17	100.0%	Percentage of babies born before 30 weeks of gestation who receive magnesium sulphate within the 24 hours prior to birth	local agreement 90%	7	7	100%	
(Multip, at least 1 uterine scar, singleton, ceph, over 37/40)	Robson Group 5	N/A	53	66	80.3%	IV antibiotics					
Smoking at time of delivery		≤ 6%	14	438	3.20%	Percentage of women who give birth following preterm labour below 34 weeks of gestation who receive IV intrapartum antibiotic prophylaxis to prevent early onset neonatal Group B Streptococcal (GBS) infection	local agreement 90%	7	8	88% for up to 34 weeks (61% for up to 37 weeks)	
Preterm birth						Optimal Cord Clamping					
Preterm birth rate	≤36+6 weeks (over 24+0/40) National ambition	≤6% annual rolling rate (Total PTB all babies 24-36+6)	497	5437	9.14%	Percentage of babies born below 34 weeks of gestation who have their umbilical cord clamped at or after one minute after birth.	local agreement 75%	8	13	62% for up to 34 weeks (71% for up to 37 weeks)	
	16+0 - 23+6 (SBLCBv3)	%age of all singleton births (live & stillborn)	1	429	0.23%	Thermoregulation					
	24+0 - 36+6 (SBLCBv3)	%age of all singleton births (live & stillborn)	26	429	6.06%	Percentage of babies born below 34 weeks of gestation who have a first temperature which is both between 36.5– 37.5°C and measured within one hour of birth	local agreement 75%	9	13	69%	
						Early Maternal Breast milk					
						Percentage of babies born below 34 weeks of gestation who receive their own mother's milk within 24 hours of birth.	local agreement 50%	2	13	15%	

MBRRACE stabilised & adjusted mortality rates per 1000 births with congenital abnormalities included/ excluded (annual only)

Unit	Stillbirth	Neonatal Death < 7/7	Extended perinatal
CUH	4.16/1000 births with congenital abnormalities 3.71/1000 births excluding deaths due to congenital abnormalities	2.40/1000	6.49/1000

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KPI	Goal	Target	Measure	Data Source	Jul-23	Aug-23	Sep-23	Oct-23	Nov-23	Dec-23	SPC	Narrative and Actions taken for Red/Amber/Special cause concerning trend results
Activity												
Births	For information	N/A	Births per month	CHEQs	490	466	443	472	469	446	5456	
Health and social care assessment <GA 12+6/40	> 90%	>=90% <90% and >=80% <80%	In area booking appointments	Epic	89.11%	95.05%	86.75%	99.09%	94.74%	95.86%		
Booking Appointments	For Information	N/A	Booking Appointments	Epic	358	343	400	330	352	290		
Vaginal Birth (Unassisted)	For Information	N/A	SVDs in all birth settings	CHEQs	48.16%	49.79%	49.89%	51.48%	48.83%	45.52%		
Home Birth	For Information	N/A	Planned home births (BBA is excluded)	CHEQs	1.63%	0.86%	1.13%	1.69%	0.85%	1.57%		
Rosie Birth Centre Birth	For Information	N/A	Births on the Rosie Birth Centre	CHEQs	13.47%	13.52%	16.93%	15.04%	13.86%	12.78%		
Rosie Birth Centre transfers	For information	N/A	Women admitted to RBC and subsequently transferred for birth	CHEQs	34.41%	42.39%	29.03%	37.96%	43.16%	36.00%		
Birth assisted by instrument (forceps or ventouse) (Instrumental)	For Information	N/A	Instrumental birth rate	CHEQs	12.04%	9.87%	9.48%	10.17%	11.94%	12.33%		
CS rate (planned & unplanned)	For Information	N/A	C/S rate overall	CHEQs	39.18%	39.70%	40.18%	37.71%	38.38%	42.15%		
Women in RG*1 having a caesarean section with no previous births: nullip spontaneous labour	For information	10%	Relative contribution of the Robson group to the overall C/S Rate	CHEQs	20.90%	16.10%	18.50%	12.90%	24.30%	20.50%		
Women in RG*2 having a caesarean section with no previous births: nullip induced labour, nullip pre-labour LSCS	For Information	For Information	Relative contribution of the Robson group to the overall C/S Rate	CHEQs	55.10%	47.90%	51.00%	57.30%	48.10%	48.50%		
Ratio of women in RG1 to RG2	Ratio of >2:1	N/A	Ratio of group 1 to 2 should be 2:1 or higher	CHEQs	13.68	12.98	13.53	1.5	12.08	12.82		
Women in RG*5. Multiples with 1 or 2+ previous C/S	For Information	For Information	Relative contribution of the Robson group to the overall C/S Rate	CHEQs	83.3%	88.2%	91.5%	77.4%	77.3%	80.3%		
Women in RG1, RG2, RG5 combined contribution to the overall C/S rate.	66%	60-70%	Relative contribution of the Robson group to the overall C/S Rate	CHEQs	67.2%	62.2%	68.5%	60.1%	61.7%	64.4%		
Induction of Labour rate	For Information	N/A	Percentage of women induced for birth	CHEQs	33.89%	33.48%	34.18%	31.84%	31.66%	30.59%		
Delay in commencement of Induction (IOL)	0%	<10%	Percentage of Inductions where Induction commencement was postponed >2 hours (flag 1)	CHEQs	28.64%	24.87%	34.88%	28.74%	25.95%	22.65%		CQC workstream for IOL improvements, including improvements to report errors. Lowest rate for 2023.
Delay in continuation of Induction (IOL)	0%	<10%	Percentage of Induction continuation when suitable for ARM delayed for more than 6 hours (flag 3)	CHEQs	9.05%	10.05%	15.00%	14.37%	10.81%	11.05%		CQC workstream for IOL improvements, including improvements to report errors.
Indication for IOL (SBLCBV3)	0%	5-10%	Percentage of IOL where reduced fetal movements is the only indication before 39 weeks (denominator = all IOLs <39 weeks).	IOL Team	0%	5%	0%	7%	6%	0%		
Indication for IOL	100%	≥95%	Percentage of IOL with a valid indication as per guidance (or a consultant plan if outside guidance).	IOL Team	100%	98.70%	100%	97%	99%	100%		
Divert Status - Incidence	0	<1	Incidence of divert for the perinatal service	Rosie Diverts	4	2	1	1	2	5		2 diverts due to NICU capacity and staffing only. 3 diverts due to maternity staffing and capacity.
Total number of hours on divert	For information	N/A	Hours:minutes	Rosie Diverts	98.20	27.50	18.08	21.25	30.20	70.00		
Admissions to Rosie during divert status	For information	N/A	Number of women admitted to the Rosie during divert based on Admissions Report	CHEQs	52	7	12	10	21	32		
Number of women giving birth in another provider organisation due to divert status	For information	N/A	Whole number of pregnant women	CHEQs	4	2	1	1	1	3		
Number of IULTs declined due to maternity services capacity/staffing	0	0	Whole number of pregnant women	EBS data		8	1	0	1			Reported 1 month behind.

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Workforce												
Midwife/birth ratio (actual)**	1:24	<1.28	Total permanent and bank clinical midwife WTE*/Births (rolling 12 month average)	Finance	1.25.3	1.25.2	1.25.1	1.23.1	1.22.4	1.22.5		
Midwife/birth ratio (funded)**	For information	1.24.1	Total permanent and bank clinical midwife WTE*/Births (rolling 12 month average based on the BR+ maternity services)	Finance	1.23.4	1.23.4	1.23.2	1.23.1	1.23.1	1.23.1		
Supernumerary Delivery Unit Coordinator	100%	≥95%	Percentage compliance with Delivery Unit coordinator remaining supernumerary (no high risk 1:1 or labour 1:1 care)	BR+ RF11	100%	100%	100%	98%	100%	100%		
Staff sickness as a whole	< 3.5%	<5%	ESR Workforce Data	CHEQs	4.19%	4.29%	4.37%	4.49%	4.54%			Reports one month behind. Special improving cause noted.
Education & Training - mandatory training - overall compliance (obstetrics and gynaecology)	>92% YTD	>75% YTD	Total Obstetric and Gynaecology Staff (all staff groups) compliant with mandatory training	CHEQs	91.7%	93.0%	92.7%	91.1%	91.4%			Reports one month behind.
Education and Training - Training Compliance for all staff groups: Prompt	>90% YTD	>85% YTD	Total multidisciplinary obstetric staff compliant with annual Prompt training	PD	82%	86.80%	82.60%	94.56%	92.41%	89.67%		Special improving cause noted.
Education and Training - Training Compliance for all staff groups: NBLS as per MIS requirements	>90% YTD	>85% YTD	Total multidisciplinary staff providing "attending births" within maternity services compliant with annual NBLS	Resus Services	80%	80%	75%	75%	81%	79%		Action plan in place to achieve 90% compliance by 1 March 2024.
Education and Training - Training Compliance for all staff groups: K2	>90% YTD	>85% YTD	Total multidisciplinary staff passed K2 competencies.	Fetal surveillance MW	81.00%	84.20%	80.60%	88.10%	91.20%	76.60%		Transitioning from K2 to DOT for competency assessment. New DOT module not available until Feb 2024 therefore drop in compliance. Additionally new training week attendance which prioritises fetal monitoring study day compliance does not align with when some people will become non-compliant for the competency assessment. Time given for competency assessment in new training week so compliance will fall before improving again.
Education and Training - Training Compliance for all Staff Groups - Fetal Surveillance Study Day	>90% YTD	>85% YTD	Total multidisciplinary staff compliant with annual fetal surveillance study day attendance.	Fetal surveillance MW	82.00%	86.60%	88.00%	84.50%	91.40%	92.40%		CNST MIS year 5 compliance target exceeded for all staff groups and maintained for a further month.
Education & Training - mandatory training - midwifery compliance .	>92% YTD	>75% YTD	Proportion of midwifery compliance with mandatory training, inclusive of mandated e-learning and mandated face to face sessions.	CHEQs	92.6%	93.5%	93.0%	90.3%	90.2%			Reports one month behind.
Maternal morbidity												
Puerperal Sepsis	For information	N/A	Incidence of puerperal sepsis within 42 days of birth	CHEQs	0.42%	0.43%	0.46%	0.43%	0.44%	0.23%		
ITU Admissions in Obstetrics	For information	N/A	Total number of pregnant / postnatal women admitted to the intensive care unit	CHEQs / QGIS	0	0	2	1	1	0		
Massive Obstetric Haemorrhage ≥ 1500 ml - vaginal birth	≤3.3%	≤3.3%	Percentage of women with a PPH >1500mls (singleton births between 37+0-42+6) having a vaginal birth	Rosie KPIs	5.84%	5.30%	5.58%	4.61%	5.88%	3.66%		CQC workstream for PPH improvements ongoing and reported to MOB.
Massive Obstetric Haemorrhage ≥ 1500 ml - caesarean birth	≤4.5%	≤4.5%	Percentage of women with a PPH >1500mls (singleton births between 37+0-42+6) having a caesarean section	Rosie KPIs	3.73%	6.08%	6.00%	3.97%	4.00%	4.49%		
3rd/ 4th degree tear rate	≤3.5	<5%	Percentage of women with a vaginal birth having a 3rd or 4th degree tear (spontaneous and assisted by instrument) singleton baby in cephalic	Rosie KPIs	1.83%	3.04%	4.84%	4.33%	4.80%	2.85%		
Maternal readmission rate	For information	N/A	Percentage of women readmitted to maternity service within 42 days of birth.	Rosie KPIs	2.30%	2.56%	2.63%	1.63%	2.38%	2.74%		
Peripartum Hysterectomy	For information	N/A	Incidence of peripartum hysterectomy	CHEQs / QGIS	2	0	0	0	0	0		
Direct Maternal Death	0	<1		QGIS	0	0	0	0	0	0		

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Governance												
Total number of Serious Incidents (SIs)	0	<1	Serious Incidents	OSIS	0	0	1	0	0	0		
Never Events	0	<1	DATIX	OSIS	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Neonatal Morbidity												
Still Births per 1000 Births	3.55/1000 (MBRRACE-UK 2024)	rolling rate	Incidence per 1000 births	CHEQs	3.45:1000	3.81:1000	3.65:1000	3.85:1000	3.85:1000	3.85:1000		Dec'23 MBRRACE-UK report England rate = 3.55
Stillbirths - number ≥ 22 weeks	<3	<6	MBRRACE	CHEQs	2	2	1	2	0	1		
Number of birth injuries	0	<1	Percentage of babies born with a birth related injury	CHEQs	1	1	2	0	0	0		
Babies born with an Apgar <7 at 5 minutes of age	For information	N/A	Percentage of babies born who have an Apgar score <7 at 5 minutes of age	Rosie KPIs	1.66%	2.81%	1.59%	2.99%	1.28%	2.48%		
Incidence of neonatal readmission	For information	N/A	Percentage of babies readmitted within 42 days of birth	Rosie KPIs	4.07%	4.74%	4.82%	8.26%	4.21%	4.71%		
Term Admission to NICU Rate	<6%	N/A	Rate	ATAIN report	4.9%	4.9%	5.6%	5.7%	6.4%	6.1%		November and December cases to be reviewed at January ATAIN meeting to determine if any avoidable admissions.
Quality												
1-1 Care in Labour	100%	100%	Percentage of women receiving 1:1 care in labour (excluding BBAs)	Rosie KPIs	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.8%		Sept and Nov previously reported as <100% but on further quality checks for CNST submission confirmed no missed 1:1 care.
Babies with a first feed of breastmilk	≥80%	≥70%	Breastfeeding	Rosie KPIs	83.37%	82.68%	81.41%	78.25%	80.73%	82.84%		
SATOD (Smoking at Time of Delivery)	< 6%	Green = <6%, Amber = 6.1% - 7.9%, Red = >8	% of women identified as smoking at the time of delivery	Rosie KPIs	4.78%	4.78%	6.70%	5.98%	2.84%	3.20%		
CO Monitoring at booking	≥95%	Green = ≥95%, amber = <95% and ≥84%, red = <85%	Compliance with recording CO Monitoring reading at booking appointment (excluding out of area)	Smoking Report with manual checks	89%	82%	87%	97%	91%	89%		CO monitoring at every AN appointment introduced in Dec to encourage standardised practice and thereby improve compliance.
CO Monitoring at 36 weeks	≥95%	Green = >95%, amber = <95% and >84%, red = <85%	Compliance with recording CO Monitoring reading at 36 week appointment (excluding out of area)	Smoking Report with manual checks	62%	67%	60%	65%	76%	75%		CO monitoring at every AN appointment introduced in Dec to encourage standardised practice and thereby improve compliance.
VTE Assessment - AN	≥95%	Green = ≥95%, amber = <95% and ≥90%, red = <90%	Percentage of women with a valid VTE risk assessment completed within 14 hours of admission to hospital.	CHEQs	52%	72%	76%	78%	90%	81%		
VTE Assessment - PN	≥95%	Green = ≥95%, amber = <95% and ≥90%, red = <90%	Percentage of women with a valid PN VTE risk assessment completed within 8 hours of birth.	CHEQs	98%	94%	95%	95%	96%	93%		

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Trust performance summary - Key indicators



Trust actual surplus / (deficit)

£1.1m	Actual (adjusted)*
£0.6m	Plan (adjusted)*
£1.9m	Actual YTD (adjusted)*
£1.9m	Plan YTD (adjusted)*



Elective Payment Mechanism (EPM)

EPM replaces ERF in 23/24 for the variable element of elective performance.

	In month	YTD
EPM forecast actual	£20.1m	£163.9m
Target adj. block increase	£0.8m	£8.3m
EPM actual + block increase	£20.9m	£172.2m
EPM original plan	£18.1m	£179.7m
EPM original target	£16.2m	£165.3m



Net current assets/(liabilities), debtor days, payables performance & EBITDA

Net current assets	
£87.5m	Actual
£46.1m	Plan
Debtor days	
39	This month
25	Previous month

Payables performance (YTD)**	
86.8%	Value
88.6%	Quantity

EBITDA	
£33.2m	Actual YTD
£30.7m	Plan YTD



Capital expenditure

£2.8m	Capital - actual spend in month
£30.7m	Capital - actual spend YTD
£27.2m	Capital - plan YTD



Cash

Cash	
£154.2m	Actual
£145.1m	Plan

Legend £ in million In month YTD

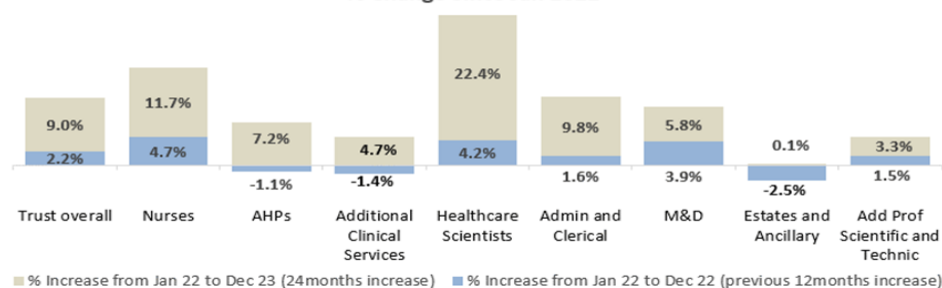
* On a control total basis, excluding the effects of impairments and donated assets
 ** Payables performance YTD relates to the Better Payment Practice Code target to pay suppliers within due date or 30 days of receipt of a valid invoice.

Staff in Post

12 Month Growth by Staff Group

Staff Group	Headcount		Headcount 12 Month growth	FTE		FTE 12 Month growth	
	Jan-23	Dec-23		Jan-23	Dec-23		
Add Prof Scientific and Technic	260	251	↓ -3.5%	234	227	-8	↓ -3.3%
Additional Clinical Services	1,972	2,089	↑ 5.9%	1,811	1,903	92	↑ 5.1%
Administrative and Clerical	2,457	2,619	↑ 6.6%	2,262	2,414	152	↑ 6.7%
Allied Health Professionals	737	796	↑ 8.0%	655	710	56	↑ 8.5%
Estates and Ancillary	367	373	↑ 1.6%	354	362	7	↑ 2.1%
Healthcare Scientists	658	755	↑ 14.7%	621	719	99	↑ 15.9%
Medical and Dental	1,733	1,768	↑ 2.0%	1,633	1,666	33	↑ 2.0%
Nursing and Midwifery Registered	3,884	4,118	↑ 6.0%	3,578	3,802	224	↑ 6.3%
Total	12,068	12,769	↑ 5.8%	11,149	11,803	654	↑ 5.9%

% Change Since Jan 2022



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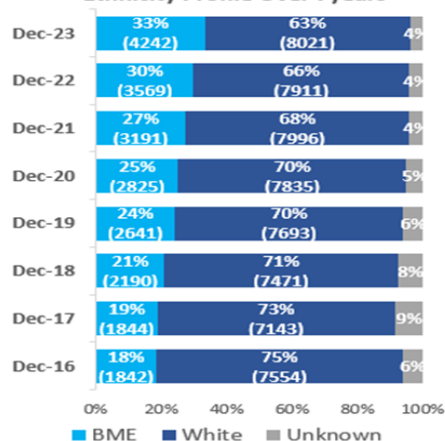
Overall the Trust saw a 5.9% growth in its substantive workforce over the past 12 months and 9% over the past 24 months. Growth over the past 12 months is lowest within the Additional Professional, Scientific and Technical staff group, with a decrease of 3.3%, and highest within Healthcare Scientists at 15.9%. The increase in Healthcare Scientists is in part due to data cleansing of the Genetics Counselling team (staff were re-coded from Additional Professional Scientific and Technical and Additional Clinical Services staff groups to the Healthcare Scientists staff group), and also due to new starters to the Trust - particularly within Genetics, Blood Sciences, Medical Physics and Clinical Engineering and Histopathology.

Admin & Medical Breakdown

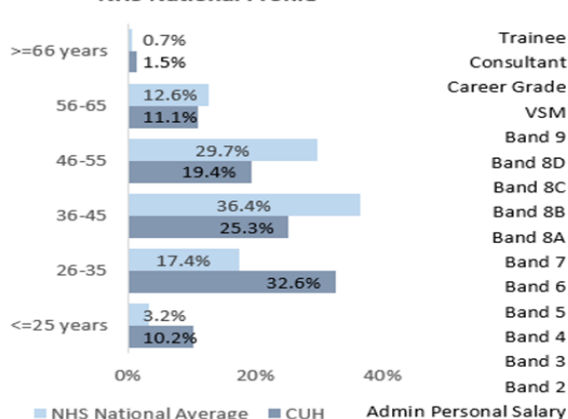
Staff Group	Jan-23	Dec-23	FTE 12 Month growth		
Administrative and Clerical	2,262	2,414	152	↑	6.7%
<i>of which staff within Clinical Division</i>	1,106	1,171	66	↑	6.0%
<i>of which Band 4 and below</i>	762	792	30	↑	3.9%
<i>of which Band 5-7</i>	247	265	18	↑	7.2%
<i>of which Band 8A</i>	47	54	7	↑	15.0%
<i>of which Band 8B</i>	7	7	0	→	0.0%
<i>of which Band 8C and above</i>	42	53	11	↑	26.3%
of which staff within Corporate Areas	910	985	75	↑	8.3%
<i>of which Band 4 and below</i>	252	276	25	↑	9.8%
<i>of which Band 5-7</i>	430	476	46	↑	10.6%
<i>of which Band 8A</i>	88	88	0	↑	0.3%
<i>of which Band 8B</i>	51	51	0	↑	0.1%
<i>of which Band 8C and above</i>	90	95	5	↑	5.3%
of which staff within R&D	246	257	11	↑	4.3%
Medical and Dental	1,633	1,666	33	↑	2.0%
<i>of which Doctors in Training</i>	666	667	1	↑	0.2%
<i>of which Career grade doctors</i>	247	260	13	↑	5.2%
<i>of which Consultants</i>	721	739	19	↑	2.6%

Equality Diversity and Inclusion (EDI)

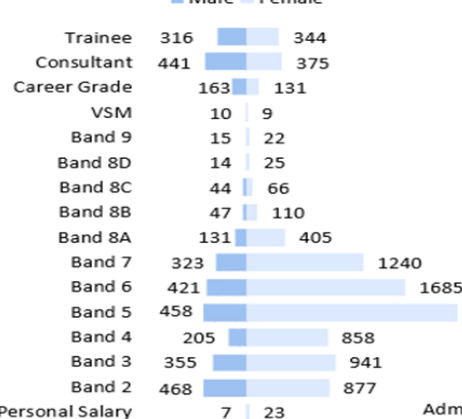
Ethnicity Profile Over 7 Years



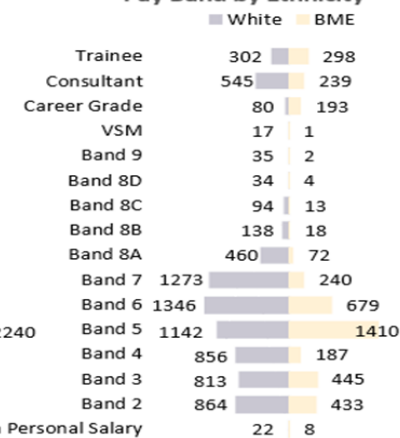
CUH Age Profile Compared to NHS National Profile



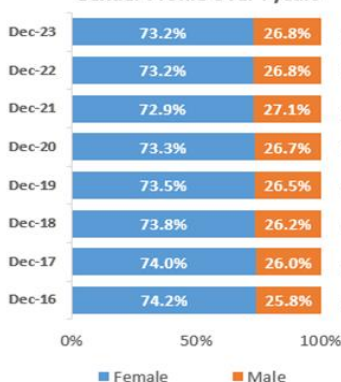
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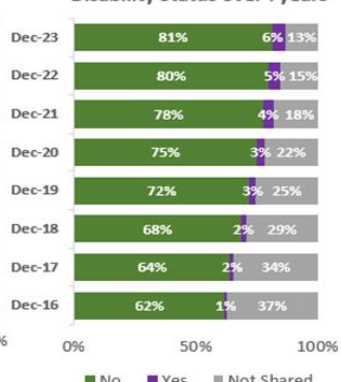
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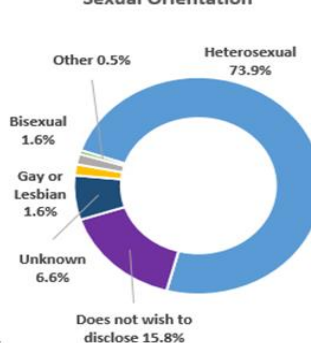
Gender Profile Over 7 Years



Disability Status over 7 Years



Sexual Orientation

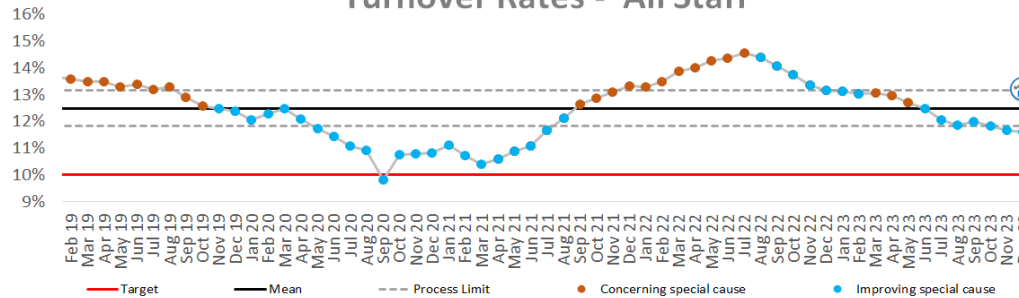


What the information tells us:

- CUH has a younger workforce compared to NHS national average. The majority of our staff are aged 26-45 which accounts for 58% of our total workforce.
- The percentage of BME workforce increased significantly by 15% over the 7 year period and currently make up 33% of the CUH substantive workforce.
- The percentage of male staff increased by 1% to 26.8% over the past seven years.
- The percentage of staff recording a disability increased by 4.8% to 5.6% over the seven year period. However, there are still significant gaps between the data recorded about our staff on ESR compared with the information staff share about themselves when completing the National Staff Survey.
- There remains a high proportion of staff who have, for a variety of reasons, not shared their sexual orientation.

Staff Turnover

Turnover Rates - All Staff

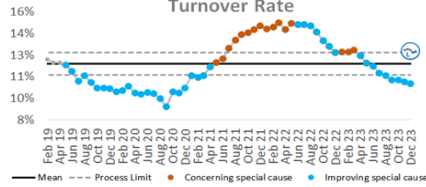


Background Information: Turnover describes the rate that employees leave an establishment. Staff turnover is calculated by the number of leavers from the Trust over the previous twelve months as a percentage of the total number of employed staff at a given time. (excludes all fixed term contracts including junior doctors).

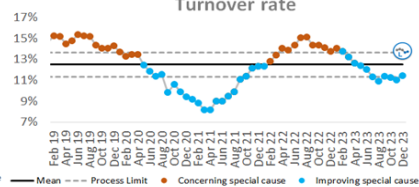
What the information tells us:

After a steady increase from March 2021 the Trust turnover rate has been decreasing since July 2022 - this month at 11.6% (0.1% lower than last month). This is more in line with pre-pandemic rates, and 0.8% lower than 4 years ago. Estates and Ancillary staff group has the highest increase of 3.3% to 14.7% in the last four years, but Additional Professional, Scientific and Technical and Administrative and Clerical staff groups have both seen a reduction in turnover from four years ago (4.5% and 2.9% reductions respectively). Within the staff groups, Additional Clinical Services have the highest turnover rate at 15.5% followed by Estates and Ancillary staff at 14.7%.

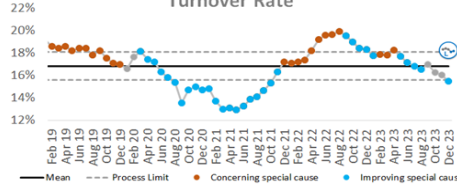
Nursing and Midwifery Turnover Rate



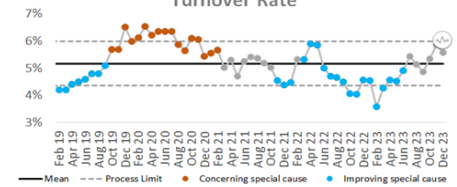
Administrative and Clerical Turnover rate



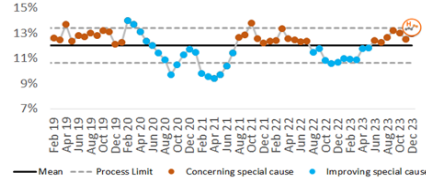
Additional Clinical Services Turnover Rate



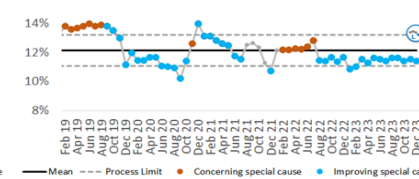
Medical and Dental Turnover Rate



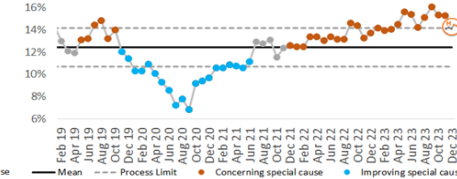
Healthcare Scientists Turnover Rate



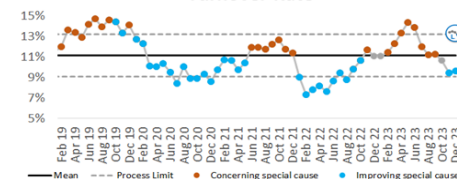
Allied Health Professionals Turnover Rate



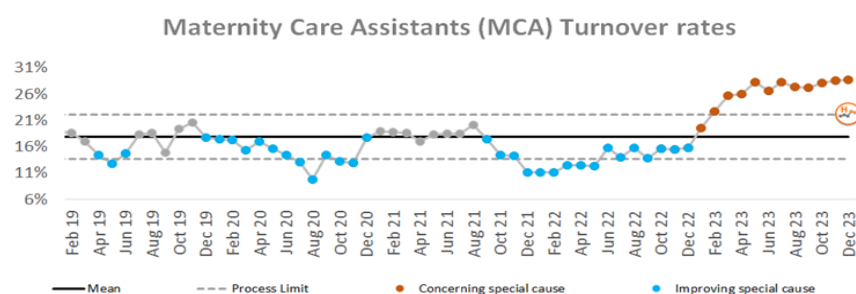
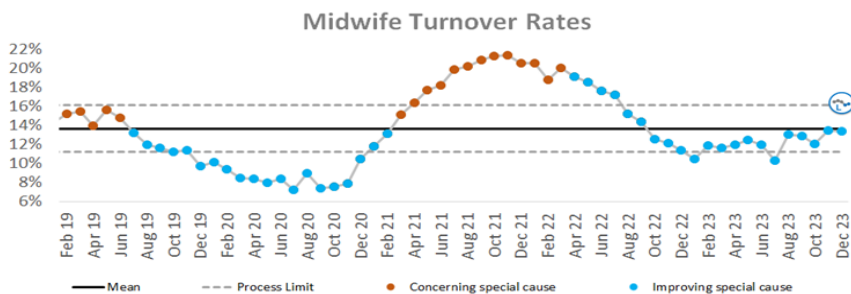
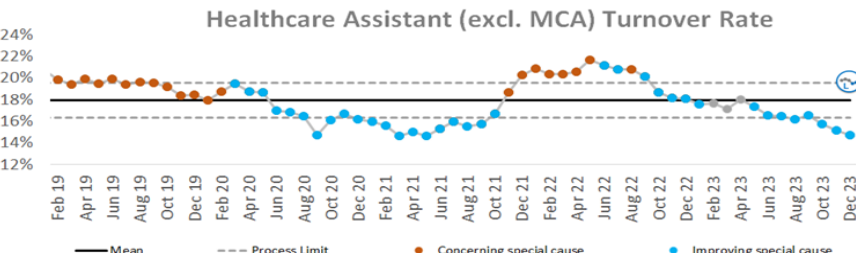
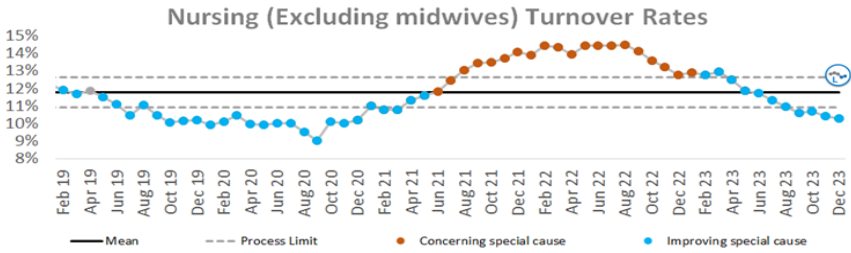
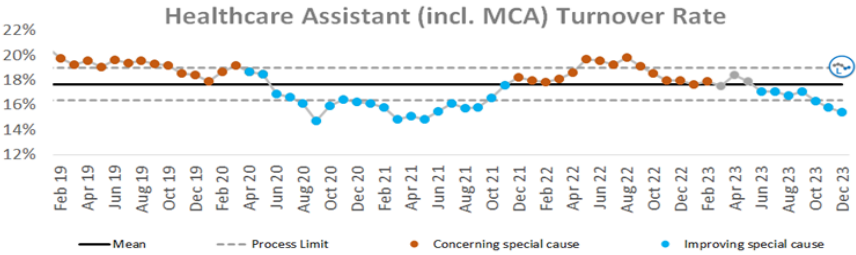
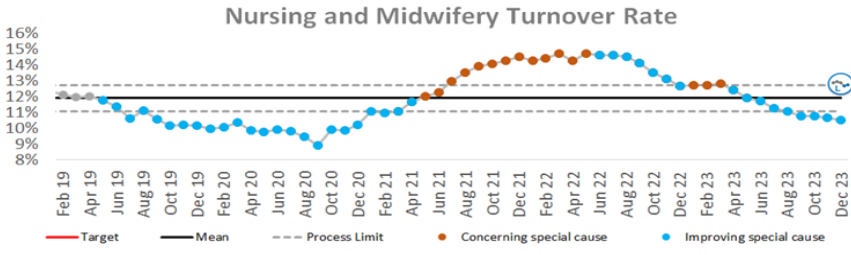
Estates and Ancillary Turnover Rate



Add Prof Scientific and Technic Turnover Rate

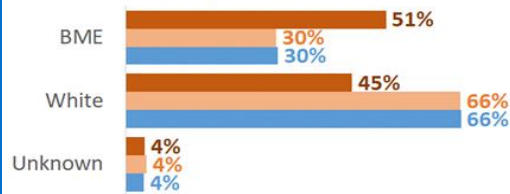


Turnover for Nursing & Midwifery Staff Group (Registered & Non-Registered)

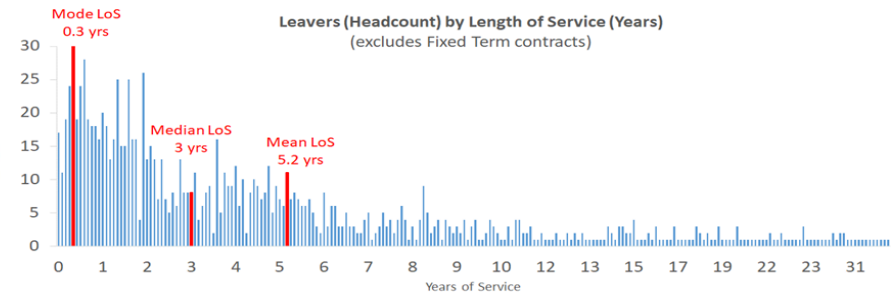
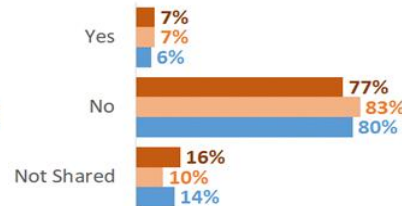


Starters & Leavers - last 12 months

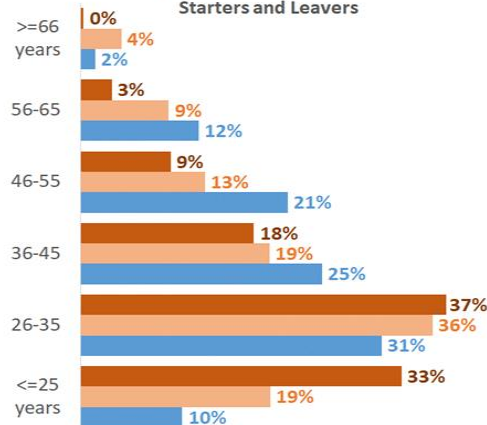
CUH Ethnicity Profile Compared to Ethnicity Profile of Leavers



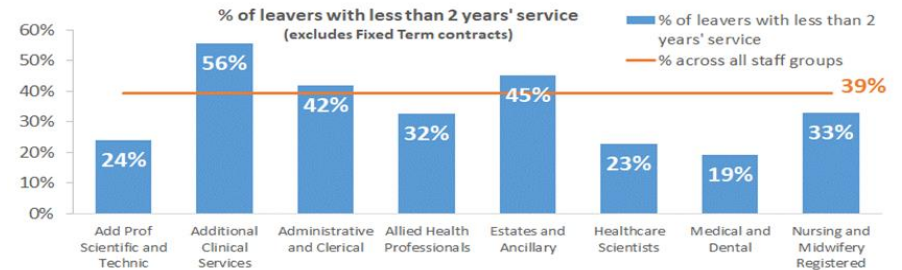
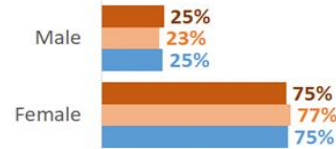
CUH Disability Status Compared to Disability Status of Leavers



CUH Age Profile Compared to Age Profile of Starters and Leavers



CUH Gender Profile Compared to Gender Profile of Starters and Leavers



What the information tells us:

The majority of starters to, and leavers from the Trust in the last 12 months were aged 35 yrs. or under (70% and 55% respectively), which are higher than the proportion of staff in post of this age (41%). Gender and disability status are generally equally represented in the starters and leavers data when compared to the Trust profile, however there is a slightly higher proportion of females leaving the Trust, and of staff declaring a disability both starting and leaving the Trust. 51% of our starters in the last 12 months were from black and minority ethnic groups, compared to 30% of the staff profile.

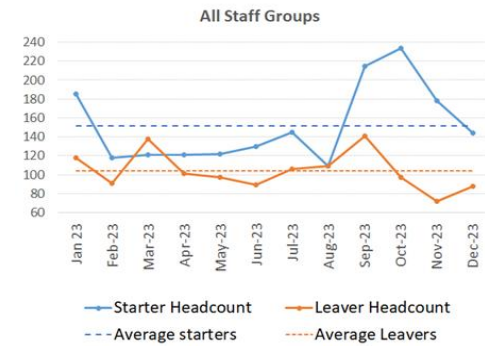
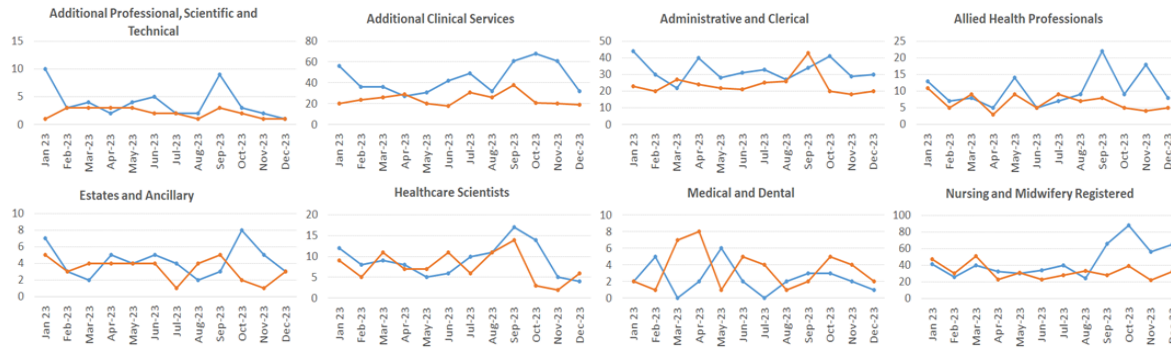
A significant proportion of leavers leave the Trust within 2 years of starting (39%), and within Additional Clinical Services staff group there is a much greater proportion than average - 56%. The most common length of service (mode) upon leaving remains low at just under 4 months (0.3 yrs) – in the last 12 months 31 (headcount) of the 1,154 leavers who were on permanent contracts left at this point. Of these 31, 42% were in Additional Clinical Services staff group and 35% Administrative and Clerical. The average (mean) length of service of all leavers has dropped by 0.2 yrs to 5.2 years.

Excludes Fixed Term and Locum Medical and Dental staff, and staff leaving and returning to CUH (as bank only/retire and return etc.)

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Starters & Leavers - Last 12 months

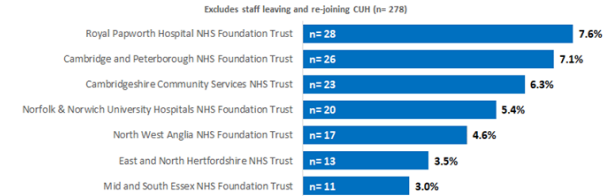


Top 10 Leaving Reasons	Number of Leavers (Headcount)	% of all Leavers
Excludes staff leaving and re-joining CUH (n= 111)		
Voluntary Resignation - Relocation	375	30%
Voluntary Resignation - Work Life Balance	245	20%
Voluntary Resignation - Promotion	135	11%
Voluntary Resignation - Other/Not Known	97	8%
Voluntary Resignation - Better Reward Package	82	7%
Retirement Age	73	6%
Voluntary Resignation - Health	58	5%
End of Fixed Term Contract	31	2%
Voluntary Resignation - Child Dependents	30	2%
Voluntary Resignation - Lack of Opportunities	25	2%

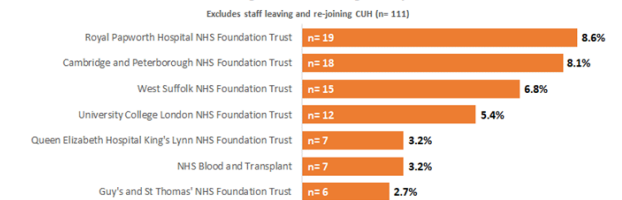
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NHS Organisations Joining from - Top 6



NHS Organisations Leaving for - Top 6



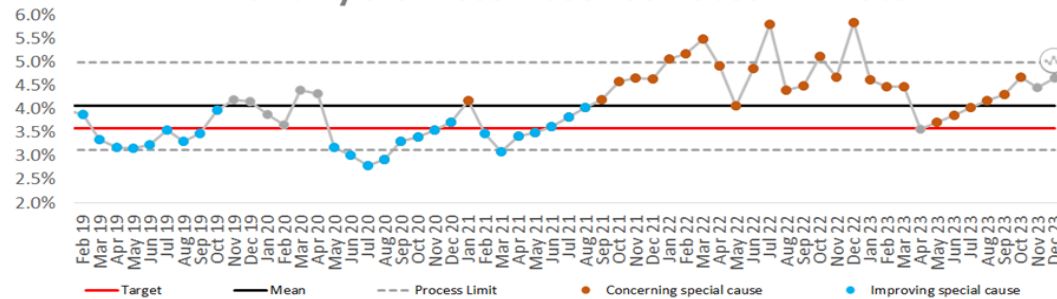
What the information tells us:

The top three reasons for leaving are Voluntary Resignation - due to relocation (30%), for work/life balance (20%) and for promotion (11%). The top destination on leaving (other than unknown) over the last 12 months is to another NHS organisation. The most popular external NHS organisation to leave for, and join from, is Royal Papworth NHS Foundation Trust. 15% of starters to the Trust were from Royal Papworth NHS Foundation Trust or Cambridge and Peterborough NHS Foundation Trust.

In the month of December alone the most popular destinations on leaving (other than unknown) were to no employment (15%), or to another NHS organisation (8%).

Sickness Absence

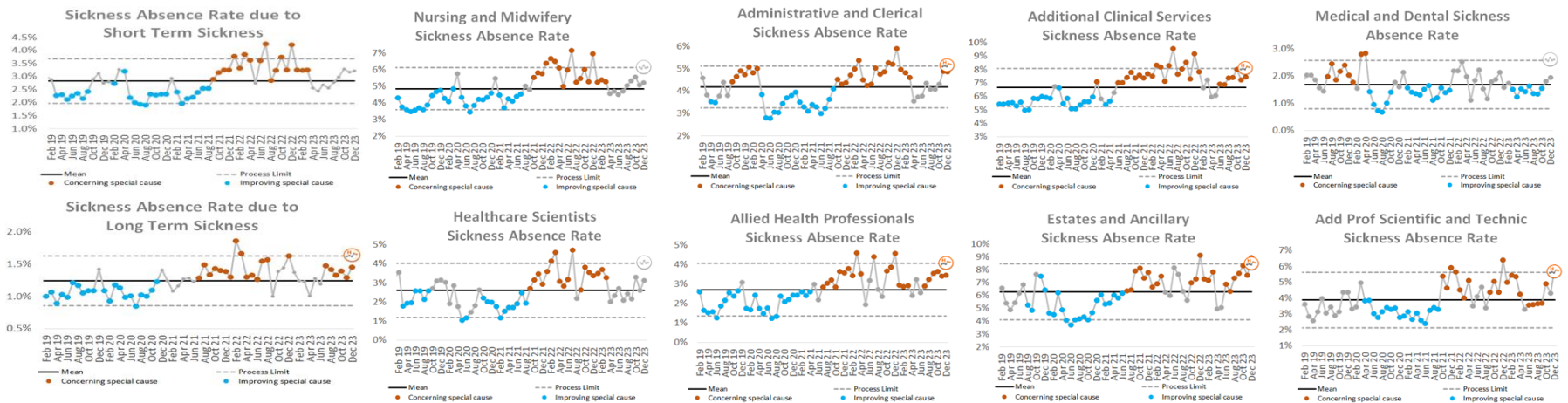
Monthly Sickness Absence Rates - All Staff



Background Information: Sickness Absence is a monthly metric and is calculated as the percentage of FTE days missed in the organisation due to sickness during the reporting month.

What the information tells us: The overall monthly sickness absence has increased by 0.2% since last month, to 4.7% in December 2023. This is 1.2% lower than the same month last year (5.8%). The sickness absence rate due to short term illness is higher at 3.2% compared to long term sickness at 1.5%.

Estates and Ancillary staff group has the highest sickness absence rate at 8.9% (0.2% lower than 12 months ago), followed by Additional Clinical Services at 7.4% in December 2023 (1.7% lower than 12 months ago).

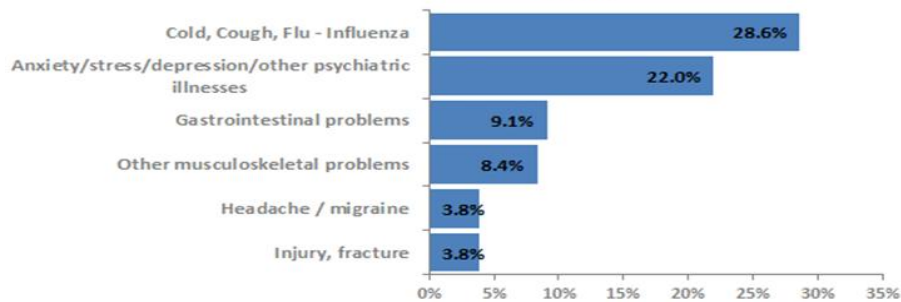


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Top Six Sickness Absence Reason

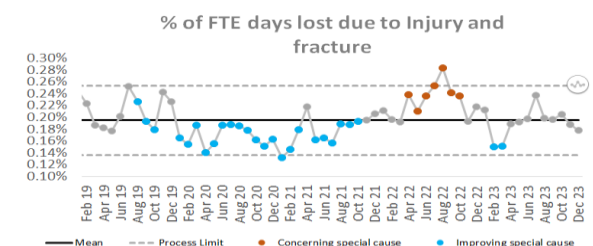
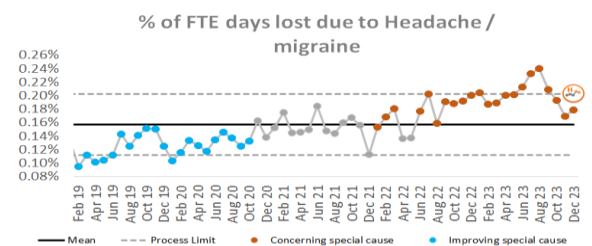
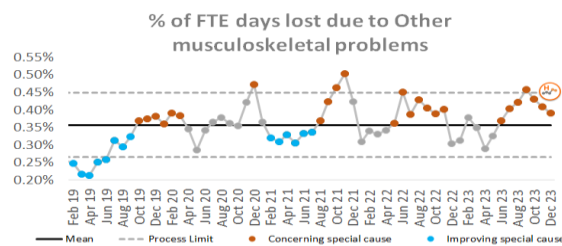
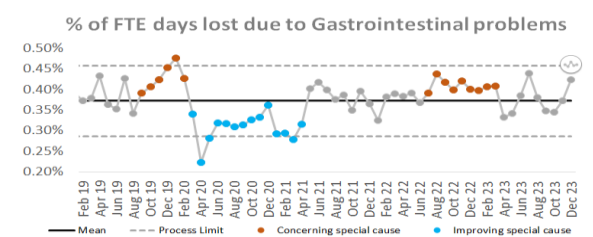
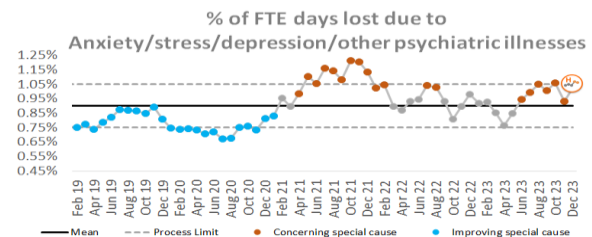
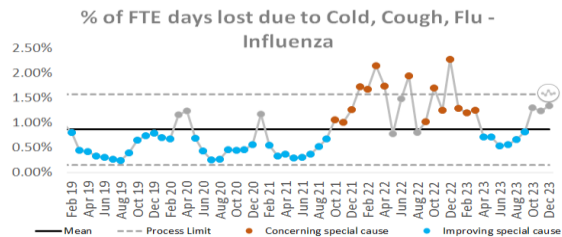
Top 6 Sickness Reason as % All Sickness - Dec 23
All Staff



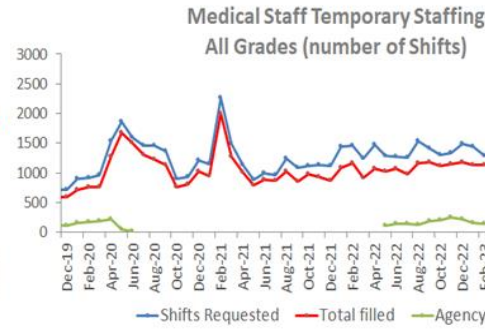
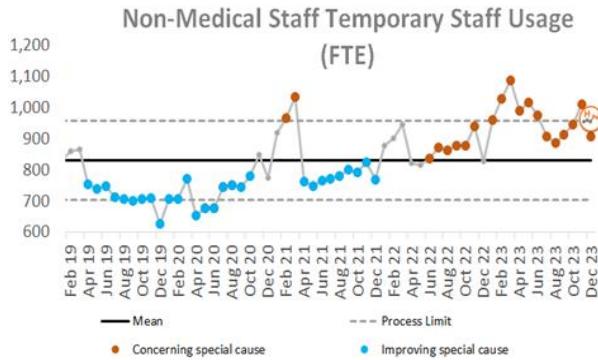
Background Information: Sickness Absence reason is provided as a percentage of all FTE days missed due to sickness during the reporting month.

What the information tells us: The top reason for sickness absence in December 2023 is Cold, Cough, Flu - Influenza, with an absence rate of 1.3%. This is 0.1% higher than last month, but 0.9% lower than in December last year. As a percentage of all sickness absence Cold, Cough, Flu - Influenza accounts for 28.6% of the overall figure.

Absence due to Anxiety/stress/depression/other psychiatric illnesses has increased by 0.1% from last month to 1%, and accounts for 22% of all absence in December 2023.

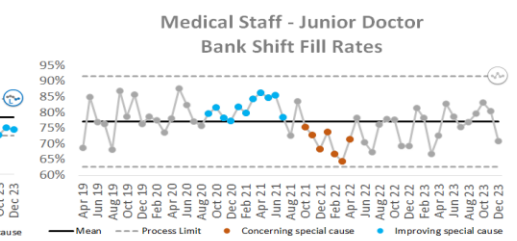
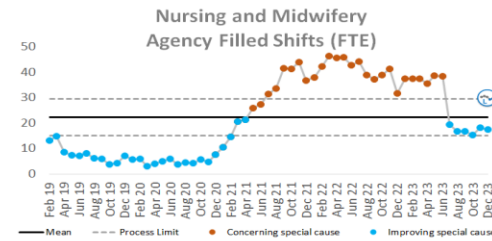
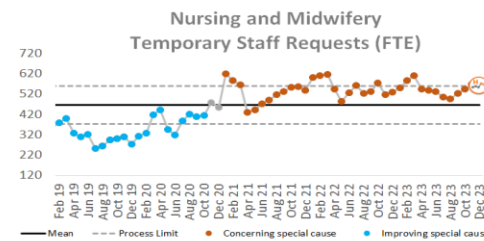
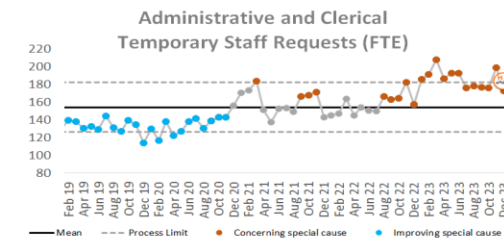
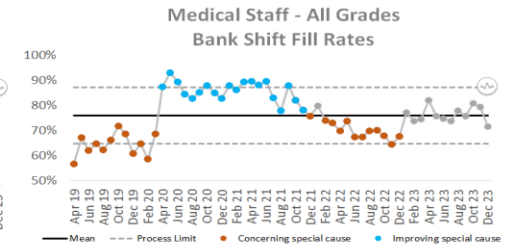
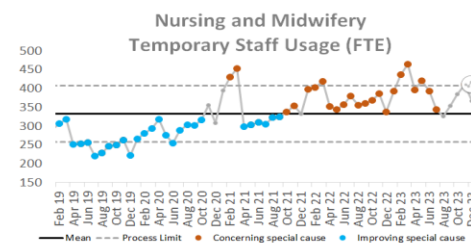
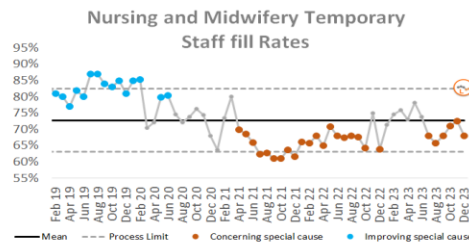
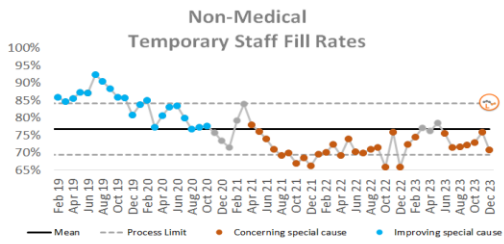


Temporary Staffing



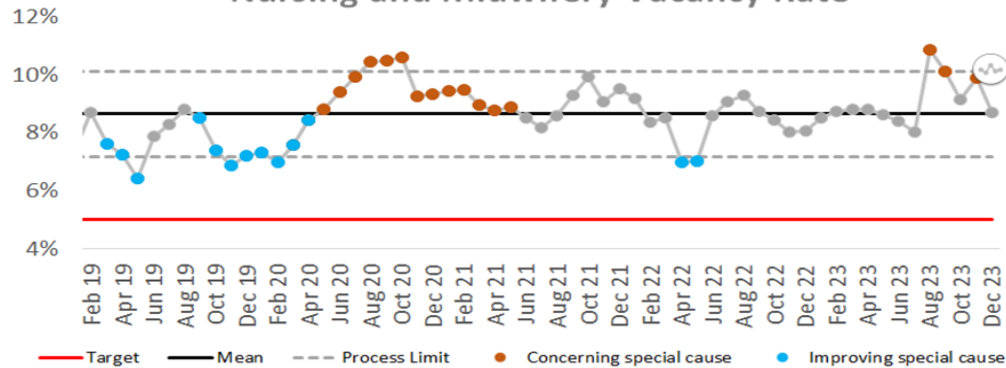
Background Information: The Trust works to ensure that temporary vacancies are filled with workers from staff bank in order to minimise agency usage, ensure value for money and to ensure the expertise and consistency of staffing.

What the information tells us: Overall non-medical fill rates have decreased from last month, with a 3% decrease in requests and a 10% decrease in FTE worked in December 2023. Top three reasons for request are vacancy (44%), increased workload (21%) and sickness requiring cover (15%). Nursing and midwifery agency usage decreased by 0.7 WTE from the previous month to 17.4 WTE. This accounts for 5% of the total nursing filled shifts. Demand for temporary medical staff increased by 12% from November, however this does not yet include Consultant additional shifts as a result of industrial action - updated figures will be provided in the next report.



ESR Vacancy Rate

Nursing and Midwifery Vacancy Rate



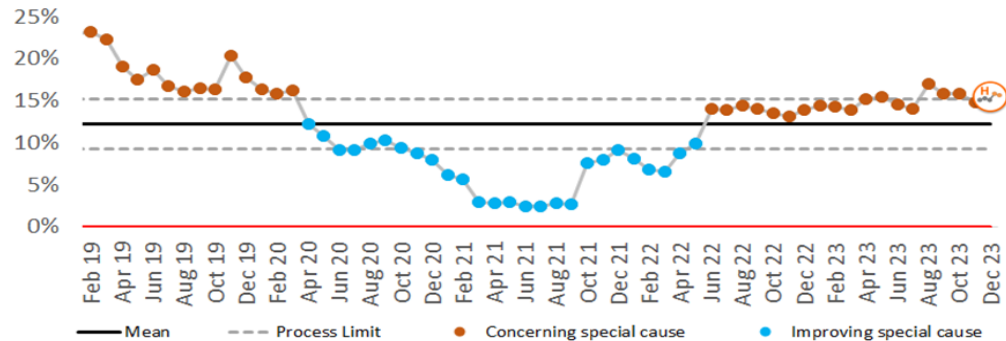
Background Information: Vacancy rate provides vacancy information based on established post within an organisation. The figure below relates to ESR data for clinical areas only and includes pay band 2-4 for HCA and 5-7 for Nurses.

What the information tells us: 2023/24 budgets were loaded to ESR for Clinical and Corporate Divisions from August 2023, which increased the establishment for both Nursing and Midwifery and Healthcare Assistants. The new wards and theatre for the Surgical Movement Hub opened in November, increasing the Nursing and Health Care Support Worker establishments again and therefore vacancies.

In December the vacancy rate for Nursing and Midwifery decreased to 8.7%, which is 1.2% lower than last month, and 0.6% higher than December last year. The vacancy rate for Healthcare Assistants is 15.7% as at end of December - an increase of 0.9% from last month, and 1.7% higher than December last year.

Vacancy rates for both staff groups are above the target rate of 5% for Nurses and 0% for HCAs.

Healthcare Assistant (incl. MCA) Vacancy Rate



Annual Leave Update

Percentage of Annual Leave (AL) Taken – December 23 Breakdown (source: Healthroster)

	Staff Group	Total Entitlement (Hrs)	Total AL Taken (Hrs)	% AL Taken	% of staff with Entitlement recorded on Healthroster
Annual Leave taken by Staff Group	Add Prof Scientific and Technic	48,628	32,181	66.2%	97%
	Additional Clinical Services	373,945	267,143	71.4%	98%
	Administrative and Clerical	512,091	346,119	67.6%	96%
	Allied Health Professionals	154,602	106,992	69.2%	99%
	Estates and Ancillary	77,406	55,719	72.0%	99%
	Healthcare Scientists	156,175	103,547	66.3%	97%
	Medical and Dental	140,375	60,636	43.2%	31%
	Nursing and Midwifery Registered	808,679	577,874	71.5%	98%
	Trust	2,271,901	1,550,211	68.2%	88%
Annual Leave taken by Division	<i>Division</i>				
	Corporate	319,483	193,356	60.5%	96%
	Division A	426,443	261,901	61.4%	87%
	Division B	633,534	379,495	59.9%	93%
	Division C	284,449	172,806	60.8%	81%
	Division D	258,120	162,513	63.0%	84%
	Division E	249,269	164,044	65.8%	84%
	R&D	103,730	59,523	57.4%	95%

* Greater than 60% Less than 45% Between 45% and 60%

What the information tells us: The Trust's annual leave usage is at 91% of the expected usage at the end of the ninth month of the financial year. The highest rate of use of annual leave is within the Estates and Ancillary staff group, at 72%, followed by Nursing and Midwifery Registered at 71.5%.

Not all medical staff record annual leave on the Healthroster system. Local recording is permitted. The percentage of annual leave taken should not be considered representative for medical staff.

Mandatory Training by Division & Staff Group

Background Information: Statutory and Mandatory training are essential for the safe and efficient delivery of the organisation services They are designed to reduce organisational risks and comply with local or national policies and government guidelines. Training can be undertaken on-line or by attending a class-based session.

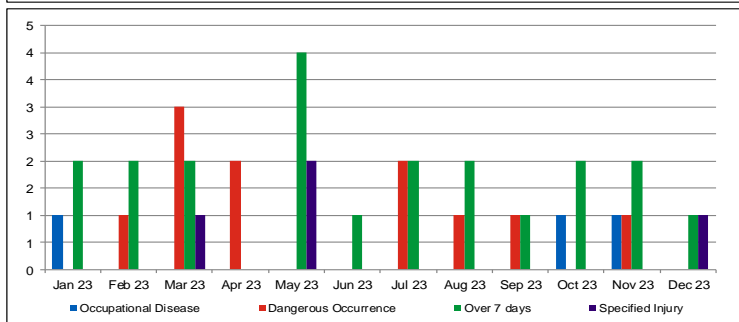
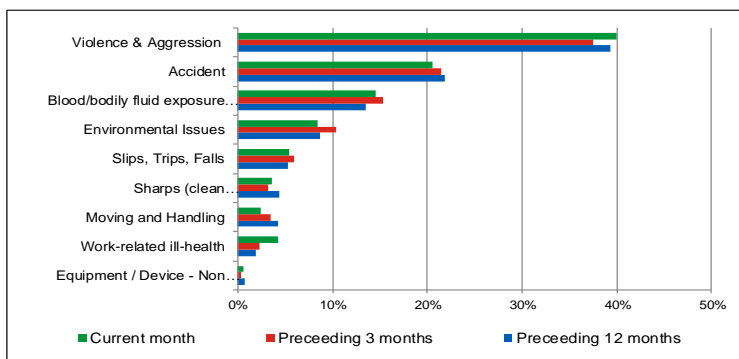
Thresholds for Induction & Information Governance incl. GDPR & Cyber Security training				Less than 80%	80% to 84%	85% to 89%	90% to 94%	95% or higher	No. Staff Requiring Competency	Frequency	Delivery Method	Variance from last month (unrounded %)	Trust Total	Add Prof Scientific and Technic	Additional Clinical Services	Administrative and Clerical	Allied Health Professionals	Estates and Ancillary	Healthcare Scientists	Medical and Dental Consultant	Non-Consultant	Nursing and Midwifery Registered		
Thresholds for Core Mandatory training excl. Information Governance incl. GDPR & Cyber Security training				Less than 75%	75% to 89%	90% to 94%	95% or higher																	
IndIn	Corporate Induction	1,642	one-off	f2f	📉 -0.3%	(49)98.7%	(1)87.1%	(19)93.9%	(5)98.1%	(2)97.8%	(1)96.9%	(3)96.7%	(6)86.7%	(13)74.8%	(16)94.4%									
	Local Induction	1,642	one-off	f2f	📉 -1.6%	(382)76.7%	(3)91.2%	(71)77.0%	(8)78.1%	(12)87.0%	(1)96.9%	(20)78.0%	(13)71.1%	(120)73.3%	(83)74.1%									
Other Core Mandatory	Conflict Resolution	11,729	3 yrs	ei	📈 0.0%	(240)98.0%	(3)98.7%	(19)99.0%	(26)98.9%	(5)99.3%	(5)98.6%	(6)99.2%	(29)98.3%	(89)89.8%	(58)98.4%									
	Equality, Diversity and Human Rights	11,729	3 yrs	ei	📈 0.1%	(269)97.7%	(4)98.3%	(21)98.9%	(28)98.9%	(7)99.0%	(5)98.6%	(5)99.3%	(26)96.7%	(100)88.6%	(73)98.0%									
	Health, Safety and Welfare	11,729	3 yrs	ei	📈 0.1%	(295)97.8%	(2)99.1%	(33)98.2%	(30)98.8%	(5)99.3%	(6)98.3%	(8)98.9%	(25)96.8%	(111)87.3%	(75)98.0%									
	Information Governance including GDPR and Cyber Security	11,729	1 yr	ei	📈 0.3%	(580)95.1%	(10)95.7%	(98)94.8%	(48)98.0%	(36)95.0%	(15)95.7%	(21)97.1%	(39)95.0%	(139)84.1%	(174)95.3%									
	Basic Prevent Awareness	9,828	3 yrs	ei	📉 -0.1%	(320)98.7%	(3)98.7%	(48)98.4%	(48)98.0%	(8)99.1%	(10)98.6%	(17)97.0%	(139)78.3%	(63)77.5%										
	Prevent Level Three (WRAP)	1,895	3 yrs	ei	📈 0.1%	(161)91.8%	(1)98.0%	(10)93.5%	(9)100.0%	(3)95.1%		(9)100.0%	(9)95.6%	(60)73.7%	(78)93.6%									
Resuscitation	Adult Basic Life Support Practical - 1 Year	411	1 yr	f2f	📉 -1.2%	(85)79.3%		(26)73.5%		(1)75.0%				(58)81.2%										
	Adult Basic Life Support Practical - 2 Year	7,301	4 yrs	f2f	📈 0.3%	(821)88.8%	(2)94.4%	(142)89.6%	(3)89.7%	(35)95.1%		(4)96.7%	(115)85.3%	(296)66.2%	(224)93.4%									
	Advanced Life Support	27	4 yrs	f2f	📈 10.4%	(7)74.1%								(7)73.1%										
	Advanced Paediatric Life Support	105	2 yrs	f2f	📈 1.0%	(45)87.1%								(45)87.1%										
	Basic Life Support e-learning	7,680	1 yr	ei	📈 0.5%	(739)90.4%	(3)91.7%	(109)92.4%	(2)92.1%	(44)93.8%		(7)94.2%	(66)91.5%	(252)71.2%	(258)83.1%									
	Immediate Life Support (ILS)	656	1 yr	f2f	📉 -1.5%	(144)78.0%		(2)50.0%				(5)73.7%			(137)76.4%									
	Newborn Basic Life Support (NBL5)	560	1 yr	Blended	📈 8.4%	(161)71.3%		(1)10.0%		(32)58.4%				(5)88.8%	(5)84.8%									
	Paediatric Basic Life Support (PBL5)	2,586	1 yr	Blended	📈 0.8%	(53)79.2%	(0)100.0%	(181)69.6%	(0)100.0%	(51)92.9%		(4)95.7%	(30)75.4%	(50)59.0%	(222)76.1%									
Paediatric Immediate Life Support (PILS)	393	1 yr	f2f	📉 -3.0%	(109)72.3%				(0)100.0%					(109)72.1%										
Fire	Fire Evacuation	5,894	1 yr	f2f/ei	📈 0.2%	(739)87.5%	(3)83.3%	(205)85.9%	(2)92.9%	(58)89.7%	(10)87.8%	(0)100.0%		(461)87.6%										
	Fire Safety Awareness	11,729	2 yrs	ei	📈 0.1%	(420)96.4%	(1)99.6%	(38)98.0%	(37)98.5%	(18)97.5%	(5)98.6%	(10)98.6%	(29)98.1%	(151)82.7%	(131)96.5%									
Infect Control	Infection Prevention and Control - Level 1 - 2 Years	4,593	2 yrs	ei	📈 0.4%	(176)96.2%	(0)100.0%	(8)97.7%	(50)97.9%	(1)98.8%	(8)97.7%	(10)98.4%	(2)91.7%	(70)81.1%	(27)92.6%									
	Infection Prevention and Control - Level 2 - 2 Years	7,137	2 yrs	ei	📈 0.2%	(240)96.6%	(1)99.5%	(37)97.6%	(0)100.0%	(38)97.2%	(0)100.0%	(1)98.9%	(29)96.2%	(72)85.7%	(82)97.6%									
Moving & Handling	Moving and Handling - Level 1	11,729	2 yrs	ei	📈 0.2%	(518)95.6%	(2)99.1%	(69)96.3%	(49)98.0%	(21)97.1%	(3)98.6%	(11)98.5%	(37)95.3%	(157)82.1%	(167)95.5%									
	Moving and Handling - Level 2	5,934	2 yrs	f2f	📈 0.3%	(829)86.0%	(0)100.0%	(210)85.8%	(3)80.0%	(41)93.5%		(5)94.4%		(570)84.6%										
	Patient Moving and Handling - e-learning	5,938	1 yr	ei	📉 -0.2%	(316)94.7%	(0)100.0%	(71)95.2%	(1)92.9%	(30)95.2%		(2)97.8%		(212)94.3%										
	Safeguarding Adults - Level 1	7,865	3 yrs	ei	📉 -0.2%	(318)95.9%	(3)98.7%	(39)97.9%	(43)98.3%	(1)95.2%	(5)98.6%	(11)98.5%	(14)82.3%	(120)36.8%	(83)95.5%									
Safeguarding Adults	Safeguarding Adults - Level 2	4,252	3 yrs	ei	📉 -0.2%	(317)92.9%	(4)97.9%	(42)97.2%	(12)91.4%	(2)98.4%		(2)98.8%	(14)82.1%	(144)24.2%	(97)94.8%									
	Safeguarding Adults - Level 3	4,030	3 yrs	ei	📈 1.5%	(1174)70.9%	(1)90.9%	(1)75.0%		(10)82.7%		(0)100.0%	(171)76.1%	(398)52.2%	(500)73.3%									
	Safeguarding Children - Level 1	11,729	3 yrs	ei	📈 0.1%	(409)96.5%	(3)98.7%	(37)98.0%	(50)98.0%	(9)98.8%	(5)98.6%	(12)98.3%	(22)97.2%	(157)82.1%	(114)96.9%									
	Safeguarding Children - Level 2	8,103	3 yrs	ei	📈 0.1%	(448)94.5%	(9)95.5%	(57)96.2%	(12)91.7%	(16)97.7%		(2)98.8%	(24)96.9%	(173)80.2%	(155)95.6%									
Safeguarding Children	Safeguarding Children - Level 3	1,521	3 yrs	f2f/ei	📈 0.7%	(225)85.2%	(0)100.0%	(17)83.2%	(3)75.0%	(8)87.5%		(0)100.0%	(12)93.9%	(44)73.8%	(141)85.2%									
	Safeguarding Children - Level 3 - 1 Year	355	1 yr	f2f/ei	📉 -2.9%	(56)84.2%		(15)72.7%					(3)76.9%	(12)42.9%	(26)95.2%									
	Overall Compliance				📈 0.2%	93.7%	98.1%	94.8%	98.2%	95.7%	97.9%	98.3%	93.2%	77.3%	93.1%									

Health and Safety Incidents



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No. of health and safety incidents reported by division:	Trustwide	Division A	Division B	Division C	Division D	Division E	Corporate	Estates
No. of health and safety incidents reported in a rolling 12 month period:	2000	395	310	617	312	213	66	87
Accident	436	100	93	109	61	36	11	26
Blood/bodily fluid exposure (dirty sharps/splashes)	269	86	52	51	31	43	4	2
Environmental Issues	175	27	46	26	22	31	10	13
Equipment / Device - Non Medical	15	5	1	4	4	1	0	0
Moving and Handling	86	23	11	15	22	7	2	6
Sharps (clean sharps/incorrect disposal & use)	88	24	11	11	11	19	8	4
Slips, Trips, Falls	106	19	23	14	14	11	4	21
Violence & Aggression	787	102	71	385	137	57	20	15
Work-related ill-health	38	9	2	2	10	8	7	0



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A total of 2,000 health and safety incidents were reported in the previous 12 months.

891 (45%) incidents resulted in harm. The highest reporting categories were violence and aggression (39%), accidents (22%) and blood/bodily fluid exposure (13%).

1,326 (66%) of incidents affected staff, 598 (30%) affected patients and 76 (4%) affected others i.e. contractors and members of the public.

The highest reported incident categories for staff were: violence and aggression (40%), blood/bodily fluid exposure (19%) and accidents (14%).

The highest reported incident categories for patients were: violence & aggression (40%), accidents (39%) and environmental issues (9%).

The highest reported incident categories for others were: slips, trips and falls (26%), violence & aggression (26%) and accidents (24%).

Staff incident rate is 10.8 per 100 members of staff (by headcount) over a rolling 12 month period.

The highest reporting division was division C with 617 incidents. Of these, 62% related to violence & aggression.

In the last 12 months, the highest reported RIDDOR category was over 7 day injuries (54%).

In the last 12 months, 64% of RIDDOR incidents were reported to the HSE within the appropriate timescale.

In December 2023, 2 incidents were reported to the HSE:

Over 7 day injury:

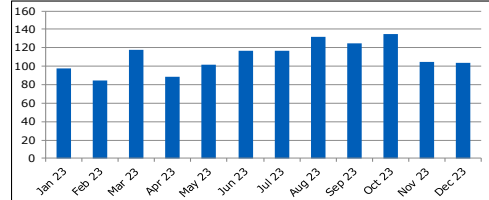
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Specified injury:

> The IP was walking down a flight of stairs. On the last step the IP fell and as a result sustained a fracture to the foot. The staircase is currently under refurbishment and the step which the IP fell from did not have a stair nosing. Remedial works have now been completed.

Health and Safety Incidents

No. of health and safety incidents affecting staff:

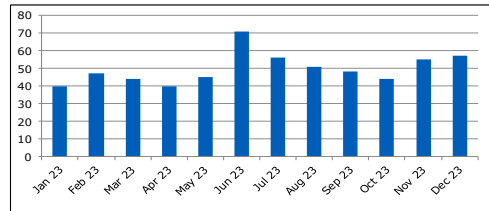


	Jan 23	Feb 23	Mar 23	Apr 23	May 23	Jun 23	Jul 23	Aug 23	Sep 23	Oct 23	Nov 23	Dec 23	Total
Accident	12	14	21	13	13	14	14	24	17	21	13	9	185
Blood/bodily fluid exposure (dirty sharps/splashes)	20	12	20	18	22	23	14	22	23	36	16	21	247
Environmental Issues	4	2	8	8	10	14	7	17	10	7	13	9	109
Moving and Handling	5	8	9	3	5	7	5	3	7	2	7	2	63
Sharps (clean sharps/incorrect disposal & use)	5	7	3	10	3	7	7	8	3	5	5	5	68
Slips, Trips, Falls	8	7	4	6	8	3	10	5	10	8	9	8	86
Violence & Aggression	39	33	50	30	38	45	56	51	52	52	41	43	530
Work-related ill-health	5	1	3	1	3	4	4	2	3	4	1	7	38
Total	98	84	118	89	102	117	117	132	125	135	105	104	1326

Staff incident rate per 100 members of staff (by headcount):

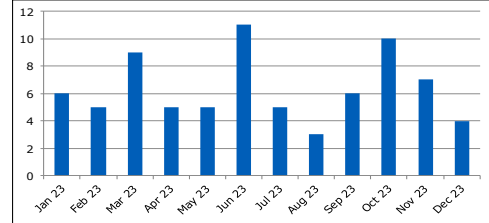
	Jan 23	Feb 23	Mar 23	Apr 23	May 23	Jun 23	Jul 23	Aug 23	Sep 23	Oct 23	Nov 23	Dec 23	Total
No. of health & safety incidents	98	84	118	89	102	117	117	132	125	135	105	104	1326
Staff incident rate per month/year	0.8	0.7	1.0	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.8	10.8

No. of health and safety incidents affecting patients:



	Jan 23	Feb 23	Mar 23	Apr 23	May 23	Jun 23	Jul 23	Aug 23	Sep 23	Oct 23	Nov 23	Dec 23	Total
Accident	19	17	21	13	19	29	14	20	18	21	19	23	233
Blood/bodily fluid exposure (dirty sharps/splashes)	2	0	1	3	2	2	2	0	2	4	0	3	21
Environmental Issues	3	5	1	2	4	6	3	4	2	4	12	5	51
Equipment / Device - Non Medical	2	1	0	0	1	2	6	1	0	0	1	1	15
Moving and Handling	1	4	2	1	2	3	0	1	2	4	1	2	23
Sharps (clean sharps/incorrect disposal & use)	0	2	3	2	0	4	3	0	2	0	1	1	18
Violence & Aggression	13	18	16	19	17	25	28	25	22	11	21	22	237
Total	40	47	44	40	45	71	56	51	48	44	55	57	598

No. of health and safety incidents affecting others ie visitors, contractors and members of the public:



	Jan 23	Feb 23	Mar 23	Apr 23	May 23	Jun 23	Jul 23	Aug 23	Sep 23	Oct 23	Nov 23	Dec 23	Total
Accident	2	0	2	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	3	2	18
Blood/bodily fluid exposure (dirty sharps/splashes)	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Environmental Issues	2	1	2	1	2	1	1	0	1	3	1	0	15
Sharps (clean sharps/incorrect disposal & use)	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Slips, Trips, Falls	0	2	4	0	0	3	2	2	1	3	2	1	20
Violence & Aggression	0	2	1	1	2	5	1	0	3	3	1	1	20
Total	6	5	9	5	5	11	5	3	6	10	7	4	76