DECISION-MAKER:	HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL			
SUBJECT:	UPDATE ON VASCULAR SERVICES			
DATE OF DECISION:	29 NOVEMBER 2012			
REPORT OF:	SENIOR MANAGER CUSTOMER AND BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT			

STATEMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY

None

BRIEF SUMMARY

The paper provides an update on Vascular Services since the HOSP meeting on 10 October 2012.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

(i) to note the progress made and decide on the next steps.

REASONS FOR REPORT RECOMMENDATIONS

1. The Panel have requested to be kept informed regarding progress made on Vascular Services.

ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND REJECTED

2. N/A

DETAIL (Including consultation carried out)

- 3. At the HOSP meeting on 10 October the Panel agreed that the Chair would write to the Chief Executives at Portsmouth and Southampton hospitals informing them that the issue would be referred to the Secretary of State if the HOSP had not received a written agreement of commitment between the parties signed by both Chief Executives by 26th October 2012.
- 4. With the hope of achieving a favourable outcome, the Chair has decided that the letter to the Secretary of State not be sent at this time because of the reassuring words and actions coming from officers in the providers and commissioning organisation. However it must be noted that the Panel has not received written confirmation of the intention to move toward a network model from either hospital.
- 5. A copy of correspondence received from Debbie Fleming 8 November is attached at appendix 1.

RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

Capital/Revenue

6 None

Property/Other

7 None

LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

Statutory power to undertake proposals in the report:

8 The duty to undertake overview and scrutiny is set out in Section 21 of the

Local Government Act 2000 and the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007.

Other Legal Implications:

9 None.

POLICY FRAMEWORK IMPLICATIONS

10 None

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KEY DECISION? No						
WARDS/COMMUNITIES AFFECTED:			All			

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

Non-confidential appendices are in the Members' Rooms and can be accessed on-line

Appendices

1	-	Letter from Debbie Fleming, Chief Executive, SHIP PCT Cluster dated 8
		November.

Documents In Members' Rooms

1. None

Integrated Impact Assessment

Do the implications/subject of the report require an Integrated Impact Assessment (IIA) to be carried out. No

Other Background Documents

Integrated Impact Assessment and Other Background documents available for inspection at:

Title of Background Paper(s)		Informat 12A allo	t Paragraph of the Access to ion Procedure Rules / Schedule wing document to be Confidential (if applicable)
1.	None		