

DECISION-MAKER:	HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL
SUBJECT:	TO REVIEW THE SOUTHAMPTON UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS TRUST (SUHT) FINAL DRAFT 2010/11 QUALITY ACCOUNT, AND PROVIDE COMMENTS FOR INCLUSION
DATE OF DECISION:	22 JUNE 2011
REPORT OF:	JUDY GILLOW, DIRECTOR OF NURSING, SUHT
STATEMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY NOT APPLICABLE	

BRIEF SUMMARY

Healthcare providers publishing Quality Accounts in June 2011 have a legal duty to send their Quality Account to the OSC in the local authority area in which the provider has its registered office, inviting comments on the report from the OSC prior to publication.

The quality account for SUHT is presented to the Health Scrutiny Panel for its review, and comment for inclusion in the 200/11 Account, the Account and comments, will be published by 30th June 2011.

(i) RECOMMENDATIONS:

- (i) To review the draft Quality Account for SUHT, and
- (ii) To provide a written statement for publication in SUHT's Quality Account on whether or not the HSP considers, based on knowledge of the provider, that the report is a fair reflection of the healthcare services provided

REASONS FOR REPORT RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1 Healthcare providers publishing Quality Accounts in June 2011 have a legal duty to send their Quality Account to the LINK and OSC in the local authority area in which the provider has its registered office, inviting comments on the report from the LINK and OSC prior to publication.

ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND REJECTED

- 2 N/A

DETAIL (Including consultation carried out)

- 3 The review process to date has included:-
 - A workshop was held at SUHT with divisional managers and clinicians on 30th November 2010 to review the priorities that were set for 2010/11, and to begin planning for the 2011/12 priorities.
 - This was followed up on the 27th April 2011 when divisional teams reviewed national and local progress, and confirmed local Patient Improvement Framework priorities for 2011/12.

- 26th April Trust Board 1st draft quality account
- 28th April 2011 1st draft quality account for comment to PCT commissioners, Audit Commission, OSC, S.LINKs, Members Council for review and comments (due for return by end June)
- 4th May 2011 1st draft quality account to TEC (SUHT) and cascade to divisions for comment.
- 8th June final draft quality account TEC (SUHT)

RESOURCE IMPLICATION

4 N/A

Capital/Revenue

5 N/A

Property/Other

6 N/A

LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

7 N/A

Statutory power to undertake proposals in the report:

- 8 The National Health Service (Quality Accounts) Regulations 2010 No 279 requires health providers to produce a quality account and that health overview and scrutiny committees are given the opportunity to comment.
- 9 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:

10 N/A

POLICY FRAMEWORK IMPLICATIONS

11 N/A

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KEY DECISION? No

WARDS/COMMUNITIES AFFECTED:	ALL
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SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

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Appendices

1.	Quality Account 2010/2011
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Documents In Members' Rooms

1.	N/A
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Integrated Impact Assessment N/A

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

Integrated Impact Assessment and Other Background documents available for inspection at: (attached).

Title of Background Paper(s)

Relevant Paragraph of the Access to Information Procedure Rules / Schedule 12A allowing document to be Exempt/Confidential (if applicable)

