

DECISION-MAKER:	HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL		
SUBJECT:	SOUTHERN HEALTH NHS FOUNDATION TRUST - CARE QUALITY COMMISSION INSPECTION REPORT AND TRUST RESPONSE		
DATE OF DECISION:	7 APRIL 2022		
REPORT OF:	COUNCILLOR PRIOR CHAIR OF THE HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL		
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STATEMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY			
None			
BRIEF SUMMARY			
<p>On 10 February 2022, the Care Quality Commission (CQC) published their comprehensive report into Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust. A summary of the key findings from the inspection, as well as the improvement planned in response to the report's findings, is contained in Appendix 1.</p> <p>In addition, as requested by the Panel at the December 2021 meeting, attached as Appendix 2 is an update on progress made by the Trust delivering the agreed actions following the Stage 2 Independent Investigation Report: <i>'Right First Time'</i>.</p> <p>The Chief Executive of the Trust will be in attendance at the HOSP meeting to introduce the appended information and answer questions from the Panel.</p>			
RECOMMENDATIONS:			
	(i)	That the Panel consider the attached appendices on Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust's CQC inspection report and response, and the progress update on the Stage 2 Independent Investigation report and discuss the issues with the invited representatives from Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust.	
REASONS FOR REPORT RECOMMENDATIONS			
1.	To enable the Panel to scrutinise the CQC inspection report into Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust's and the progress the Trust has made delivering the recommendations within the Stage 2 Independent Investigation report.		
ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND REJECTED			
2.	None.		
DETAIL (Including consultation carried out)			

3.	On 10 th February 2022, the CQC published their comprehensive report into Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust. The Panel have not had the opportunity to consider the inspection report up to now.
4.	Attached as Appendix 1 is a briefing paper from the NHS Trust providing the Panel with an overview of the key findings from the inspection, as well as the improvement plan to respond to the report's findings. The full CQC report can be accessed via the link below. Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust (cqc.org.uk)
5.	On 6th February 2020 the Independent Investigation Report (Mr Nigel Pascoe, QC) was published. The report concerned the tragic deaths of five people who were in the care of Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust in the period 2011-2015, and the Trust's response to the families of those who died.
6.	It was recommended in the Stage 1 Report that a second review should be undertaken. Its purpose was to examine the progress that the Trust had made as well as looking to recommend further improvements for the Trust to achieve the "Gold Standard" and to "Get it right first time, every time".
7.	The Stage 2 report was published by NHS England and Improvement on 9 September 2021 and titled "Right First Time". This report was considered by the HOSP at its meeting on 9 December 2021 and the Panel requested an update on progress at the April 2022 meeting. The requested update has been provided and is attached as Appendix 2.
8.	The Panel are requested to consider the appended briefing papers and discuss the CQC findings and improvement plan, and the progress update on the Stage 2 Independent Investigation report with the invited representatives from Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust.
RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS	
<u>Capital/Revenue</u>	
9.	N/A
<u>Property/Other</u>	
10.	N/A
LEGAL IMPLICATIONS	
<u>Statutory power to undertake proposals in the report:</u>	
11.	The duty to undertake overview and scrutiny is set out in Part 1A Section 9 of the Local Government Act 2000.
<u>Other Legal Implications:</u>	
12.	N/A
RISK MANAGEMENT IMPLICATIONS	
13.	N/A
POLICY FRAMEWORK IMPLICATIONS	
14.	N/A
KEY DECISION	No

WARDS/COMMUNITIES AFFECTED:	None directly as a result of this report	
<u>SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION</u>		
Appendices		
1.	Care Quality Commission inspection report and Trust response	
2.	Stage 2 Independent Investigation Report: 'Right First Time' - Status report April 2022	
Documents In Members' Rooms		
1.	None	
Equality Impact Assessment		
Do the implications/subject of the report require an Equality and Safety Impact Assessments (ESIA) to be carried out?		No
Data Protection Impact Assessment		
Do the implications/subject of the report require a Data Protection Impact Assessment (DPIA) to be carried out?		No
Other Background Documents		
Equality Impact Assessment and Other Background documents available for inspection at:		
Title of Background Paper(s)	Relevant Paragraph of the Access to Information Procedure Rules / Schedule 12A allowing document to be Exempt/Confidential (if applicable)	
1.	Stage 2 Investigation Report: 'Right First Time' – Background and Trust response Agenda for Health Overview and Scrutiny Panel on Thursday, 9th December, 2021, 6.00 pm Southampton City Council (Item 18)	