

<b>DECISION-MAKER:</b>	HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL		
<b>SUBJECT:</b>	UPDATE ON PROGRESS - INDEPENDENT REVIEW OF DEATHS OF PEOPLE WITH A LEARNING DISABILITY OR MENTAL HEALTH PROBLEM IN CONTACT WITH SOUTHERN HEALTH NHS FOUNDATION TRUST APRIL 2011 TO MARCH 2015		
<b>DATE OF DECISION:</b>	28 APRIL 2016		
<b>REPORT OF:</b>	SERVICE DIRECTOR - LEGAL AND GOVERNANCE		
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<b>STATEMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY</b>			
None			
<b>BRIEF SUMMARY</b>			
<p>NHS England commissioned Mazars to conduct an investigation of the deaths of all patients of Southern Health who had been in receipt of mental health or learning disability services since 2011 following the avoidable death of Connor Sparrowhawk in Oxfordshire. Connor was a patient in the care of Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust.</p> <p>The Mazars report was published on NHS England's website on 17 December 2015 and highlights a number of actions for the Trust, commissioners and regulators.</p> <p>At the 1 February 2016 meeting of the Health Overview and Scrutiny Panel (HOSP) the Panel considered the Mazars report with invited representatives and recommended that Southern Health, at an appropriate meeting, updates the Panel on progress implementing the improvement plan and feedback from regulators.</p> <p>Appended to this report is a briefing paper and updated action plan informing the Panel of the progress made following publication of the Mazars report, and the recent developments with regards to NHS Improvement and the Care Quality Commission.</p> <p>The Panel are requested to consider the appendices and discuss the key issues with the invited representatives from Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust.</p>			
<b>RECOMMENDATIONS:</b>			
	(i)	That the Panel considers the attached briefing paper and updated action plan and discusses the issues with the invited representatives from Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust.	
<b>REASONS FOR REPORT RECOMMENDATIONS</b>			
1.	To enable the Panel to effectively scrutinise the issues impacting on health services in Southampton raised by the Mazars report.		
<b>ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND REJECTED</b>			
2.	None.		

<b>DETAIL (Including consultation carried out)</b>	
3.	Following consideration of the Mazars report at the 1 February 2016 meeting of the HOSP the Panel made a number of recommendations for Southern Health and commissioners.
4.	The Panel recognised the need to regularly review the issues raised in this report until the Panel are assured that progress is being made. The Panel therefore made the following recommendation: <i>‘That, following discussion with the Chair, Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust updates the Panel on progress implementing the improvement plan and feedback from regulators, at an appropriate meeting of the HOSP.’</i>
5.	Attached as Appendix 1 is a briefing paper from Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust. Attached as Appendix 2 is the updated Mortality and SIRC Improvement Plan. The Panel are requested to consider the briefing paper and improvement plan and discuss the key issues with the invited representatives.
<b>RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS</b>	
<b><u>Capital/Revenue</u></b>	
6.	None.
<b><u>Property/Other</u></b>	
7.	None.
<b>LEGAL IMPLICATIONS</b>	
<b><u>Statutory power to undertake proposals in the report:</u></b>	
8.	The duty for local authorities to undertake health scrutiny is set out in National Health Service Act 2006. The duty to undertake overview and scrutiny is set out in Part 1A Section 9 of the Local Government Act 2000.
<b><u>Other Legal Implications:</u></b>	
9.	None.
<b>POLICY FRAMEWORK IMPLICATIONS</b>	
10.	None.
<b>KEY DECISION</b>	No
<b>WARDS/COMMUNITIES AFFECTED:</b>	None

## SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

### Appendices

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| 1. | Briefing Paper - Update on progress made since publication of the independent review of deaths of People with Learning Disability or Mental Health problem in contact with Southern Health NHS Foundation Trust April 2011 to March 2015 |
| 2. | Southern Health - Updated Mortality and SIRI Improvement Plan  |

### Documents In Members' Rooms

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| 1. | None. |
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### Equality Impact Assessment

Do the implications/subject of the report require an Equality and Safety Impact Assessments (ESIA) to be carried out.	No
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### Privacy Impact Assessment

Do the implications/subject of the report require a Privacy Impact Assessment (PIA) to be carried out.	No
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### 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. None	