

Item: 8.3

Report to:	NHS Hull Clinical Commissioning Group Board
Date of Meeting:	24 November 2017
Title of Report:	Research and Development Status Report
Presented by:	Sarah Smyth, Director of Quality & Clinical Governance/ Executive Nurse
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STATUS OF THE REPORT:

To approve	<input type="checkbox"/>	To endorse	<input type="checkbox"/>
To ratify	<input type="checkbox"/>	To discuss	<input type="checkbox"/>
To consider	<input type="checkbox"/>	For information	<input type="checkbox"/>
To note	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

PURPOSE OF REPORT:
The purpose of the report is to present an R and D Status report to the CCG Board for the period April 2017 to October 2017. The report provides an update of the research activity and the development work that is being undertaken.

LEVEL OF CONFIDENCE:

PROCESS	R.A.G. RATING OF LEVEL OF CONFIDENCE
Assurance is given that Hull CCG continues to be at the forefront of promoting research and the use of research evidence.	Green
PERFORMANCE	
The R and D activity is monitored through the North Yorkshire and Humber R and D service which links into the Hull R and D Steering group.	Green

RECOMMENDATIONS:

a That the Board note the R and D status report

REPORT EXEMPT FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURE No Yes

If yes, detail grounds for exemption

CCG STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE (See guidance notes on page 4)

1, 7, 8 and 12

Short summary as to how the report links to the CCG's strategic objectives

The R and D status report informs the CCG of how it is working to meet the statutory duty to promote research and the use of research evidence in commissioning towards achieving its strategic objectives.

IMPLICATIONS: (summary of key implications, including risks, associated with the paper),

Finance	The R and D agenda have implications for NHS Hull CCG financial planning and reporting of funds used towards supporting research and development (R and D)
HR	None
Quality	Support for involving the patients in research studies is one of the indicators for quality health care and a mandatory part of the quality reports accounts.
Safety	All patients in research are required to be treated in accordance with safety mechanisms described in the Good Clinical practice requirements. Also referred to in the Department of Health; <i>Research Governance Framework and the UK legal acts.</i>

ENGAGEMENT: (Explain what engagement has taken place e.g. Partners, patients and the public prior to presenting the paper and the outcome of this)

All National Institute of Health Research (NIHR) portfolio-adopted research studies that include excess treatment costs require to be compliant with DOH and National Health Service (NHS) policies on having patient input provided in relation to the design and rationale for research studies, including an opportunity to be fully informed about the study procedures. All research projects supported by NHS Hull CCG require demonstrating patient involvement in the project design, rationale and /or participation including provision of full information and formal consent procedures consistent with DOH Research Governance Framework (RGF).

LEGAL ISSUES: (Summarise key legal issues / legislation relevant to the report)

NHS Hull CCG is legally required to support research, principally through the funding of excess treatment cost for patients taking part in research (Health and Social Care Act, 2012).

EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY ISSUES: (summary of impact, if any, of CCG's duty to promote equality and diversity based on Equality Impact Analysis (EIA). **All** reports relating to new services, changes to existing services or CCG strategies / policies **must** have a valid EIA and will not be received by the Committee if this is not appended to the report)

	Tick relevant box
An Equality Impact Analysis/Assessment is not required for this report.	x
An Equality Impact Analysis/Assessment has been completed and approved by the lead Director for Equality and Diversity. As a result of performing the analysis/assessment there are no actions arising from the analysis/assessment.	
An Equality Impact Analysis/Assessment has been completed and there are actions arising from the analysis/assessment and these are included in section xx in the enclosed report.	

THE NHS CONSTITUTION: (How the report supports the NHS Constitution)

The NHS Constitution confirms the commitment of the NHS 'to the promotion and conduct of research.' NHS Hull CCG is fully compliant with this provision of the NHS Constitution.