

DECISION-MAKER:	HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL		
SUBJECT:	UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL SOUTHAMPTON; EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT REPORT		
DATE OF DECISION:	24 JULY 2013		
REPORT OF:	CHIEF EXECUTIVE, UHS		
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STATEMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY

None

BRIEF SUMMARY

The University Hospital Southampton's Chief Executive, Fiona Dalton, will provide the panel with an overview of last year's performance and latest position against the Emergency Department accident and emergency targets. She will also outline the plans in place to achieve targets during winter 2014/15.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- (i) That the panel notes the progress to achieve A&E targets at the University Hospital Southampton, and following discussions with the Chief Executive agrees any issues that may need to be brought forward to a future HOSP meeting.

REASONS FOR REPORT RECOMMENDATIONS

1. As part of the HOSP's terms of reference the panel has a role to respond to proposals and consultations from NHS bodies in respect of substantial variations in service provision.

ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND REJECTED

2. None

DETAIL (Including consultation carried out)

3. At the last panel meeting on 19 September 2013 the hospital outlined the latest UHS Emergency Department's performance. It was agreed by the panel to receive an update at future HOSP meeting until the situation at the emergency department is resolved. The latest update is attached at Appendix 1. A further update will be given at the panel meeting by Fiona Dalton, UHS Chief Executive.
4. At the panel meeting on 23 January 2014 the hospital outlined the latest UHS Emergency Department's performance. It was agreed by the panel to receive

an update at future HOSP meetings until the situation at the emergency department is resolved, including benchmarking. The latest performance data will be available at the meeting.

5. The panel are asked to note the latest performance and consider any issues that may need to be brought forward to a future HOSP meeting.

RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

Capital/Revenue

6. None

Property/Other

7. None

LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

Statutory power to undertake proposals in the report:

8. The powers and duties of health scrutiny are set out in the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2003.

Other Legal Implications:

15. None

POLICY FRAMEWORK IMPLICATIONS

16. None

KEY DECISION? No

WARDS/COMMUNITIES AFFECTED:	ALL
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SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

Appendices

1.	UHS: Emergency Department Performance Annual overview 2013/14 and latest performance
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Documents In Members' Rooms

	None
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Equality Impact Assessment

Do the implications/subject of the report require an Equality Impact Assessment (EIA) 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	
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