## Public Board of Directors Annual Work Programme 2025-2026

Communications and engagment strategy - July 2025	Туре	Executive Lead	Author	Frequency	May	June (EO)	July	Sept	Nov	Jan	March
Date of meeting					28.5.25	25.6.25	30.7.25	24.9.25	26.11.25	28.1.26	25.3.26
Submission deadline	1				21.5.28	18.5.25	23.7.25	17.9.25	19.11.25	21.1.26	18.3.26
Quarter					Q1	Q1	Q2	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q4
Standing Items							July	Sept	Nov	Jan	March
Experience story (SU, Carer or staff)	V	Executive Director of Nursing, Professions & Quality	N/A	Standing	Х	Х	Х	х	х	х	Х
Experience story reflection	٧	Executive Director of Nursing, Professions & Quality	N/A	Standing	х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Welcome, declaration of interest, minutes, matters arising and action log	V	Chair	N/A	Standing	Х	X	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Questions from Governors and the public	V	Chair	N/A	Standing	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Chairs report	V	Chair	N/A	Standing	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
CEO report		Chief Executive	Chief Executive	Standing	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Board committee activity reports		Non-Executve Directors	Coroprate Assurance team	Standing	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Reflections on the meeting including unconscious bias	V	Chair	N/A	Standing	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Any other urgent business	V	Chair	N/A	Standing	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х
Public Board of Directors work programme		Chair	N/A	Standing	Х	X	Х	X	Х	X	Х
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Strategic Aim: Deliver Outstanding Care											
Quality & Safety					May	June (EO)	July	Sept	Nov	Jan	March
Clinical and Social Care (2021-2026) Strategy Annual review/ Progress update (approved July 2021)		Executive Medical Director	Director Psychological Services Programme Lead	Annual					х		
Quality Account		Executive Director of Nursing, Professions & Quality	Head of Quality	Annual		x					
Quality Assurance Report		Executive Director of Nursing, Professions & Quality	Head of Clinical Quality Standards & Deputy DIPC	Bi-Annual			Х			х	
Quality Improvement Bi-Annual Progress Report		Executive Medical Director Executive Director of Nursing, Professions & Quality	Head of Continuous Improvement	Bi-Annual			х				х
Patient Safety Report Includes learning lessons and PSIRF (Learning and Safety Report)		Executive Director of Nursing, Professions & Quality	Patient Safety Specialist	Quarterly	XD		x	Annual		х	Х
Mortality report (Quarterly and Annual)	[[]]	Executive Medical Director	Care standards lead	Quarterly	Q4 (annual)D		x	Q1 Annual		Q2	Q3
Safe Staffing Bi-Annual Report and Declaration		Executive Director of Nursing, Professions & Quality	Head of Nursing	Bi-Annual				Х			Х
Eliminating mixed sex accommodation annual declaration		Executive Director of Nursing, Professions & Quality	Patient Safety Specialist	Annual	х						
Lived experience report including *Carers and Young Carers Strategy (2023-2026) Annual review/ Progress update *Service User Engagement and Experience Strategy (2022-26) / Progress update *PCREF update		Executive Director of Nursing, Professions & Quality	Head of Engagement and Experience Team Peer Suport work lead	Bi-Annual			х			х	

Safeguarding annual report (adults and children)		Executive Director of Nursing, Professions & Quality	Head of Safeguarding	Annual			Х				
Use of force annual report/ Least restrictive practice plan	(IIIII)	Executive Director of Nursing, Professions & Quality	Nurse Consultant Restrictive Practices Head of Nursing, Acute & Community Directorate					х		х	X Update
Suicide prevention strategy progress report	(IIIII)	Executive Medical Director	Patient Safety Specialist	Annual				х			
Freedom to Speak Up Guardian – annual update on progress with strategy	[[]]	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Freedom to Speak Up Guardian	Annual	х						*
Guardian of Safe Working Quarterly and Annual Report		Executive Medical Director	Guardian of Safe Working	Quarterly	Q4			Q1	Q2		Q3
Controlled Drugs Accountable Officer (CDAO) Annual Report		Executive Medical Director	Deputy Chief Pharmacist	Annual				х			
Complaints Annual Report	(IIIII)	Executive Director of Nursing, Professions & Quality	Head of Clinical Risk Head of Complaints	Annual			Х				
Research, innovation and effectiveness strategy / Progress update		Executive Medical Director	Deputy Director: Research	Annual							х
Patient-Led Assessment of the Care Environment (PLACE)	[[]]	Director of Strategy	Head of Facilities and Health & Safety	Annual	X action plan						х
Medical Annual Appraisal & Revalidation Report	[[]]	Executive Medical Director	Responsible Officer: Sohbi Girgis, Medical Compliance Officer	Annual				х			
Independent Mental Health Homicide Review Action plan		Executive Director of Nursing, Professions & Quality		As required	х						х
Strategic Aim: Effective Use of Resources					May	June (EO)	July	Sept	Nov	Jan	March
Performance and Quality											
Transformation Portfolio report Improvement and Change report		Director of Strategy	Head of PMO	Standing	х		х	x	х	х	х
Integrated Performance and Quality Report (IPQR)		Executive Director of Finance	Business performance with input from Executive leads	Standing	Х		Х	Х	х	Х	х
Finance report		Executive Director of Finance	Executive Director of Finance	Standing	х		Х	Х	х	Х	х
Finance Plan 2025-2026 *annual budget setting		Executive Director of Finance	Executive Director of Finance	Annual	Х					Х	х

	Executive Director of Finance	Deputy Director of Finance	Annual				х			
	Director of Strategy	Director of Strategy	Annual			D	Х			
	Executive Director of Finance	Sustainability lead	Annual						Х	
	Executive Director of Finance	Executive Director of Finance	Annual							
	Director of Strategy	Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning	Annual	х				х	Х	х
	Director of Strategy	Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning	bi- annual							х
	Executive Director of Finance	Executive Director of Finance	Annual			Χ				
				May	June (EO)	July	Sept	Nov	Jan	March
	Executive Director of People	Executive Director of People	Annual			Q1 D	Q1 D	Q1/2 D		х
	Executive Director of People	Head of Equality and Inclusion	Annual	Х						
	Executive Medical Director	Executive Medical Director	Annual			Х				
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	Executive Director of People	Head of Equality and Inclusion	Annual			X				
	Executive Director of People	Head of Equality and Inclusion	Annual							Х
	Executive Director of People	Head of Equality and Inclusion Human Rights Officer	Annual					X (approval)		
				X						
	Executive Director of People	Head of Equality and Inclusion	Annual	х						
				May	June (EO)	July	Sept	Nov	Jan	March
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	Director of Strategy and Chief Executive	Director of Strategy	Standing	х		X	х	х	X	Х
	Executive Medical Director	Head of Population Health and Inequalities, Public Health Registrar	Bi-Annual	х				х		
	Director of Strategy	Director of Strategy	Adhoc	Х				х		
		Executive Director of Finance  Executive Director of Finance  Director of Strategy  Executive Director of Finance  Executive Director of Finance  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People	Executive Director of Finance   Executive Director of Finance	Executive Director of Finance  Executive Director of Finance  Executive Director of Finance  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Finance  Executive Director of Strategy and Planning  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Executive Director of Finance  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Annual  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Human Rights Officer  Annual  Director of Strategy and Chief  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Human Rights Officer  Director of Strategy and Chief  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Human Rights Officer  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Human Rights Officer  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Human Rights Officer  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Human Rights Officer  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Human Rights Officer  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Human Rights Officer  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Human Rights Officer  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Executive Dir	Director of Strategy	Director of Strategy  Director of Strategy  Executive Director of Finance  Executive Director of Finance  Executive Director of Finance  Executive Director of Finance  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Executive Director of Finance  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Executive Medical Director  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Annual  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Human Rights Officer  Annual  Executive Director of People  Director of Strategy and Chief  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Human Rights Officer  Annual  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Human Rights Officer  Annual  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Human Rights Officer  Annual  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Annual  Executive Director of People  Executive Director of People  Head of Equality and Inclusion  Annual  Executive Director of People  Executive Directo	Director of Strategy  Director of Strategy  Director of Strategy  Director of Strategy  Director of Finance  Executive Director of Finance  Executive Director of Finance  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Executive Director of Finance  Executive Director of People  E	Director of Strategy	E Director of Strategy  Director of Strategy  Director of Strategy  Director of Finance  Executive Director of Finance  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Finance  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Director of Strategy  Deputy Director of Strategy and Planning  Director of Strategy and Planning  Director of Strategy  Director of Feeple  Executive Director of Feeple  Director of Strategy  Director of Strategy and Chief  Director of Strategy  Director of Strategy and Chief  Director of Strategy  Director of Strategy and Chief  Director of Strategy  D	Director of Strategy

Health Inequalities statement reporting including BoD self-assessment and draft inequality action plan (included in the Bi- annual population health update and reported in the Annual Report)	Director of Strategy	Head of Population Health and Inequalities,	Annual		X	×				
Strategy			•	•	•		•			
Strategy – see strategies listed under strategic Aims				May	June (EO)	July	Sept	Nov	Jan	March
SHSC Tust strategy	Director of Strategy	Director of Strategy	Annual	x						
Communication and Engagement strategy	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance with Executive leads	Annual			х				
Governance				May	June (EO)	July	Sept	Nov	Jan	March
Board Assurance Framework	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance with Executive leads	As outlined	х		х	х		х	х
Corporate Risk Register	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Head of Corporate Assurance	Standing	х		х	х	х	х	х
Annual Report and Accounts *including the Health Inequalities statement	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance Executive Director of Finance	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance Executive Director of Finance	Annual		×					
Receipt of Head of Internal Audit Opinion and external audit report	Internal and External Audit (via Executive Director of Finance & Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance)	N/A	Annual		×					
Emergency Preparedness, Resilience and Response Annual Report	Director of Operations	Director of Operations	Annual					х	х	
Annual Health and Safety report	Director of Strategy	Head of Facilities and Health and Safety	Annual			х				
Annual Update on Charity Governance	Executive Director of Finance	Deputy Director of Finance	Annual			D	х			
Annual Review of SFIs/SO and Scheme of Delegation	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance Executive Director of Finance	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance Executive Director of Finance	Annual	х						х
Annual Mental Health Scheme of Delegation	Executive Medical Director	Head of Mental Health Legislation	3 yearly ? Annual				х			

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<del>Data and Information Governance-</del> IG, Cyber secrity and AI Annual Report (inc SIRO/Caldicott)		Executive Director of Finance (SIRO)	Executive Director of Finance	Annual			x				
Risk Management Framework review proposed to be received annually in July		Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Head of corporate assruance	Annual			х				
Items covered in the Governance Report	•				May	June (EO)	July	Sept	Nov	Jan	March
Non-Executive Director (NED) Champion roles and membership of committees		Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Annual							х
Declarations, gifts and hospitality register		Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Annual	х		х			X update	
FFP declarations		Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Annual			х				
Use of Seal		Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Annual			x				
Any proposed changes to the Constitution for approval		Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Annual			х				
Modern Slavery and Human Trafficking statement		Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Annual			х				
Covid-19 inquiry update		Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Annual							
Annual reports from the Board Assurance Committees post receipt at their committees (including reviews of effectiveness work plans for 2024/25 and reviews of TORs)		Chairs and Executive Leads	Executive Leads	Annual			х				
Board review of effectiveness		Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Associate Director of Communications and Corporate Governance	Annual				х			
Other Matters					May	June (EO)	July	Sept	Nov	Jan	March
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