

# Action Plan in response to the PPO Report into the death of Mr Colin Ryan on 29 January 2023 at HMP Bristol

Rec No	Recommendation	Accepted / Not accepted	Response Action Taken / Planned	Responsible Owner and Organisation	Target Date
1	The Prison Group Director for Avon, South Dorset and Wiltshire should satisfy himself that meaningful improvements have been made to the management of ACCT procedures at Bristol.	Accepted	<p>The staffing resource within the safer custody team at HMP Bristol has been reviewed and an additional member of staff has been recruited. They will oversee the ACCT process and provide additional support to case managers, which will increase the prison's capacity to undertake more assurance work and improve the management of the ACCT process. Appropriate feedback will be provided to individuals, where necessary, and the learning will inform upskilling sessions delivered to staff.</p> <p>ACCT quality assurance is now an agenda item at the daily senior leadership morning meeting and the prison has introduced a fortnightly 100% ACCT quality assurance check. A Supervising Officer will also complete daily ACCT checks, which will be monitored by the residential management team.</p>	<p>Head of Safety (HMPPS)</p> <p>Head of Residence &amp; Head of Safety (HMPPS)</p>	<p>Completed</p> <p>December 2023</p>

			Additionally, the group safety team will increase the number of site visits to two per month. They will quality assure HMP Bristol's ACCT procedures and prepare a monthly report on progress for the PGD. The PGD will also increase the frequency of their visits to HMP Bristol to every three weeks to ensure improvements are being made.	Group Safety Team Prison Group Director (HMPPS)	December 2023
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