

Action Plan in response to the PPO Report into the death of Mr Neil McKenna on 19 July 2022 at HMP Littlehey

| Rec No | Recommendation | Accepted / Not accepted | Response Action Taken / Planned | Responsible Owner and Organisation | Target Date |
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| 1 | Head of Healthcare should ensure that healthcare input into escort risk assessments is based on up-to-date medical information and is clear and sufficiently detailed. | Accepted | <p>Email sent to all Healthcare staff to ensure the medical information they provide on the escort risk assessment is up to date and sufficiently detailed to enable the security department to make appropriate decisions regarding the use of restraints.</p> <p>This will be followed up by updating staff in the daily Healthcare handover meeting and raising it in supervision with all healthcare staff.</p> | Head of Healthcare | December 2022 |
| 2 | The Governor and Head of Healthcare should ensure that healthcare and security teams share appropriate information and work collaboratively to complete escort risk assessments, to ensure restraints decisions are appropriate. | Accepted | <p>A number of meetings have taken place to ensure that Security and Health Care are working closely to agree individual cuffing arrangements.</p> <p>As a result, there is a significant improvement in communication as security continue to contact healthcare colleagues regarding daily escorts and cuffing arrangements based on Health Care Risk Assessment.</p> | Head of Security | March 2023 |

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| | | | <p>Security will continue to work with healthcare in developing the no cuffing list based on medical guidance and risk. If further information is required, security will use all available sources of information to gain an informed decision to ensure that appropriate cuffing arrangements are used for each individual prisoner.</p> | | |
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