

Action Plan in response to the PPO Report into the death of Mr Brian James 23 February 2025 at HMP Elmley

Rec No	Recommendation	Accepted / Not accepted	Response Action Taken / Planned	Responsible Owner and Organisation	Target Date
1	The Head of Healthcare should review the current guidance on the assessment and management of acute abdominal pain and provide healthcare staff with relevant training.	Accepted	NICE and BMJ guidelines have been reviewed as recommended in the initial PPO report. A training package is currently being developed for all Healthcare staff around the assessment and management of patients presenting with acute abdominal pain. This will also include guidance on the use of National Early Warning Score Scoring System (NEWS2) in patients with acute abdominal pain. The Training Needs Analysis and alternative training options will also be explored in order to provide healthcare staff with additional and external training opportunities, and to ensure continuity of this training.	Head of Healthcare Oxleas NHS Foundation Trust	October 2025