

# Action Plan in response to the PPO Report into the death of

## Mr Piotr Zmijewski on 9 September 2023 HMP Maidstone

Rec No	Recommendation	Accepted / Not accepted	Response Action Taken / Planned	Responsible Owner and Organisation	Target Date
1	<p>The Governor and Head of Healthcare should ensure that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• plans for isolating prisoners contain detailed information about identified risks and agreed actions to reduce or end isolation,</li> <li>• prison staff regularly review plans and ensure that any changes are recorded and actioned; and</li> <li>• healthcare staff review and document the mental state of a self-isolating prisoner at least once a week.</li> </ul>	Accepted	<p><b>HMP Maidstone:</b></p> <p>The local self-isolation policy has been reviewed to ensure that instructions to staff are clear. Isolating prisoners are now discussed at the weekly Safety Intervention Meeting (SIM) and managed under the Challenge, Support and Intervention Plan (CSIP), and staff must add a daily case note onto NOMIS.</p> <p>A triage system has been introduced for the safer custody department where key issues are discussed each weekday morning. If a prisoner is self-isolating this will be raised and recorded. The triage provides an opportunity to review the self-isolation log and ensure that reviews are timely and any changes are recorded and actioned to support prisoners to end their isolation.</p> <p>When a prisoner declares that they are self-isolating healthcare are informed and are in attendance at the morning meeting where self-isolating prisoners are discussed.</p>	Head of Safety HMPPS  Head of Healthcare Oxleas	Completed

			<p><b>Oxleas:</b></p> <p>Oxleas will carry out a Mental Health Assessment within 48 hours when a prisoner self isolates and see the prisoner twice a week as a minimum.</p> <p>Oxleas will attend the Self Isolating reviews with wing management if required and also attend the weekly SIM where prisoners who are self-isolating are discussed as directed within the Integrated Mental Health Model.</p>		
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