

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

Mr John Creevy on 25/01/2022 at HMP Garth

Rec No	Recommendation	Accepted / Not accepted	Response Action Taken / Planned	Responsible Owner and Organisation	Target Date
1	<p>The Head of Healthcare at HMP Lowdham Grange should ensure that prisoners with significant health needs are transferred in line with national instructions, including that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • significant health information is shared with the receiving prison, including about significant diagnoses, recent emergency hospital admissions and hospital follow up appointments; and • all critical prescribed medications are transferred with prisoners to enable continuity of care. 	Accepted	<p>A guidance document is available for all staff to ensure they are familiar with the requirements of transferring patients with complex needs. This has been shared with the team through staff meetings</p>	<p>Head of Healthcare Nottinghamshire Healthcare NHSE Foundation Trust Offender Health</p>	Completed
2	The Head of Healthcare at HMP Garth should ensure that reception health screens are completed for all newly arrived prisoners, in line with NICE guidelines.	Accepted	<p>The National Institute for Health and Care Excellence, NG57 – <i>'Physical health of people in prison'</i> document has been uploaded to the prison's healthcare channel and has been circulated to the healthcare team for review and discussion.</p>	<p>Head of Healthcare Bridgewater NHS Foundation Trust</p>	Completed

			A national early warning score (NEWS 2) is now completed for every prisoner arriving into the establishment and a monthly audit is carried out to ensure compliance.		
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