

## Action Plan in response to the PPO Report into the death of Mr Andrew Winspear on 08 August 2023 at HMP Hull

Rec No	Recommendation	Accepted / Not accepted	Response Action Taken / Planned	Responsible Owner and Organisation	Target Date
1	The Governor should undertake an audit to assure himself that staff are adhering to the correct procedures following court appearances by video link and report the results to the Ombudsman.	Accepted	<p>In response to the PPO recommendation, the Head of Operations conducted an audit of a sample of prisoners' records where they had attended a court appearance via video link at HMP Hull over the past four months.</p> <p>The aim of the audit was to ensure that where there had been a change in circumstance, this had been followed up with a welfare check by a prison officer, an ACCT opened to support the person where appropriate and that the opportunity to see a nurse had been offered.</p> <p>The audit of the 20 records selected found that in all cases a Nomis/DPS case note was made and a welfare check was completed by a prison officer who had spoken to the person directly after their court appearance by video link. It found that follow up actions had also been taken, where appropriate, and all</p>	Head of Operations HMPPS	Completed

			<p>prisoners had been offered the opportunity to see a nurse. Only one prisoner had chosen to do so with the remaining 19 declining the offer.</p> <p>Following the audit, the Head of Operations is satisfied that staff understand and adhere to the correct procedures following a court appearance by video link. Staff who work in the court video link department keep accurate records that can be viewed as evidence that a welfare check has been completed and that the support of a nurse has been offered.</p> <p>The outcome of the audit has been conveyed to the Governing Governor.</p>		
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