

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

Mr Andrew Hague on 15 October 2023 following release from HMP Wealstun

Rec No	Recommendation	Accepted / Not accepted	Response Action Taken / Planned	Responsible Owner and Organisation	Target Date
1	The Head of the Probation Delivery Unit should ensure that COMs escalate their concerns about non-engagement to their manager to discuss and identify what further action can be taken when prisoners repeatedly fail to engage and a COM cannot support their needs as they prepare for release.	Accepted	During team meetings and 1-2-1 supervision, Senior Probation Officers (SPO) will request that COMs escalate to them any concerns about non-engagement where this means that the COM cannot support their needs as they prepare for release. SPO's will then record the conversation and agreed response as a Management Oversight.	Head of Probation Delivery Unit HMPPS	July 2024
2	The Head of Healthcare should work in partnership with Practice Plus Group, the regional Health and Justice Leads and regional drug providers to satisfy themselves that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the local policy on the offer and issue of naloxone on release captures prisoners with previous 	Accepted	Naloxone is offered to patients on release from PPG HIJ sites following the local operating procedure (LOP) for To Take Out (TTO) Naloxone. Action required to review the TTO Naloxone LOP with the wider healthcare, to include referral to DARS if previous opiate use is disclosed. This will enable them to determine if it would be appropriate to add to the naloxone ledger on release.	Head of Healthcare PPG Senior Cluster Manager MPFT	September 2024

	<p>opiate use and other relevant risk factors; and</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• they are collaboratively engaging with individuals who are persistently difficult to engage to achieve better outcomes for them.		<p>DARS have already implemented a prompt to DARS triage to discuss previous opiate use with patient to identify if the patient will require naloxone on release.</p> <p>Drug and Alcohol Recovery Team (DART), Mental Health, Psychiatrist and Substance misuse hold a multidisciplinary team meeting once weekly. Action required to review the multidisciplinary team meeting agenda to ensure that patients who are difficult to engage with are discussed and a multidisciplinary approach agreed on how to re-approach engagement with the individual.</p>		
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