

Action Plan: Death of A Male Prisoner - HMP Wandsworth

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No	Recommendation	Accepted/Not Accepted	Response	Target date for completion and function responsible	Progress (to be updated after 6 months)
1	The Governor should ensure that the Tackling Anti-Social Behaviour procedures are used actively, promptly and effectively to challenge prisoners suspected of bullying behaviour and to support their victims.	Accepted	A revised Violence Reduction Strategy providing clear guidance for all staff and managers on the management of those identified as perpetrators of violence or bullying was launched at HMP Wandsworth on the 22 nd March 2015. The guidance outlines the sanctions to be imposed on those involved in violent incidents and the strategy for supporting victims of both bullying and violence. This guidance requires time bound actions to be taken to challenge the behaviour of perpetrators and provides guidance on the support of victims.	Head of Safety Completed	
2	The Governor should develop a strategy to manage prisoners in the vulnerable prisoner unit who themselves are a risk to other vulnerable prisoners.	Accepted	The Head of Safety and Heads of Residential will in partnership, develop a protocol to manage those prisoners posing a risk to other within a Vulnerable Prisoners Unit. This protocol will focus on the use of the IEP scheme and the recently launched Violence Reduction Policy to challenge behaviour.	Head of Safety and Heads of Residential June 2015	
3	The Governor should ensure that prison staff manage prisoners at risk of suicide or self-harm in line with national guidelines, including:	Accepted	The Head of Safety in partnership with the Head of Corporate Services are developing an ACCT training programme to ensure that all members of staff in contact with prisoners access ACCT	Head of Safety and Head of Corporate	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multi-disciplinary ACCT reviews which ensure continuity of case management and include all relevant people involved in a prisoner's care; • Setting effective ACCT caremap objectives which are specific and meaningful, aimed at reducing a prisoner's risk and which identify who is responsible for them; • Ensuring that all caremap actions have been completed before an ACCT is closed; • Healthcare staff attending all first case reviews; • Recording all relevant information about the risk of suicide and self-harm in the ACCT record. 		<p>refresher training within a 12 month period. This training will cover each of the concerns raised. This programme will also facilitate Assessor and Case Manager training.</p> <p>In March of 2015 HMP Wandsworth implemented a revised system for providing quality assurance of ACCT documents and processes. The new process requires Band 5 managers to quality assure all ACCT documents within 72hrs of the document being raised. These checks are further quality assured by Band 7 and 8 managers each week.</p> <p>All quality checks are recorded on pro-forma which is passed to the Safety Team, who conduct ad-hoc checks on all previous checks conducted and provide advice to staff involved in the ACCT process where necessary.</p>	<p>Services</p> <p>July 2015</p> <p>Head of Safety</p>	

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4	The Governor should ensure that cells are locked as soon as possible when a prisoner is removed after a serious incident.	Accepted	The prison will remind staff of the current policy to ensure that cells are secured as per the local instruction 3.24 "EVIDENCE – AVOIDING CONTAMINATION". A Governors Information Notice (GIN) will be published on the local intranet asking staff to familiarise themselves with this instruction. This GIN will also be sent by email to all members of staff.	31 May 2015 Head of Security	