

Action Plan – Stefano Brizzi. HMP Belmarsh. Self-Inflicted. 05/02/2017

No	Recommendation	Accepted/Not Accepted	Response	Target date for completion and function responsible
1	The Governor should ensure that when staff become aware of potentially significant information relating to a prisoner's wellbeing, this is properly recorded and, where necessary, disseminated appropriately	Accepted	<p>A Governors Notice to Staff (NTS) 169/17 was issued in July to remind staff of the risk factors for suicide and self-harm. A weekly senior management ACCT quality assurance check is carried out by the Governor in charge or Duty Governor during which the entirety of the document is checked and any issues identified are addressed at the time with the manager of the prisoner's location.</p> <p>As part of their initial training, all operational staff are trained in dynamic security ensuring that they are able to identify any information about a prisoner that is out of character. All staff have been reminded via verbal briefings delivered, during September 2017 that any such information must be submitted in the form of a Mercury Intelligence Report. All Mercury reports are processed by the Security team and the information disseminated to relevant functions following approval by a senior manager, with time scales applied to follow up actions.</p> <p>All staff were reminded via a NTS (207/17) was published in July 17, that any concerns or information they have about a prisoner's wellbeing must be recorded in relevant observation books and NOMIS so that this information can inform staff briefings, and allow for all staff having contact with the prisoner to be aware.</p>	Completed Head of Safer Custody
2	The Governor should ensure that staff radio the correct emergency code immediately when faced with a situation where a prisoner is not breathing or unconscious so that an ambulance can be called without delay.	Accepted	A Governor's Order was issued in September 2017 to remind staff of the correct emergency response codes and the correct process for calling an ambulance. This notice will be issued periodically to ensure ongoing staff awareness.	Completed Head of Safer Custody
3	The Governor should ensure that all staff are provided with formal	Accepted	All senior managers have been reminded by the Head of Safer Custody via email, that in line with PSI08/2010 on Post Incident Care	Completed Head of Safer

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	support from the prison following a death in custody		and PSI 64/2011, hot debriefs involving staff from across all functions involved in a death in custody must be held immediately after the incident. The SMT were issued with guidance notes on hot debrief and post incident stress in September 2017.	Custody