Action Plan –Dominic Birkitt HMP Kirkham Natural Causes 19/06/2016				
No	**Recommendation**	**Accepted/Not Accepted**	**Response**	**Target date for completion and function responsible**
1	The Heads of Healthcare at HMP Forest Bank and HMP Kirkham should ensure that high blood pressure is promptly and appropriately investigated and treated in line with current clinical guidelines.	Accepted	**HMP Forest Bank** The Head of Healthcare will ensure that any prisoner showing symptoms of high blood pressure will be treated in accordance with clinical guidelines and referred to the weekly nurse led clinic in place for hypertension and cardiology where appropriate. All staff are aware of referral process through the hypertension guidance that has been published and new starters and are inducted to all chronic disease clinics. A lead nurse is in place who has had advanced and on-going training in the management of hypertension and ischaemic heart disease Audit plans are in place and the lead nurse for Hypertension follows up any prisoners who do not attend their appointments. These figures are also submitted on HJIP's (Health and justice indicators of performance – submitted to NHS quarterly) **HMP Kirkham** Blood pressure is now taken and recorded as part of the reception process on the day of arrival to the establishment to gain individual baseline observations. A copy of the NICE guidance has been emailed to all staff and an algorhythm developed and placed in all clinic rooms for guidance. All staff have been informed of this in the physical health meeting and guidance is now followed.	Head of Healthcare Completed Head of Healthcare Completed