

Action Plan- Frederick Dells. HMP Stafford. NC. 16/07/2017

No	Recommendation	Accepted/Not Accepted	Response	Target date for completion and function responsible
1	The Governor at HMP Stafford should ensure that when a prisoner is diagnosed with a terminal illness, his next of kin details are kept up to date and that his family are informed of his condition, especially when the prisoner requests this.	Accepted	When a prisoner is diagnosed with a terminal illness, the Healthcare Manager will inform the Head of Safer Custody who will ensure that the prisoner's next of kin details are current and that his family are informed of his condition.	Complete Head of Safer Custody & Healthcare Manager
2	The Governor should ensure that appropriate priority is given to dealing with applications for compassionate release for terminally ill prisoners and that they are submitted without delay.	Accepted	Stafford's compassionate release application process for prisoners who are terminally ill has been reviewed. The Healthcare Manager is now required to inform the Head of Offender Management when a person is palliative or nearing end-of-life. On receipt of this information, the Head of Offender Management (OM) will immediately begin the compassionate release application process so the application can be submitted without delay.	Complete Head of OM & Healthcare Manager