

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

Mr John Botham on 13 January 2023 at HMP Nottingham

Rec No	Recommendation	Accepted / Not accepted	Response Action Taken / Planned	Responsible Owner and Organisation	Target Date
1	The Head of Healthcare should ensure that when requesting an emergency ambulance, healthcare staff share specific details of the prisoner's symptoms and the results of clinical observations, to be passed to the ambulance service.	Accepted	All emergency bags now have SBAR (situation background, assessment, and recommendations) in each emergency bag. This tool is utilised for handover purposes. All pathways complete News 2 to ensure escalation of deterioration.	Nottinghamshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	Completed
2	The Governor and Head of Healthcare should ensure that all staff undertaking risk assessments for prisoners taken to hospital understand the legal position on the use of restraints and that in all cases: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> healthcare staff fully complete the medical information section of the escort risk assessment to reflect how the prisoner's current clinical condition affects their ability to escape unaided; 	Accepted	There is currently a multi-disciplinary review of the current local escort risk assessment. At the monthly PFD meeting the section on health ensures that appropriate considerations are recorded. This includes recording the prisoner's health condition and mobility. The authorising manager section will ensure that the prisoners' current presentation is considered and evidenced appropriately. Refresher training is to be provided to staff responsible for completing risk assessment sections. This review will ensure that:	Governor – HMPPS Nottinghamshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust	Completed



	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• the authorising manager confirms they have taken this information into account in decisions on the level of risk and the use of restraints; and• managers promptly review a prisoner's risk when circumstances change.	<p>Every risk assessment is fully completed prior to discharge,</p> <p>All healthcare staff complete the healthcare section which includes an assessment of the prisoners' current medical condition and whether it affects their physical ability, mobility, disability, need for medication and risk of escape (it is important to note that healthcare staff cannot advise on the risk of escape) and Upskilling sessions are to take place with all authorising managers on risk assessment processes, including evidence that healthcare information has been considered.</p>		
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