

**Action Plan – Brian Baker HMP Sudbury NC 01/05/2017**

<b>No</b>	<b>Recommendation</b>	<b>Accepted/Not Accepted</b>	<b>Response</b>	<b>Target date for completion and function responsible</b>
1	The Head of Healthcare at HMP Dovegate should ensure that, when a medical need has been identified, referrals to hospital are made promptly.	Accepted	<p>When it is identified that a patient requires an urgent referral or investigation the clinical pathways are utilised, for example the 2 week wait cancer pathway, and fast track clinics.</p> <p>All referring clinicians are aware of these pathways and task the admin team to undertake this as an urgent referral and admin will track these referrals. A Local Operating Procedure will be developed to ensure that the system does not fall down along the way and that referrals to hospitals are not delayed.</p>	<p>December 2017</p> <p>Head of Healthcare</p>