

# Action Plan in response to the PPO Report into the death of Mr John Pearson on 24 October 2022 at HMP Holme House

Rec No	Recommendation	Accepted / Not accepted	Response Action Taken / Planned	Responsible Owner and Organisation	Target Date
1	The National Probation Service Divisional Director for the North East should add training for compassionate release applications to the Probation Delivery Unit training plan for all staff and ensure that any staff involved in requests for reports as part of the compassionate release process understand their responsibility in accordance with the ERCG Policy Framework.	Accepted	<p>NE Region Prison Lead will undertake 5 regional briefing events for compassionate release applications; to ensure that all operational colleagues involved in any requests for reports understand their responsibilities in accordance with the ERCG Policy Framework.</p> <p>These briefing events will be mandated for all operational colleagues and attendance will be overseen by all Heads of PDU – to ensure attendance.</p> <p>Briefing events will take place in April &amp; May 2024; and individuals attending will be required to confirm their attendance by recording this on the My Learning training database.</p> <p>A recording of the briefing event, alongside regionally produced materials (i.e. Process Flowchart and Briefing materials) will be made</p>	Regional Probation Director HMPPS	31 May 2024



			available on the North East Regional Directory for colleagues to access after the events, as required.		
2	The Head of Healthcare should ensure that all staff complete a full set of clinical observations, including a NEWS2 score and the Glasgow Coma Scale when attending a prisoner who has been reported as being unwell or has had a fall, to ensure that patients who are deteriorating, or at risk of deteriorating have a timely initial assessment by a competent clinical decision maker.	Accepted	Ongoing training with all staff regarding NEWS2 and GCS, staff attendance taken for assurance purposes	Head of Healthcare Spectrum	Completed

