

Research and Innovation

Annual Performance Report 2020/21

We are pleased to present the 2020/21 Annual Performance review of clinical research activities at Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.

Research is an essential part of NHS care, not least because we know that organisations and teams that are 'research active' provide better care. In some circumstances research may be the only route for patients to access lifesaving therapy.

This year our focus has been on Urgent Public Health research. Our data has contributed to discovering new ways of treating COVID-19 and informing national policy. We were the 6th highest recruiting trust across the East Midlands region and 4th in the country compared to similar sized organisations. These figures highlight the increasing research profile at SFH which provides significant opportunities for patient engagement and contributes to the health of our local population.

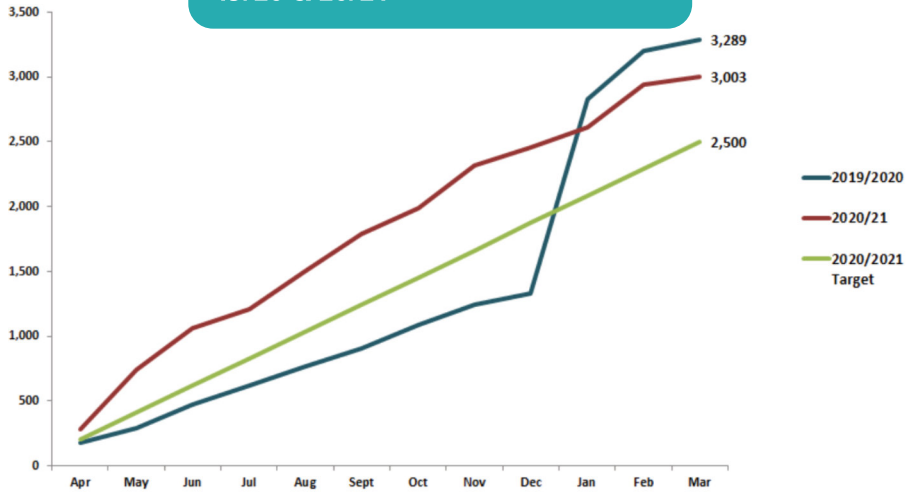
It is with great pride that we are able to demonstrate an increase in research activity across SFH over the last 5 years.

This achievement has been realised by the expertise and dedication of our clinical and support department teams working across all divisions, alongside support from the East Midlands Clinical Research Network that funds a significant part of our team.

We would like to thank everyone for their contributions but most importantly we would like to thank the 3003 patients who took part in research this last year, without whom none of this would be possible.

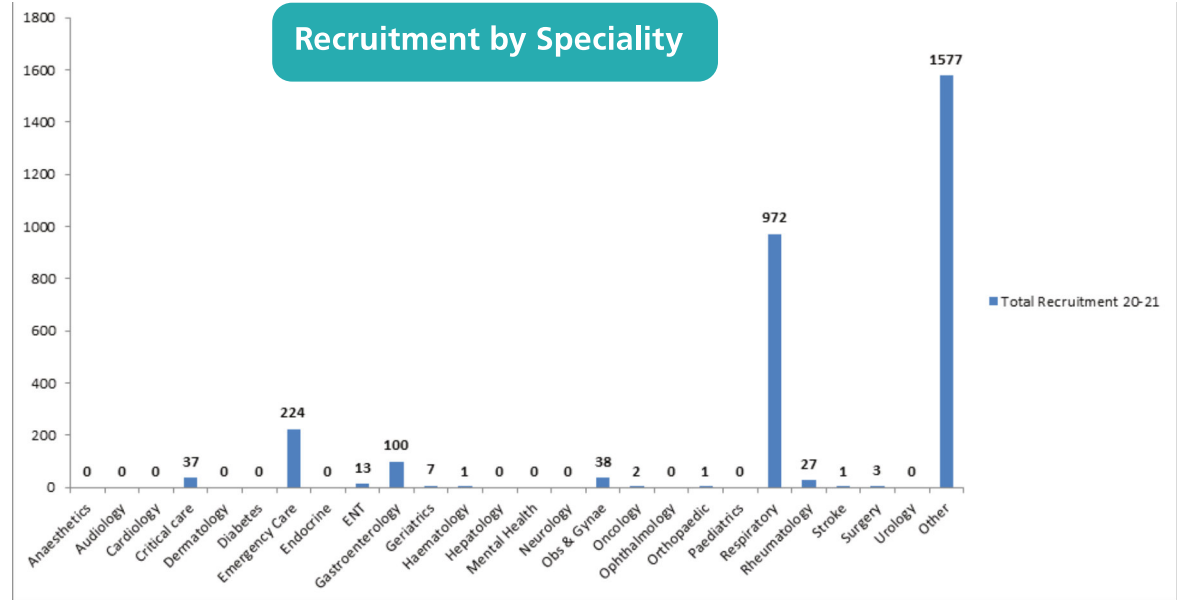


Cumulative Monthly Recruitment 19/20 & 20/21

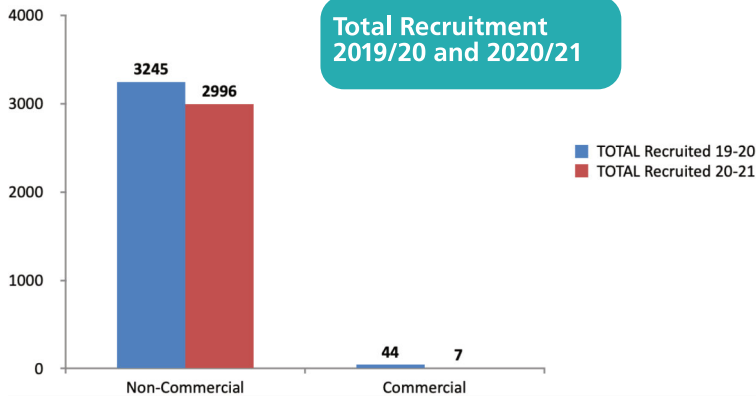


	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
2019/2020	182	296	470	621	765	909	1,090	1,248	1,327	2,826	3,202	3,289
2020/21	284	744	1,060	1,211	1,502	1,793	1,993	2,322	2,455	2,614	2,938	3,003
2020/2021 Target	208	416	624	832	1,040	1,248	1,456	1,664	1,872	2,080	2,288	2,500

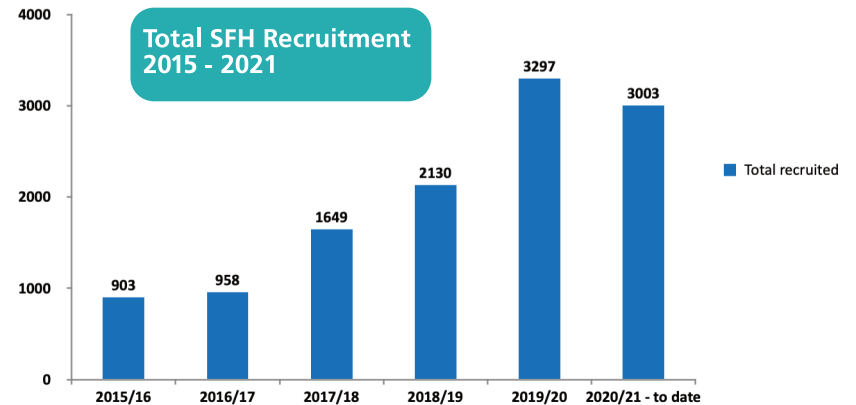
Recruitment by Speciality

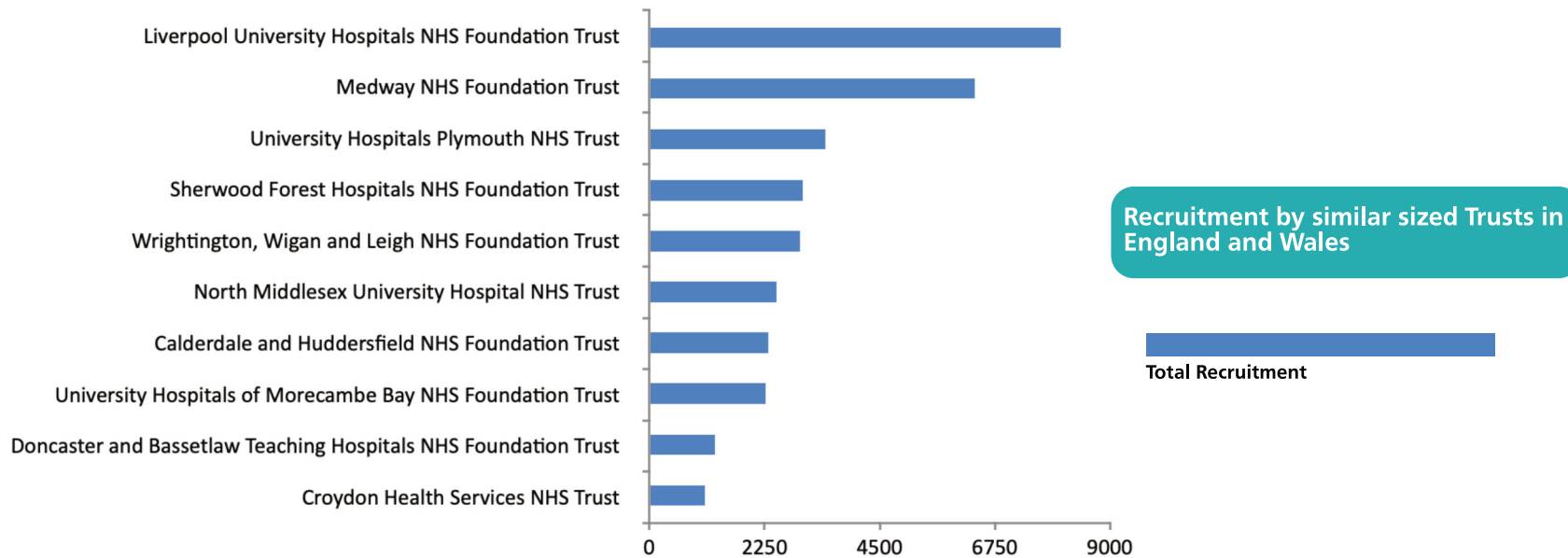
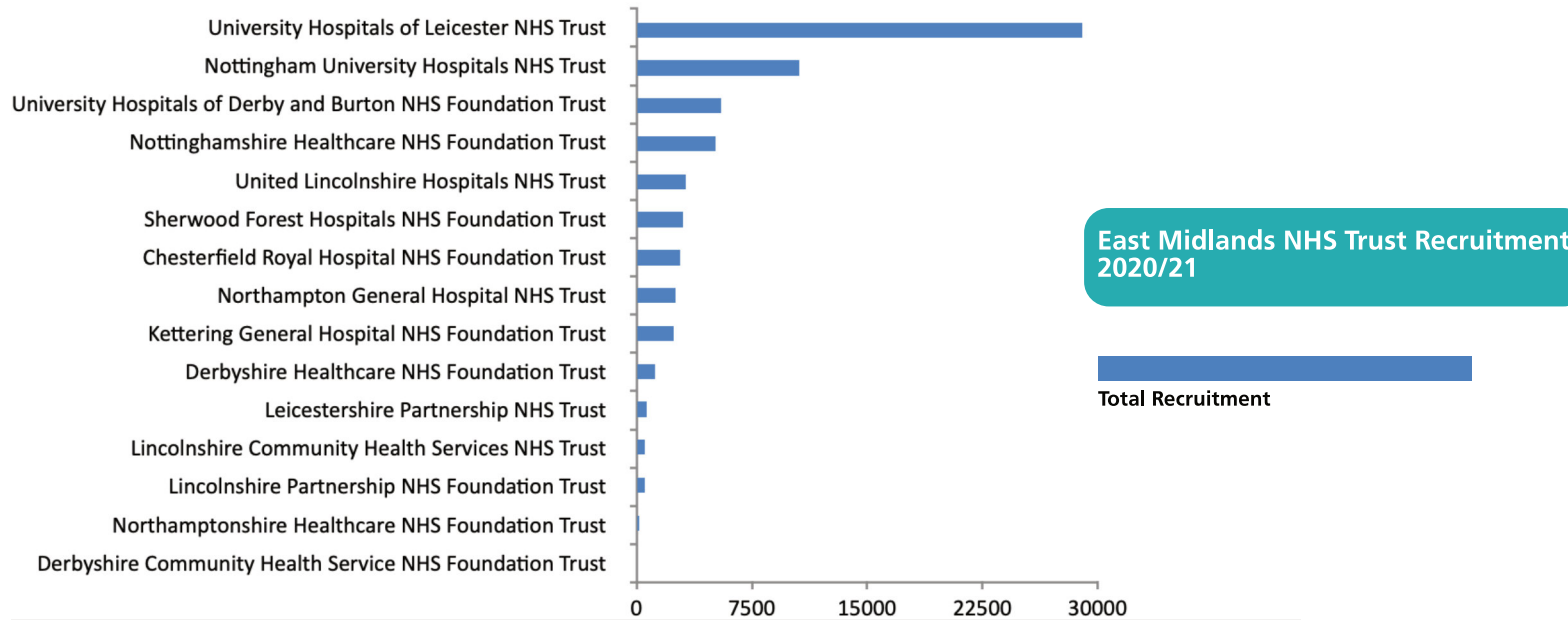


Total Recruitment 2019/20 and 2020/21



Total SFH Recruitment 2015 - 2021







2021/22
CRN East Midlands Income
£713,387.00
Rollover Budget



2020/21
Commercial Income
£85,844.33
For re-investment into
future research capability and
capacity



Department of Health
Funding
£20,000
To maintain research capability
and capacity

Patient experience – SIREN Participants

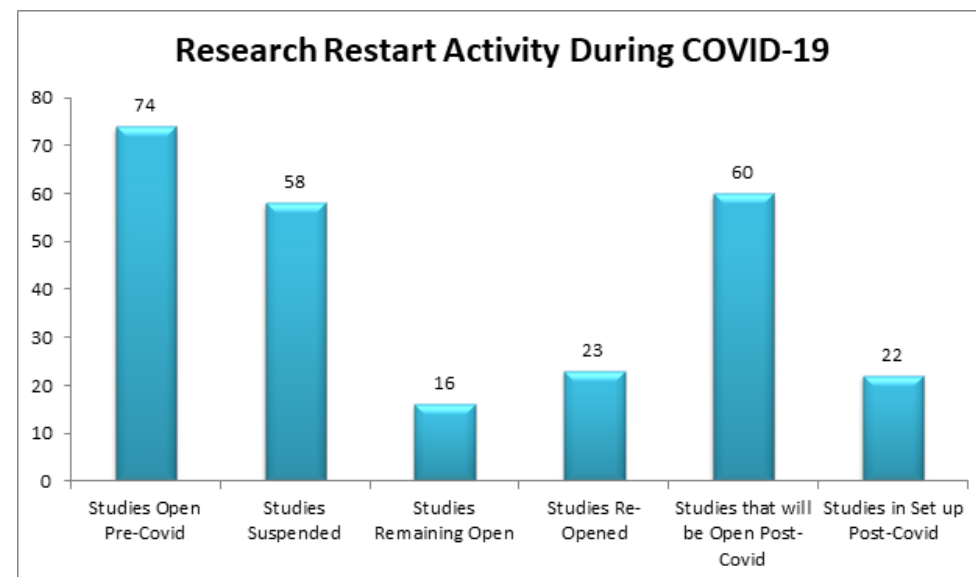
- 98% of participants who completed the survey strongly agreed/agreed they were treated with courtesy and respect with the remainder being Neutral
- 96% of participants who completed the survey would consider taking part in Research again

SIREN Participant Comments

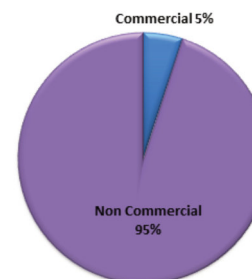
- The research team are always very nice and explain about things
- Staff were friendly and helpful and managed to slot me in if I was unable to make an appointment
- Organised friendly and safe

RESTART

- Research and Innovation 'RESTART' Plan, May 2020 approved TMT
- Follows NIHR Framework for restart – supports local decision making
- R&I Assessment and Prioritisation Group – Assess conditions are met to 'Reconfirm Capacity'
- Research is cross cutting: reopening studies will be on a case by case basis, and informed by the availability and changes in each speciality involved
- Matrix of Research and identified impacts reviewed by Deputy COO



A Comparison of Commercial/Non-Commercial Research at RESTART



A Comparison of UPH/Non-UPH Research at RESTART

