

# Research and Innovation

## Q2 Performance Report 2021/22

We are pleased to present the Q2 2021/22 performance review of research activity 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.

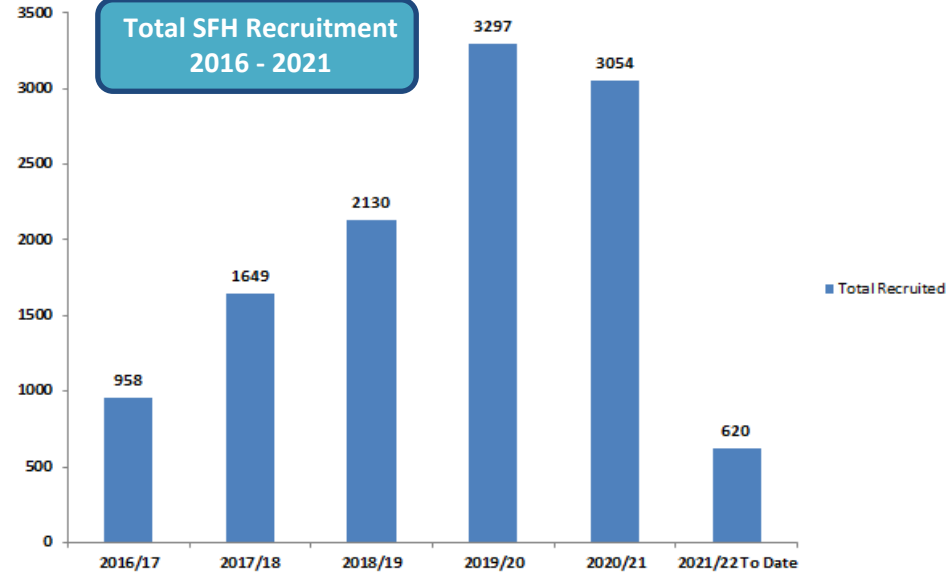
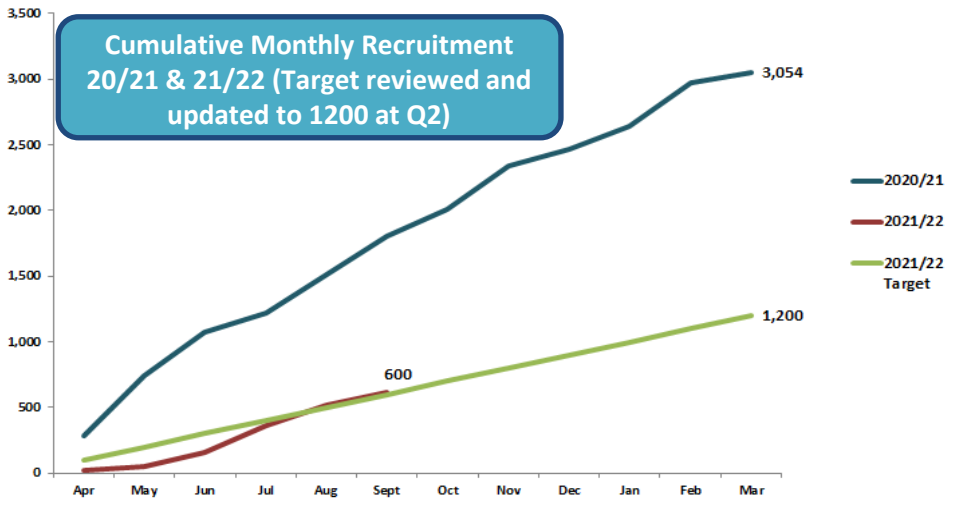
As we enter Q3 significant progress has been made restarting the SFH pre Covid portfolio. All of our studies are now open with a significant number of new studies in set up. R&I is looking forward to maximising research opportunities for our community and working towards the UK's ambitious vision for the future of clinical research delivery.

Research achievements are realised through the expertise and dedication of our clinical and support department teams working across all divisions, alongside support from the East Midlands Clinical Research Network who fund a significant part of our delivery team.



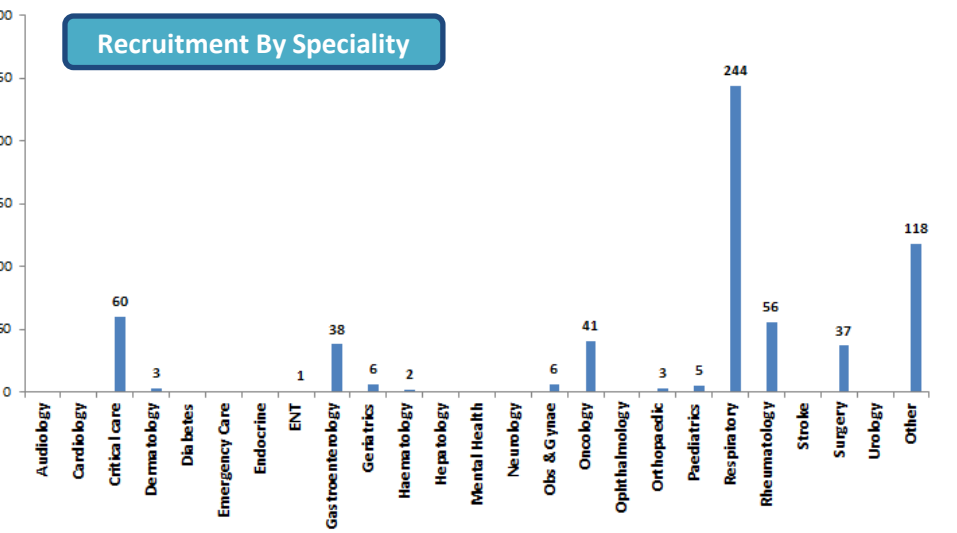
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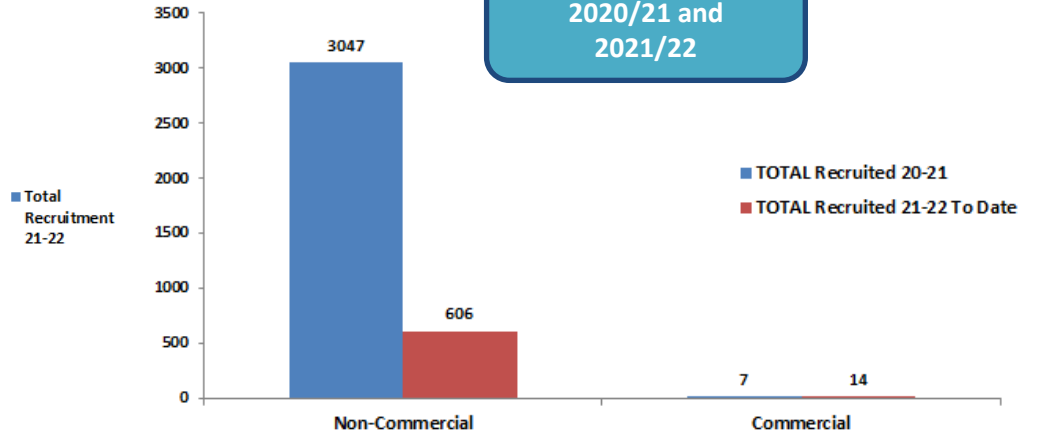


	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
2020/21	286	746	1,071	1,222	1,513	1,806	2,005	2,335	2,468	2,640	2,972	3,054
2021/22	25	55	154	364	514	620						
2021/22 Target	100	200	300	400	500	600	700	800	900	1,000	1,100	1,200

**Recruitment By Speciality**



**Total Recruitment 2020/21 and 2021/22**





2021/22  
CRN East Midlands Income

£752,652.04



Q2 2021/22  
Commercial Income

£81,470.84

For re-investment into  
future research capability  
and capacity



Department of Health  
Funding

£20,000

To maintain research  
capability and capacity

- **74 Responses from 7 studies**
- **89% of participants Agree/Strongly Agree their participation in Research has been valued**
- **96% of participants would consider taking part in Research again**
- **All Participants Agree/Strongly Agree that they have been treated with courtesy and respect**

## Participants Comments

I don't think anything could have made it better, excellent positive service with lovely people

I was kept informed all the time. The relationship between myself and healthcare provider has been excellent. I could not praise them more (excellent). It has given me a lot of security and feel good factor

Its been absolutely fantastic. My research nurse is always at the other end of the phone

2021/22

Develop a balanced R&I function that can deliver Covid-19 Research alongside a healthy Portfolio of Non UPH studies.

Work alongside and support Clinical Divisions with research engagement

Further develop partnerships with Nottingham Trent University to support development of clinical academic careers and research skills for clinical staff relevant to their role; including training, mentoring and research idea development

Work closely with the transformation team to develop a mechanism to capture and cultivate innovation with a focus on commercialisation and intellectual property

Developing an R&I plan across the system - SFH representation on the ICS R&I Executive Group as key contributors to the planning and coordination of services, ensuring equal access to research across the region.

Broadening collaboration with primary care and NUH partners to make participation in research easier for our communities

Creating a research environment at SFH which can deliver digitally enabled trials