

Reporting to: Learning from Deaths - Urgent and emergency care-Emergency department.

Reported From: May-August 2022( 4 months )

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**Shared Learning**

37 deaths in total from May to August 2022. Quarterly report.  
Sepsis and sudden cardiac events remain the highest cause of mortality in elderly patients with multiple co-morbidities.  
Out 37 deaths-11 were out of hospital cardiac arrests- out these only 4 below 65 years of age with no major co-morbidities  
7 OOH cardiac arrests were elderly patients with multiple co-morbidities.

**For Escalation/Support Required**

- 1.Learning around documentation of end of life and Respect form. ”– there may be a need for a more standardised discussion format to be introduced within the trust-more training.
- 2.Respect form in community- work for future. More comprehensive guidelines from intensive care team.

**Key Actions Completed**

- 1.SJR learning disability- June 2022- reviewed and updated.
- 2.SJR-C-spine unsupported- Medical examiner-July 2022 – Reviewed and updated.

**Key Actions Planned**

1. Clerking booklet in the resus area needs to be more specifically designed for these cohort of patients. A specific area to document level of care on arrival, for CPR decisions to be taken on arrival; treatment. Initial assessment and plan.

**Delivery Issues**


**Delivery Risks**


