

Board of Directors Meeting in Public - Cover Sheet

Subject:	The Elective Improvement Support Team (IST) summary report “review of cancer pathways, processes, reports and systems designed to manage and sustain the national cancer waiting times standards”		Date: 29/05/2020	
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Purpose				
To provide an update to the summary recommendations made by the IST in relation to sustaining national cancer waiting time standards			Approval	
			Assurance	
			Update	X
			Consider	
Strategic Objectives				
To provide outstanding care	To promote and support health and wellbeing	To maximise the potential of our workforce	To continuously learn and improve	To achieve better value
X	X	X	X	
Overall Level of Assurance				
	Significant	Sufficient	Limited	None
		X		
Risks/Issues				
Financial				
Patient Impact				
Staff Impact				
Services				
Reputational				
Committees/groups where this item has been presented before				
None – Summary received 28/05/2020				
Executive Summary				
<p>An onsite review was undertaken by the Elective Care Improvement Support Team on 5th November 2019, 4th February and 13th February 2020.</p> <p>A final visit and the full report by the IST has been delayed due to the COVID crisis.</p> <p>Summary findings from the review and recommendations for improvement to date are detailed in the paper and are based upon the observations and discussions with Trust staff as well as information supplied by the Trust.</p> <p>Trust Board are requested to note the summary recommendations which will form a key element of the Trust Cancer Pathway Improvement Plan.</p>				