

Yorkshire Ambulance Service MHS NHS Trust

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MEETING TITLE Trust Board Meeting in Public						MEETING DATE 26/05/2015		
TITLE of PAPER					PAPER REF 5.5			
TITLE OF PAPER		Board review of recommendations in the national report into matters relating to Savile.				PAPERI	KEF	5.5
STRATEGIC		Provide high quality, safe and clinically-effective					e service	s which
OBJECTIVE		exceed regulatory and legislative requirements						
PURPOSE OF THE PAPER		The purpose of the paper is to provide an update on the matters relating to Savile at Yorkshire Ambulance Service and the progress against the recommendations from the "Themes and lessons learnt from NHS investigations into matters relating to Jimmy Savile" (Lampard 2015).						
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DISCUSSED AT / INFORMED BY – include date(s) as appropriate (free text – i.e. please								
provide an audit trail of the development(s)/proposal(s) subject of this paper): The Trust Board has been previously briefed on the internal Trust enquiry which has now been published. The Quality Committee received the updated Quality Governance Development Plan in February 2015. This plan incorporates the recommendations and learning from the already nationally published Savile reports.								
PREVIOUSLY AGREED AT:			Committee/Group:			Date: 4 December 2014		
RECOMMENDATION			It is recommended that the Trust Board: a) is assured with regard to the completion of the necessary actions in relation to the recommendations from the Lampard report b) approves the attached template for submission to the NHS TDA.					
RISK ASSESSMENT							Yes	No
Corporate Risk Register and/or Board Assurance Framework amended								
Resource Implications (Financial, Workforce, other - specify)							\boxtimes	
Legal implications/Regulatory requirements								
Equality and Diversity Implications								
ASSURANCE/COMPLIANCE								
Care Quality Commission All								
Monitor Quality Governance Framework All								

1. PURPOSE/AIM

1.1 The purpose of the paper is to provide an update on the matters relating to Savile at Yorkshire Ambulance Service and the progress against the recommendations from the "Themes and lessons learnt from NHS investigations into matters relating to Jimmy Savile" (Lampard 2015).

2. BACKGROUND/CONTEXT

- 2.1 The publication of a number of further reports from NHS Trusts in February 2015, detailing the relationship James Wilson Savile had with a number of healthcare organisations, have described the manner in which the extent to which he exploited unrestricted and ungoverned access to healthcare premises, personnel and patients to carry out verbal, physical and sexual abuse of both staff and patients over many years. It is clear from these reports that governance arrangements in place during the period of Savile's activities fell short of the requirements and arrangements in today's NHS services.
- 2.2 The publications in February 2015 included that of the internal investigation into matters relating to Savile's association with the ambulance services in Yorkshire.
- 2.3 In addition, in February 2015, the "Themes and lessons learnt from NHS investigations into matters relating to Jimmy Savile" (Lampard 2015) was published. This is an independent report for the Secretary of State and included fourteen recommendations for NHS Hospital Trusts, NHS Charities and regulators. These recommendations aim to prevent such events occurring in the future.

3. CURRENT POSITION

- 3.1 The internal YAS report was published in February 2015 and remains on the Trust website.
- 3.2 The actions which have derived from all the published Savile reports, which have had a requirement for action, have been added to the Quality Governance plan and progress has been reported to each Quality Committee since 2014.
- 3.3 In March 2015, the NHS Trust Development Authority asked all NHS organsanisations to provide Trust Board assurance that recommendations in the national report had been reviewed, and that necessary action had been taken. Where action is in progress, Trusts are required to indicate the date by which it will be completed.
- 3.4 A template was provided by the NHS TDA for Trust responses. The completed YAS template is attached at Appendix I for approval.

4. RISK ASSESSMENT

4.1 No new risks have been identified.

5. SIGNIFICANT EXTERNAL COMMUNICATIONS

5.1 Following approval by the Trust Board, the assurance template will be forwarded to the NHS TDA by the due date of 29 May.

6. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 6.1 It is recommended that the Trust Board:
 - a) is assured with regard to the completion of the necessary actions in relation to the recommendations from the Lampard report;
 - b) approves the attached template for submission to the NHS TDA.

7. APPENDICES

7.1 Appendix 1 - Report on Trust progress in response to Kate Lampard's lessons Learnt Report.