

Camden CCG Quality and Safety Committee Report

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Report summary	This report presents a brief summary of the issues discussed at CQRG	
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Recommendation	The committee meeting held in January 2019 considered provider quality and safety against the CQC domains of safe, effective, responsive, well led and caring.	
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Key messages discussed at UCLH and CNWL Clinical Quality Review Group (CQRG) meetings are reported separately to CPPEG.

Strategic objectives links	<p>Objective A: Commission the delivery of NHS Constitutional rights and pledges</p> <p>Objective B: Improve the quality and safety of commissioned services by identifying gaps and concerns in service provision, and seeking assurance on quality and safety improvements related to these.</p> <p>Objective C: Improve health outcomes, address inequalities and achieve parity of esteem By seeking evidence from providers and partners relating to better outcomes for patients.</p>	
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Items of Business Discussed	<p>Report of the Camden CCG Quality and Safety Committee update since the January 2019 Governing Body report.</p> <p>Improvements and successes.</p> <p>University College London Hospital NHS Foundation Trust (UCLH)</p> <p>UCLH have reported six Never Events this financial year, these have been reported to NHS England, through the Strategic Executive Information System (StEIS) and are been investigated in line with the 2015 NHSE Serious Incident Framework. Root Cause Analysis has not indicated any trends in these Never Events and no patients were harmed.</p> <p>The Trust maintained compliance against the following cancer waiting time standards during 2017/18;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Two week wait for all suspected cancer. 2. 31 day subsequent treatment (chemotherapy) standard. 3. 31 day subsequent treatment (radiotherapy) standard. <p>Challenges remain in achieving the 62-day cancer targets throughout 2017/18. Assurances are provided to the monthly Clinical Quality Review Group (CQRG) meetings that Clinical Harm Reviews (CHRs) continue to be undertaken by the Trust on patients who have breached the Referral to Treatment (RTT), and 62-day cancer targets.</p> <p>There have been no incidents of harm associated with waiting times reported to date.</p> <p>There were three patients waiting 52 weeks or longer for treatment in November, CHRs have been completed on both, no harm identified.</p> <p>Royal Free Hospitals London NHS Foundation Trust</p> <p>The RFL reported their tenth Never Event this financial year in December, relating to wrong site surgery. The Trust present progress with their Never Events Assurance Plan at each Clinical Quality Review Group meeting. The Trust Executive Team, Barnet CCG (as lead Commissioner) and NHS Improvement are working together to deliver a sustained improvement.</p> <p>Camden and Islington NHS Foundation Trust (CIFT)</p> <p>The Trust have reported four patient deaths, including a homicide within the Highgate Unit since Christmas.</p>
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	<p>New Statutory Safeguarding Children Partnership Arrangements. In October 2018, the three statutory partners (the local authority, the clinical commissioning group and the police) set up Camden's Partnership Project Group which aims to plan and implement the new safeguarding children arrangements. Assurances were provided to the CCGs Governing Body in February that the CCG have robust processes in place to implement these arrangements.</p>
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<p>Decisions made</p>	<p>Royal Free Hospitals London NHS Foundation Trust Barnet CCG as lead commissioner have monitor the Trusts progress against the CPN and will continue to have oversight if the Trusts action plan in relation to the Never Events.</p>
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<p>CPPEG representative comments (Jo Macrae)</p>	<p>Comments to be added following the meeting.</p>
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