

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Report Title:	Quality Priorities 2019/20 Mid-Year Report
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Executive summary		
<p>ESNEFT as part of its 2018/19 Quality Report set quality priorities for 2019/20. These being:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To improve clinical outcomes for patients with mental health conditions, improve mental health well-being for staff and transform Mental Health provision across ESNEFT. • To improve compliance with the Sepsis 6 care bundle • To continue to improve our care to those at the end of their life and support patients who have limited treatment options. • To reduce the numbers of inpatient falls • Getting it right first time (GIRFT) programme improvements <p>The attached report provides an update on progress year to date.</p>		
Action Required of the Board of Directors		
The Board is asked to note the report.		
Link to Strategic Objectives (SO)		Please tick
SO1	Keep people in control of their health	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SO2	Lead the integration of care	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SO3	Develop our centres of excellence	<input type="checkbox"/>
SO4	Support and develop our staff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SO5	Drive technology enabled care	<input type="checkbox"/>
Risk Implications for the Trust <i>(including any clinical and financial consequences)</i>		If we do not have effective clinical governance and risk management arrangements, we are at risk of causing harm to a patient.

Trust Risk Appetite	Quality: The board will take minimal risks when it comes to patient safety, patient experience or clinical outcomes. Its tolerance for risk taking will be limited to decisions where the impact is low and the potential mitigations are strong
Legal and regulatory implications (<i>including links to CQC outcomes, Monitor, inspections, audits, etc.</i>)	National requirement to provide safer care and provide patients with the best possible experience.
Financial Implications	There are no financial implications