

Key Points from the Quality & Safety Committee Workshop

Thursday, 21st June 2012, 14.00

Present:	Dr Peter Vernon (Chair)	Non Executive Director
	Dr Ashley Fraser (part)	Medical Director
	Vicky Morris (Part)	Director of Quality and Safety/Chief Nurse
	Martin Beardwell	Non Executive Director
In attendance:	Sarah Bloomfield	Deputy Chief Nurse
Apologies:	John Davies	Trust Chairman
	Mr Chris Beacock	Deputy Medical Director
	Dr Simon Walford	Non Executive Director

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- Ophthalmology
The committee met with a number of members of the team to discuss the process and cultural changes required to be implemented following recent Never Events.

The committee agreed to visit the RSH and Euston Road sites once the service was reopened.
- Breast Screening QA Team Visit – Final report
Amanda Royale presented the key findings of the report. The committee was pleased to note that the service was switching to all digital equipment following the approval of the recent business case.

Amanda explained that Shropshire was one of only two trusts in the West Midlands that was delaying expanding the service to a wider age group due to lack of capacity. The change to the service will involve a 33% increase in activity. The committee asked her to report to the committee when service expansion plans were finalised later in 2012.
- The committee agreed to add medication errors to pressure sores, falls and VTE assessment as a key indicator of quality of care
- Learning Difficulties action plan
The committee noted a key issue significantly delaying the implementation of the plan was the need to modify SEMA which currently is planned for March 2013
- Chair met with Patient Experience & Involvement Panel

Routine Matters

Next Quality and Safety Committee Workshop:

23rd August, 14.00, Room G, Education Centre, PRH.

Preceded by Ward Assurance Visit 13.00 – 14.00

Next Quality and Safety Committee Meeting:

20th September 10.00, Meeting Room 1, Treatment Centre

Preceded by Ward visit 9.00 – 10.00