

<b>Report Title</b>	Education review: Medical Education		
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<b>Meeting</b>	Trust Board (Public)	<b>Date</b>	5 <sup>th</sup> March 2020

### 1. Suggested discussion points *[two or three issues you consider the Trust Board should focus on]*

Progress in Medical Education at SWBHT over the last 12 months will be reviewed in a presentation to the Trust Board. The focus will be on successes and challenges over the last year in Undergraduate and Postgraduate training. Doctor wellbeing is an important component of the support provided at SWBHT.

The development of simulation facilities and training programmes will be illustrated as will the plans for an increase in multi-disciplinary training. The effect of recent appointments on delivery plans will also be shown.

Our forward planning for how we will increase teaching capacity for our additional student numbers from Aston Medical school will be discussed and how all this will map onto facilities and capacity at Midland Metropolitan University Hospital.

### 2. Alignment to 2020 Vision *[indicate with an 'X' which Plan this paper supports]*

Safety Plan	<b>x</b>	Public Health Plan		People Plan & Education Plan	<b>x</b>
Quality Plan		Research and Development		Estates Plan	
Financial Plan		Digital Plan		Other <i>[specify in the paper]</i>	

### 3. Previous consideration *[where has this paper been previously discussed?]*

None

### 4. Recommendation(s)

The Trust Board is asked to:

- a. **REVIEW** the progress in Medical Education
- b. **DISCUSS** plans for multi-disciplinary simulation training
- c. **NOTE** the planning for students from Aston Medical School

### 5. Impact *[indicate with an 'X' which governance initiatives this matter relates to and where shown elaborate]*

Trust Risk Register					
Board Assurance Framework					
Equality Impact Assessment	Is this required?	Y	N	<b>x</b>	If 'Y' date completed
Quality Impact Assessment	Is this required?	Y	N	<b>x</b>	If 'Y' date completed

# SANDWELL AND WEST BIRMINGHAM HOSPITALS NHS TRUST

## Report to the Public Trust Board: 5<sup>th</sup> March 2020

### Education review: Medical Education

#### 1. Introduction or background

- 1.1 Medical education is an important part of maintaining quality and safety of clinical care at the Trust. The Trust has an excellent reputation for the teaching and training provided and has aspirations to build on this with the developing association with Aston Medical School and the opportunities offered by new facilities in Midland Metropolitan University Hospital.
- 1.2 The education team will be presenting an over view of progress in medical education in the Trust in the last 12 months, with information on planning for these future changes.

#### 2. Undergraduate

- 2.1 Successes will be reflected on, including the UG QA visit in October 2019. How student feedback has informed changes in approaches to delivery of teaching and how enthusiasm of junior doctors to engage in teaching is encouraged. The education centre space at Sandwell is well used and activities at City will mirror those eventually provided through the education centre at MMUH.
- 2.2 How the delivery of teaching for UoB students has changed this semester as a dry run for how we accommodate increased student numbers from AMS from September will be reported. This includes plans for common room space and student support.
- 2.3 Simulation teaching is an important part of UG teaching and the spectrum of approaches taken can be discussed.

#### 3. Post graduate

- 3.1 A recent focus has been on junior doctor wellbeing and the approaches taken to this with a wellbeing champion, a consultant to support those trainees returning from maternity or prolonged illness as well as the Guardian of safe working. Requests to accommodate additional training posts have been accepted, changes in internal medicine training implemented and HEWM visits and reports received for several specialties.
- 3.2 Changes that are being looked at relate to educational supervision and time for trainees to incorporate 'self-development' time in the working week, both things that are being looked at currently.

3.3 A new SAS tutor is in post who is holding regular meetings which have a focus on requirements of JSD as well as those of longer term SAS doctors. Workforce planning is taking place for future staffing, including those from Wolverhampton Fellowship scheme.

#### **4. Simulation training**

4.1 Progress in simulation training delivery will be highlighted, reviewing facilities and staffing changes as well as the development of local, regional and inter-professional training programmes at under and post graduate level. The change in student and trainee number and curriculum is reflected in plans for simulation now and in MMUH from 2022.

#### **5. Recommendations**

5.1 The Trust Board is asked to:

1. Review the progress in Medical Education
2. Discuss plans for multi-disciplinary Simulation training
3. Note the planning for students from Aston

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28<sup>th</sup> February 2020