

**CARE QUALITY COMMISSION INSPECTION REPORTS – CAMBRIDGE
UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS NHS FOUNDATION TRUST (CUHFT)**

To: HEALTH COMMITTEE

Meeting Date: 5th November 2015

From: The Monitoring Officer

Electoral division(s): All

Forward Plan ref: Not applicable

Purpose: To provide the Committee with background information and presentations relating to the recent Care Quality Commission report on its inspection of Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

Recommendation: That the Committee considers the information provided by the CCG, the CQC and CUHFT in advance and at the meeting

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1. BACKGROUND

- 1.1 On 22 September 2015, the Care Quality Commission published the report on its inspection of Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust. Inspection visits had taken place in April and May 2015.
- 1.2 Three of the five CQC inspection areas were rated as inadequate (Safe; Responsive; Well-led), resulting in an overall rating of the trust as inadequate. Of the other two CQC inspection areas, Effective was rated as requires improvement, and Caring was rated as Outstanding.
- 1.3 On the basis of these findings, the Chief Inspector of Hospitals recommended that the trust be placed into special measures.
- 1.4 Before it was published, the Committee had already identified the report as a subject for scrutiny in its forward agenda plan. Representatives of the CCG, the CQC, CUHFT and Monitor have been invited to attend Committee on 5 November 2015.

2. MAIN ISSUES

- 2.1 Background information to inform the Committee's scrutiny of the CQC report has been supplied by
 - Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Clinical Commissioning Group:
Introductory paper (Appendix 1a) and presentation (Appendix 1b)
 - Care Quality Commission:
Booklet 'What standards you have a right to expect from the regulation of your hospital' (Appendix 2)
 - Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust:
Presentation (Appendix 3).

Source Documents	Location
Care Quality Commission Inspection Report of Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (published 22 September 2015)	http://www.cqc.org.uk/provider/RGT