

## **Report of the City Solicitor to the meeting of the Health and Social Care Overview & Scrutiny Committee to be held on 22 November 2018**

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**Subject: Care Quality Commission Inspection Report: Bradford Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust**

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2. **Background**

Between 9 and 11 January 2018, the CQC inspected the urgent and emergency, medical, surgical and maternity services provided by this trust, as part of its continual checks on the safety and quality of healthcare services.

They also inspected urgent and emergency and medical services at Bradford Royal Infirmary because they were previously rated as requires improvement.

CQC also inspected maternity services at Bradford Royal Infirmary because there were concerns that had been raised. There was intelligence to suggest concern in a number of areas.

Surgery was inspected because they required improvement in safety at the last inspection and intelligence suggested areas for review.

CQC also inspected well-led at trust level in a separate inspection between 6 and 8 February 2018.

Comprehensive inspections of NHS trusts have shown a strong link between the overall management of a trust and the quality of its services. For that reason, all trust inspections now include an inspection of the well-led key question at the trust level. The findings are in the section headed: Is this organisation well-led?

The CQC report was published on 15 June 2018 and an action plan was provided by the Trust on 12 July 2018. Progress against the action plan is reviewed by the Trust's Board of Directors. The Director of Governance and Corporate Affairs will attend the meeting to answer questions.

3. **Recommendations**

That Members receive the information provided in Appendix 1 and Appendix 2 and consider any comments and recommendations they wish to make.

4. **Not for publication documents**

None

5. **Appendices**

- 5.1 Appendix 1: CQC Inspection Report: Bradford Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (Appendix 1)
- 5.2 Appendix 2: report of the Director of Governance and Corporate Affairs, Bradford Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust CQC Compliance Actions Update.