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# Report to the Meeting of the Council of Governors

**14th September 2016**

**Rebalancing the System – Update and review of an Oxfordshire-wide initiative to address patient delays in hospitals beds**

**For: Information**

In autumn 2015, strategic work across the health and social care system (including the two Oxfordshire NHS Trusts, Oxfordshire Clinical Commissioning Group and Oxfordshire County Council) led to the implementation of an innovative approach to address delays and improve patient flow and experience. The aim of the initiative was to create a sustainable approach that would ‘rebalance the system’. This paper summarises the work that was undertaken.

**Recommendation:** The Council of Governors is asked to note the report.

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