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**Report to the Meeting of the
Oxford Health NHS Foundation Trust
Board of Directors**

28 September 2011

Chief Executive's Report

For Information

1. Infection Control Update

Community health services

There have been no gastroenteritis outbreaks

Clostridium difficile

There were no cases of *Clostridium difficile* in the Trust in the month of August.

Mental health services

There have been no gastroenteritis outbreaks.

There has been a MRSA bacteraemia case. The patient was transferred from Cromwell Ward to Stoke Mandeville Hospital on the 18.9.11 and blood cultures taken on admission were positive to MRSA. A full RCA is being undertaken.

Prisons

There has been an outbreak of suspected food poisoning at HMP Huntercombe from 13.9.11-15.9.2011. The management of this outbreak has been by the Health Protection Unit, supported by the Environmental Health services and the Trust's infection control team. All laboratory results have been negative and the root cause of the outbreak inconclusive.

2. Ridgeway Partnership

The Trust has been informed that it was not successful during the Pre-Qualification Questionnaire stage of the NHS South Central and Oxfordshire Learning Disability NHS Trust Divestment Project.

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3. CAMHS IAPT

The Trust has been shortlisted for the national CAMHS IAPT pilot scheme in conjunction with Reading University. If successful, the pilot would extend across all the Trust's CAMHS areas and all commissioners have supported the bid. The final decision on which organisations will be chosen as pilots is expected in the coming weeks.

4. Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire PCT Cluster CEO

Sonia Mills announced that she had decided to leave her role as the CEO of the PCT Cluster in November 2011. An appointments process is underway to find a replacement.

5. SHA Clusters

The Department of Health announced that Sir Ian Carruthers had been appointed as CEO for the NHS South of England SHA cluster. Sir Ian will take up the role from 3 October 2011. Andrea Young has expressed her intention to play a significant role in the South of England cluster, whilst supporting the establishment and operation of the NHS Commissioning Board post 2013.

6. Oxfordshire Clinical Commissioning Group

A meeting of the Oxfordshire Clinical Commissioning Group with Oxford Health NHS FT is scheduled to be held on 20 September 2011. In attendance will be representatives from the Trust, Oxfordshire County Council, Oxfordshire Learning Disability NHS Trust and the Oxfordshire GP Consortium. An oral update of the meeting's business will be provided at the Board meeting.

7. National Confidential Inquiry Response Rate

The National Confidential Inquiry into Suicide and Homicide by People with Mental Illness has written to the Trust to provide an update on response rates for both suicide and homicide questionnaires in comparison to the national average. (over the period 01/01/2005 – 01/01/2011). The Trust's rates were as follows:-

- Suicide and Homicide Rate – 98.53% (compared to national rate of 98.07%, with the range being 93.88-100%)
- Sudden Unexplained Death Study Rate – 100% (compared to national rate of 95.64%, with range being 76.27-100%)

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Recommendation

The Board is asked to note the report.

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