Workforce Race Equality Standard (WRES) Action Plan 2019/20

	WRES Metric/Indicator	Action(s)	Timescale/milestones for delivery	Lead Responsibility
1.	Percentage of staff in each of the AfC Bands 1-9 and VSM (including executive Board members) compared with the percentage of staff in the overall workforce.	 Promote use of ESR self-service communication to remind staff they can update their data by launching the #Time to Declare campaign. 		HRBP Workforce Analytics Manager BAME Staff Network
2.	Relative likelihood of staff being appointed from shortlisting across all posts.	 Review Recruitment & Selection Training. Develop and implement inclusion, bias and reasonable adjustments training. Provide recruitment & selection training for BAME Staff Network members to improve the makeup of the recruitment and selection panels and ensure more diverse representation. Create a guidance document on how to complete application forms and interview techniques. Roll out the Career Advisory Sessions across the Trust and deliver to the BAME Network 	November 2020 onwards September 2020	Recruitment Manager OD/HRBP Team Recruitment Manager and BAME Staff Network Training, Education and Development Training, Education and Development

3.	Relative likelihood of staff entering the formal disciplinary process, as measured by entry into a formal disciplinary investigation. This indicator will be based on data from a two year rolling average of the current year and the previous year.	 Promote the use of the informal stage of the disciplinary process for all staff, for minor issues. Review any potential themes identified in disciplinary/grievance cases on a quarterly basis with the 9 protected characteristics. 	HR Operations Teams People, Diversity & Inclusion Sub- Cabinet
4	Relative likelihood of staff accessing non- mandatory training and CPD.	Analyse how many BME staff December 2020 onwards access mandatory and non-mandatory training.	HRBP/ Training, Education & Development
		 To keep under review and to work with the medical workforce and Training and Development team to encourage all non-mandatory training and CPD to be recorded on the Trust's system. 	Medical Workforce Manager and Training & Development
		Utilise social media and the BAME staff network to promote courses to BAME staff.	Communications Team
5	Percentage of staff experiencing harassment, bullying or abuse from patients, relatives or the public in last 12 months.	To promote zero tolerance across the Trust via the Violence Reduction Policy. October 2020	Executive Chief Nurse
6	Percentage of staff experiencing harassment, bullying or abuse from staff in last 12 months.	Create a culture where we September 2020 onwards encourage staff to speak up.	Freedom to Speak up Guardian
		 To promote the Definitions of Discrimination & Bullying Guidance document and the Dignity at Work policy. September 2020 onwards 	HR Op's Team

		Continue to promote Civility September 2020 onwards Saves Life Training	Training, Education & Development
7	Percentage believing that trust provides equal opportunities for career progression or promotion.	 To continue to ensure Equality and Diversity is promoted throughout our recruitment and selection training. Utilise social media and the BAME staff network to promote courses to BAME staff. Continue with Reverse Mentoring Programme. Review and embed EDI into appraisal training, linking to Inclusion, Discrimination, Bias and Reasonable adjustments training. Continue to ensure Equality September 2020 onwards December 2020 onwards 	Recruitment Manager Communications Team Training, Education & Development OD Team
8	In the last 12 months have you personally experienced discrimination at work from any of the following Manager/team leader or other colleagues	 Promote and encourage staff to speak with the Freedom to Speak up Guardians. Hold focus groups based on the 2020 Staff Survey results with all the staff networks to discuss discrimination within the workplace and what learning/action the Trust can take forward. Develop 'Developing and managing inclusive teams' guidance and training. 	Freedom to Speak Up Guardians OD Team OD Team

9	Percentage difference between the organisations' Board voting membership and its overall workforce.	 Continue to encourage staff to declare their disability on ESR. 	September 2020 onwards	HRBP Team Workforce Information Team
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