

Statement in response to Financial Special Measures

Like other NHS trusts, we operate in a challenging environment and understand the financial issues we face. We are fully committed to working with NHS Improvement to help us speed up our financial recovery to ensure the Trust is in Financial Special Measures for as short a period as possible.

We have recently reviewed our annual business plan and have identified a number of internal actions to help deliver our financial position. We will continue to work with our health and social care partners to deliver care for the residents of Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire.

Our priority is to continue to provide the same high quality care that our patients are used to whilst driving forward these actions. I would like to reassure patients that they will see no change in the care or treatment they receive and that appointments and planned operations will continue as normal and access to emergency care remains unchanged.

We are in the process of informing our staff and will keep them updated as we understand further what this improvement action means for our organisation.

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Chief Executive
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