# Paediatrics Meeting
## 27th March 2017 – 5.10pm – 6.20pm

**Attendees**

Tony Chambers (TC)          Ian Harvey (IH)          Sue Hodkinson (SH)

Ravi Jayaram (RJ)           Steve Brearey (SB)       Julie Maddocks (JM)

Nim Subhedar (NS)

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| TC | Welcomed everyone to the meeting.  Provide some context of the current position.  We've had:<br>1. Royal College Review – actions and recommendations<br>2. Members of Staff – grievance<br>3. Clinical, how we get to the point the Board and Organisation has done everything to answer questions. If it's not at that point, what do we need to do to get to this point? |
| IH | RJ/SB/NS/John Gibbs – we had a useful meeting were we reviewed the 13 deaths.<br>There were five everyone was comfortable with.<br>There were eight were there were still concerns either cause of collapse, failure to respond to resus.  Further in-depth review, which focused on collapses.<br>IH completed reviews of the eight and review of rotas together with all case notes and what recorded in the notes.<br>The next stage was to go through these<br>It was important that we were conscious of deaths in the first instance. This would drive anything regarding babies collapsed.<br>There are a number of questions we need help with:<br>- Collapsed unexpectedly, fail to respond<br>- If looking at potential causes, continuing consequences of collapses and how this is unpicked.<br>- |
| SB | This was discussed on a weekly basis.<br>Focused on 8/13 and transferred babies<br>It is disappointing the depth that this has been gone into.<br>A further 6 babies, arrested unexpectedly, which we identified in July. We don't feel these have been investigated in depth.<br>Nine months on and the hospital should not investigate this any further<br>This needs to escalate to the police. We have not had any explanation and we escalated this in July. |
| TC | Why are you escalating this now? |
| SB | We are still very worried. There is no natural cause of death. |
| RJ | There have been deaths…. |
| SB | But these were explainable. Not included in mortality review. |
| TC | You don't believe the different admission criteria had an impact? |

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