

Thematic Review of Neonatal Mortality 2015 – Jan 2016

8th Feb 2016

Attendees:

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| S Brearey | Neonatal lead |
| Doctor V | Consultant |
| N Subhedar | LWH consultant |
| E Powell | NNU manager |
| A Murphy | Lead nurse Children's services |
| L Eagles | NNU nurse |
| D Peacock | Quality improvement facilitator |

Apologies:

C Green Pharmacy

Purpose of Meeting:

There was a higher than expected mortality rate on NNU in 2015. All these cases have been reviewed at NNIRG, perinatal mortality review or neonatal review meetings and action plans have been made (See **Appendix 1**). An obstetric thematic review did not identify any common themes or identifiers that might be responsible for the rise in mortality in 2015. The aim of the neonatal meeting was to review the cases again as a multidisciplinary team with an external reviewer and tertiary level neonatologist to assess:

- Were all action points completed
- Any new areas of care improvement
- Any possible common themes

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