Summary Finance report April 2024

NOTE: a high level report is produced for month 1 due to initial limitations of new financial year data and also the ongoing final accounts audit

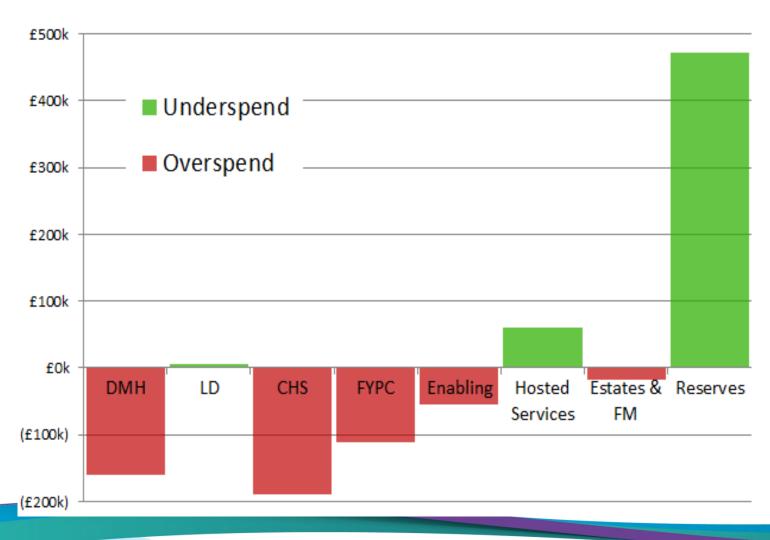


EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Statutory targets	Year to date	Year end f'cast	Comments		
Income and Expenditure break-even.	Α	G	The Trust is reporting a YTD deficit of £469k at the end of April (in line with plan)		
2. Remain within Capital Resource Limit (CRL).	G	G	The YTD capital spend for April is £211k, which is within funding limits.		
3. Capital Cost Absorption Duty (Return on Capital).	G	G	The capital cost absorption duty of 3.5% net assets has been achieved		
4. Remain within External Financing Limit (EFL).	n/a	G	The year-end cash forecast is £25.9m which delivers the EFL		
Secondary targets	Year to date	Year end f'cast	Comments		
5. Deliver I&E performance in line with plan.	G	G	The reports a YTD I&E deficit for April of £469k is in line with plan		
6. Achieve Efficiency Savings targets.	n/a	А	Efficiency performance for April has not been assessed. The £20m forecast for the year is a significant risk		
7. Manage agency staff spend in line with plan	G	G	April agency spend of £2.3m is below the planned spend of £2.6m		
8. Comply with Better Payment Practice Code (BPPC).	Α	G	Cumulatively the Trust achieved 3 of the 4 95% BPPC targets Apri		
Internal targets	Year to date	Year end f'cast	Comments		
9. Achieve retained cash balances in line with plan	G	G	The cash balance is £29.2m at the end of April. April planned cash was £26.9m.		
10. Deliver capital investment in line with plan	G	G	YTD operational capital expenditure is £379k - this is ahead of planned spend of £211k		



MONTH 1 DIRECTORATE I&E POSITIONS



- Operational budgets show a net YTD overspend of £472k
- Central reserves are underspent by £472k which includes the temporary release of unallocated budgets
- The combined position is zero variance against the £469k YTD deficit plan / budget.



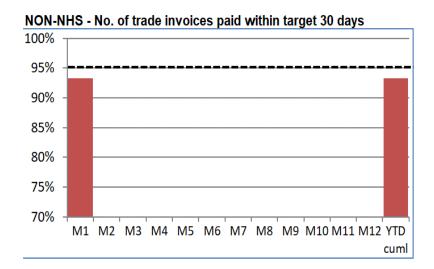
EFFICIENCY SAVINGS PROGRAMME (CIPs)

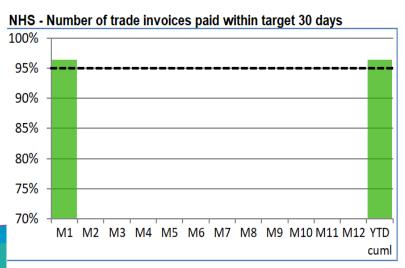
Directorate	Identified efficiencies	Additional agency savings	Additional control total target	Total efficiency savings plan	
	£000	£000	£000	£000	
DMH	3,202	1,128	1,684	6,013	
CHS	3,902	97	1,443	5,442	
FYPC&LD	2,500	508	1,559	4,567	
Enab	897	0	1,202	2,098	
Estates	462	778	1,055	2,295	
TOTAL:	10,962	2,511	6,943	20,416	

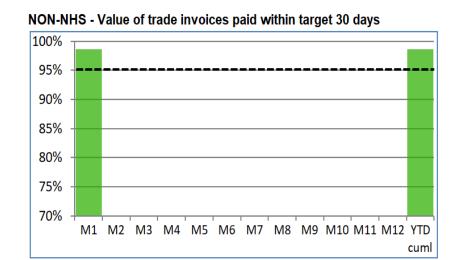
- All of the Trust £20m CIP target has been allocated to directorates as at 1st April.
- Profiling of efficiency schemes across the year is still being refined.
- Stretch targets and unidentified schemes are a key risk.
- Acknowledging that monthly profiling of targets is still work-in-progress, the M1 CIP pressure in the wider position is estimated to be c. £250k

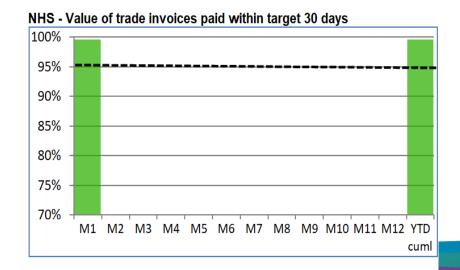


BETTER PAYMENT PRACTICE CODE (BPPC)









- The non-NHS 'number' of invoice paid is currently below target.
- Late payment of Estates and Pharmacy invoices is the chief cause and this is being investigated.



M1 AGENCY COST SUMMARY

	202	3/24	2024/25			
	Outturn Actual £000s	Avg mth Actual £000s	M1 Actual £000s	M1 Plan £000s	M1 Variance £000s	
Consultant Costs	(5,931)	(494)	(568)	(432)	(136)	
Nursing - Qualified	(16,659)	(1,388)	(1,265)	(1,566)	301	
Nursing - Unqualified	(6,255)	(521)	(283)	(388)	105	
Other clinical staff costs	(690)	(57)	(75)	(60)	(15)	
Non clinical staff costs	(1,562)	(130)	(101)	(142)	41	
Total	(31,097)	(2,590)	(2,293)	(2,588)	295	

- M1 total agency costs are £2.3m
- This is £0.3m lower than plan and also the average cost across 2023/24
- Planned agency costs for the year are £24.9m

