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**Sent:** 16 January 2017 10:32  
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**Subject:** RE: Urology MDT Peer Review

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As you can see the overall self- assessment score achieved 55% and this score of 55% was maintained by the external team.

The National Peer Review Team have indicated that the Urology MDT will have to undertake a self- assessment again in September 2017 and Mary Haughey will continue to work with the Urology MDT to prepare for this process.

I am conscious that at a Business meeting prior to Christmas leave that concerns were expressed by members re inadequate quoracy of the MDT particularly for Radiology and Oncology. I have escalated the concerns to Prof O'Sullivan Clinical Director – Cancer Centre and we are due to meet Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> January to agree improved representation for Oncology input. Dr Gracey is aware of the concerns re Radiology.

We will continue to attend Urology Business meetings as requested.

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Yes I understand that there have been and are ongoing challenges with quoracy at the Urology MDM. This has been escalated at HSCB level particularly from an Oncology perspective as the Lung and GU service is currently facing staffing issues. The North West Cancer Centre opened recently and recruitment of Oncologists there has depleted the service within Belfast Cancer Centre and there currently is not the same number of Oncology registrars available to provide cover within clinics.

Rory and I attended a meeting last week with colleagues from Belfast Trust and commissioners to explore options to address the current difficulties. I have highlighted that there is a risk that the Urology MDM here in SHSCT is at a point where full quoracy is making it extremely difficult to function. We are due to meet again next Friday and hope to have potential solutions agreed by then.

I am happy to meet with you in the meantime to discuss further.

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**Cc:** Haughey, Mary  
**Subject:** FW: Improving the Effectiveness of MDTs SAVE THE DATE 22nd Sept 9-1pm  
**Attachments:** executive\_summary\_meeting\_patients\_needs\_improving\_the\_effectiveness\_of\_multidisciplinary\_team\_meetings.pdf;  
 full\_report\_meeting\_patients\_needs\_improving\_the\_effectiveness\_of\_multidisciplinary\_team\_meetings\_.pdf

**Categories:** Incomplete action needed

Dear all

At a recent Cancer AD meeting with HSCB colleagues, Cancer MDTs and their effectiveness was discussed. As you are aware it is difficult to sustain quoracy from all members. I have attached a report from CRUK - Improving the Effectiveness of MDTs. NICaN are holding a workshop on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 9am-1pm at the Dunadry Hotel to look at how we can take this forward as a region and have suggested the following attendees. I would be grateful if you could hold this date in your diary and confirm your availability to attend.

- ? MDT leads
- ? Tracker representative from each Trust
- ? Medical Director from each Trust
- ? Clinical Director for Cancer
- ? Clinical director of Radiology
- ? Radiology head of service

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