

Royal Free London NHS Foundation Trust Quality Account 20/21 Update – November 2021

Ref	Barnet HOSC Comment/Query	Response
1	Variations in electronic patient record (EPR) within the RFL Group	RFL now have a shared EPR deployed since October 2021. This has allowed the Trust to start addressing the issue of fragmented clinical and administrative workflows and has enabled digitised records to be shared across RFL and the NCL ICS.
2	Data should be presented more clearly for the layperson - not felt to be the case in the 2020/21 Quality Account which appeared to be aimed more at professionals	We apologise that the representation of data was not adequately explained in the 2020/21 report. We will be mindful to improve our commentary and clarity in the 2021/22 report to ensure the language of the report is more accessible.
3	Failed to achieve its target of zero 'never events' by March 2021	We will continue as part of our Safety Strategy 2020 - 2025, to work towards zero never events by decreasing our avoidable harm score to 49 and becoming a zero-harm organisation by 2025. Currently for the first 2 quarters of 2021/22, the Trust has reported 1 never event which is down on the previous year to date position, reflecting a steady improvement in line with our safety strategy.
4	More details on the new plans for dementia care	Currently working on the delivery of a Dementia CPG which consists of 5 focussed workstreams: Delirium, Distressed behaviour, Assessment-based care, Discharge and Carers. Please see dementia strategy and activity summary that was shared by the RFL lead for dementia in Sept 2021 with HOSC.