

TRUST BOARD MEETING - 29th March 2012

Title of the Paper:	Re-Shaping Strategies (Service Redesign)	
Agenda item:	50/12	
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Trust Objective:	 Sustain and improve performance Improve outcomes and quality of care Improve the patient experience Be financially sound 	

Purpose

This paper is intended to update the Trust Board with the current actions in relation to the Re-Shaping Strategies linked to the Strategic Estates Reconfiguration Programme; and to approve the recommendations listed below.

Risk Implications for the Trust (including any clinical and financial consequences):	Mitigating Actions (Controls):
Failure to progress a robust strategy will put the trust service and financial strategy at risk Lack of awareness of Commissioner strategies	Board focus Strategy Group as a formal sub committee of the Board Joint work with the PCT and engagement with Clinical Commissioning Groups

Level of Assurance that can be given to the Trust Board from the report

High level of assurance from actions

Links to Board Assurance Framework, CQC Outcomes, Statutory Requirements (ie BAF risk reference, CQC outcomes linked to report)

Board Assurance Framework. Risk ID: **

Legal Implications:

Recommendation to the Trust Board:

The Trust Board members are asked to:

- Endorse the use of the Board Strategy Group to continue shaping the strategic direction, notably in relation to the Watford Health Campus.
- Agree that the Strategy Group considers the business case for the Local General Hospital at its May meeting.