Public TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee

Thu 23 November 2023, 13:30 - 14:30

Meeting Room, Velindre Headquarters

Agenda

13:30 - 13:45 1. STANDARD BUSINESS

15 min

1.1. Welcome & Introductions

Led by Stephen Harries, Chair and Independent Member

1.2. Apologies for Absence

Led by Stephen Harries, Chair and Independent Member

1.3. Declarations of Interest

Led by Stephen Harries, Chair and Independent Member

1.4. Minutes of the Sub-Committee Meeting held on 26th October 2023

Led by Stephen Harries, Chair and Independent Member

To Approve

1.4 Public TCS Scrutiny Minutes 26.10.2023 LF - SH.pdf (7 pages)

1.5. Action Log

Stephen Harries

Led by Stephen Harries, Chair and Independent Member

To Approve

1.5 Action Log.pdf (3 pages)

13:45 - 14:05 2. PROGRAMME GOVERNANCE

20 min

2.1. Communications & Engagement

Led by Non Gwilym, Assitant Director of Communications

To Note

2.1 Comms and engagement paper.pdf (12 pages)

2.2. TCS Programme Finance Report

Led by Mark Ash, Assistant Project Director

To Note

- 2.2 TCS Programme Board Finance Report (October 2023) Cover Paper.pdf (7 pages)
- 2.2 TCS Programme Board Finance Report (October 2023) Main Report.pdf (16 pages)

14:05 - 14:25 3. PROGRAMME DELIVERY

20 min

3.1. Programme Director's Report

Led by Carl James, Executive Director of Strategic Transformation, Planning and Digital

To Note

- 3.1 Programme Directors Report PSSC PUB Nov v3.pdf (28 pages)
- 3.1 Appendix A_DCA Assessment.pdf (1 pages)
- 3.1 Appendix B_Risk Issues Checklist_Nov23.pdf (2 pages)
- 3.1 Appendix C SRU issues log Nov 23.pdf (1 pages)

14:25 - 14:30 4. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

5 min

Led by Stephen Harries, Chair and Independent Member

Prior Agreement by the Chair Required

14:30 - 14:30 5. REVIEW OF THE MEETING

Led by Stephen Harries, Chair and Independent Member

14:30 - 14:30 6. DATE & TIME OF NEXT MEETING

0 min

Thursday 21st December at 13.30 - 15.00

Meeting Room, Velindre Headquarters

14:30 - 14:30 7. CLOSE

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The Board is asked to adopt the following resolution:

That representatives of the press and other members of the public be excluded from the remainder of this meeting having regard to the confidential nature of the business to be transacted, publicity on which would be prejudicial to the public interest in accordance with Section 1(2) Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 (c.67).



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TCS Programme Scrutiny Committee Public Session

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD 26th October 2023 at 10.00 – 11.30 Meeting Room, Trust Headquarters, Nantgarw (via Teams)

Members Present:

Stephen Harries (SH) Professor Donna Mead (DM) Hilary Jones (HJ) Gareth Jones (GJ) Independent Member (Chair) Trust Chair Independent Member Independent Member

In attendance:

Carl James (CJ) Matthew Bunce (MB) Lauren Fear (LF) Dr Jacinta Abraham (JA) Sarah Morley (SM) Mark Ash (MA) Non Gwilym (NG) Stephen Allen (SA) Andrea Hague (AH) Rachel Hennessy Tina Jenkins (TJ) Cory Davies (CD) Jessica Corrigan (JC)

Apologies:

Steve Ham (SHam) Gavin Bryce (GB) Cath O'Brien (COB) Nicola Williams (NW) David Powell (DP) Carys Jones (CJones) Executive Director of Strategic Transformation, Planning & Digital Executive Director of Finance Director of Corporate Governance and Chief of Staff Executive Medical Director Executive Director of OD & Workforce Assistant Project Director, TCS Communications and Engagement Director Regional Director, Llais Cymru Director of Service Transformation Interim Director, Velindre Cancer Centre Deputy Director of Nursing and Patient Experience TCS Project and Programme Co-ordinator Secretariat / Business Support Officer

Trust Chief Executive Associate Director of Programmes Chief Operating Officer Executive Director of Nursing, AHP's & Medical Scientists nVCC Project Director Senior Programme Delivery & Assurance Manager

1.0	STANDARD BUSINESS	ACTION
1.1	Welcome & Introductions	
	Led by Stephen Harries, Chair and Independent Member	
	SH welcomed attendees to the meeting.	



1.2	Apologies for Absence	
	Led by Stephen Harries, Chair and Independent Member	
	Apologies were noted as above.	
1.3	Declarations of Interest	
	Led by Stephen Harries, Chair and Independent Member	
	No declarations of interest were received.	
1.4	Minutes of the Sub-Committee Meeting held on 12 th October 2023. Led by Stephen Harries, Chair and Independent Member	
	It was queried if the following phrase was added post script:	
	"At the time of writing this report it was uncertain whether to take the electricity line through Cardiff and Vale University Health Board land. It has since been confirmed, the route will be through Cardiff and Vale."	
	After listening to the recording, the confirmed route was mentioned during the meeting. The minutes have been amended to: "It was confirmed during the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee, the route will be through Cardiff and Vale University Health Board".	
	Within section 1.5 Action Log it should read: "The tranche report will be coming back to the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee on 26 th October 2023."	
	Following the above amendments, the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub- Committee approved the minutes of the meeting held on 12 th October 2023.	
1.5	Action Log	
	Led by Stephen Harries, Chair and Independent Member	
	Actions 120, 143 and 147 will remain open until the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee are satisfied they are covered within the Tranche report.	
	Action 147: It was confirmed there was an error within the paper, MB confirmed the £41,000 relates to £30,000 project delivery costs and £11,000 relates to the judicial review costs.	
	Action 121: It was highlighted this action is relating to addressing the common themes that are currently scattered throughout the risk register.	



	The wording within the action has been updated to reflect it's relating to the common themes scattered throughout the risk register. It was confirmed the Trust are working through the individual risks to ensure they are all being covered either within the Tranche report or within Velindre Futures.	
	It was agreed to close actions 140 and 147.	
	The TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee approved the action log.	
2.0	PROGRAMME GOVERNANCE	
2.1	Communications & Engagement	
	Led by Non Gwilym, Assistant Director of Communications	
	The Communication and Engagement paper was presented to the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee. The report details the work to promote the nVCC project, detail the communications issued and highlighting the engagement activities carried out recently.	
	It was brought to the Committees attention within paragraph 1.3 correspondence, the key figures within the Communication paper states there are 27 correspondences received and 8 have been responded to. NG assured the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee there is no delay in responding to the correspondence. Sometimes due to the nature of the correspondence there is a need to collate the information prior to responding which is why they are held up.	
	It was suggested using commentary within this section of the report to show the discrepancies between the correspondence received and sent to explain to the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee but also the public.	
	The Communication Team are responding to the correspondences as quickly as possible within the timescale.	
	The TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee noted the communication and engagement paper.	
2.2	TCS Programme Finance Report	
	Led by Mark Ash, Assistant Project Director	
	The TCS Programme Finance Report was delivered to the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee. The purpose of the report is to provide a financial update to the TCS Programme Delivery Board for the financial year 2023- 2024, outlining spend to date against budget as at Month 06 and the current full year forecast.	
	The overall forecast for the Programme is an overspend of £2.894m for the financial year 2023-2024 against a budget of £11.641m. Capital funding has	



	not been allocated for the Outline Business Case phase of the nVCC Project for this financial year, resulting in the aforementioned overspend. A funding request for c£2.800m has been made to Welsh Government. MB provided assurance to the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee that he is confident that capital funding will be returned from Welsh Government. SA highlighted to the committee from a public perspective, the current financial situation being faced by the NHS is significant. It was queried that based on the current situation, will the project slow down as a result of the current financial position the NHS Wales is in? It was explained that the majority of the investment Welsh Government are making is capital. The new Velindre Cancer Centre costs have been reflected in the Welsh Government capital plans. MB does not envisage issues in terms of Welsh Government capital funding for this project at this point in time.				
	It was identified there was a mistake within paragraph 4.3, it should be $\pounds2.800M$ (not $\pounds2.700M$).				
	The TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee noted the financial position for the TCS Programme and Associated Projects for 2023-24 as at 30th September 2023.				
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2.3	.3 Nuffield Update Led by Carl James, Executive Director of Strategic Transformation, Planning and Digital				
	The Nuffield paper outlines the collective assessment of where we are against the Nuffield Trust recommendations. The following key points were highlighted to the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee:				
	- The agreed regional approval process for this collective report is via the Collaborative Cancer Leadership Group (CCLG). However, it has been agreed by the SE Wales Chief Executives to place the CCLG into the South East Wales Programme Portfolio programme from August 2023 to support its ongoing progress. As such, the report was received at the Portfolio Delivery Board on 5 th October.				
	 A single regional Cancer Programme Board will be established to reinvigorate the strategic system leadership that the CCLG first created. It will be chaired by the Chief Executive of Aneurin Bevan University Health Board and have a dedicated clinical lead, programme manager and supporting administration. 				
	 It is envisaged that a Cancer Programme will be developed through the same process adopted by the other regional programmes. This is likely to include a series of collaborative regional workshops to design, develop, articulate and prioritise the future cancer programme 				



	to anticipated to commence late 2023. Progress against the Nuffield recommendations will also inform these discussions and programme design.	
	The TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee noted the collective South East Wales progress update against the Nuffield Trust recommendations.	
3.0	PROGRAMME DELIVERY	
3.1	 Programme Director's Report Led by Carl James, Executive Director of Strategic Transformation, Planning and Digital The Programme Director's Report was delivered to the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee. The reporting period for the Programme Director's Report covers from 7th September – 6th October 2023. If the mitigating actions do not deliver a positive outcome in this timeframe, it is possible that the Delivery Confidence Assessment (DCA) rating would change to Amber/Red in the next reporting period. A number of issues required to achieve financial close. These include: Technical/Design matters Commercial construct agreed with WG/Acorn Agreement of governance timetable with Welsh Government Confirmation of Gateway Review dates Clearance of site Project 3a Integrated Radiotherapy Solution (IRS) and Project 4: Radiotherapy Satellite Centre: The Neville Hall Project is approximately 10 weeks behind schedule, it is hoped to claw back some time. RAAC has been identified within the Neville Hall Estate.	
	A more detailed update will be provided on Radiotherapy during the November TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee.	СОВ
	HJ requested to see the progress of the build programme as we are approaching winter we are at risk at falling further behind with the programme of work. HJ requested for this to be sent via email.	СОВ



	Project 5 Outreach: It has been identified that there is a requirement for circa 32.5 SACT Chairs by 2025 / 2026. This is calculated by identifying what the overall system requirement would be for the number of SACT chairs across the region to meet that level of expected demand.						
	The clinical operational model has identified ideally 10% of services will be delivered at home, 45% delivered within Outreach and 45% delivered within the new Velindre Cancer Centre which equals the total capacity of chairs.						
	Assurance was provided to the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee that SACT and Outreach Services are running from Neville Hall Hospital. During COVID the SACT Services were not operating from Neville Hall but these services are since operating again.						
	The TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee noted the Programme Directors Report.						
3.2	Tranche Report Led by Carl James, Executive Director of Strategic Transformation, Planning and Digital						
	The Tranche Report was delivered to the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub- Committee.						
	As SHam couldn't attend the October TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub- Committee, the meeting Chair indicated that he and the Members would prefer that the Chief Executive Officer be present when discussing the Tranche Report in detail. Therefore only an initial view on the paper would be sought in this meeting.						
	It was decided following the initial conversation a refreshed version of the Tranche Report will be brought back to the November Committee subject to the Independent Members comments and feedback which will be emailed across to CJ. The following comments were noted during the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee:						
	 Questioning how each project within TCS Programme fits into each other What are the impacts of any delays to each project The risks and resource elements are missing from the Tranche report Needing to highlight the risks moving forward within the Tranche report 						
	 Referencing to CHC need updating to Llais Needing more up to date data as the report currently refers to October 2022 data 						



	The initial comments have been received and Tranche Report was noted .	
4.0	ANY OTHER BUSINESS	
	There were no additional items of business brought for discussion.	
5.0	REVIEW OF THE MEETING	
	There were no additional comments or questions.	
6.0	DATE & TIME OF NEXT MEETING	
	The next meeting of the TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee will be held on 23 rd November at 1.30pm.	



TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee

November 2023

Action Summary – PUBLIC

No.	Action	Owner	Date Raised	Target Date	Progress to date	Status (Open / Closed)
147	No revenue funding has been allocated for Project Delivery and Judicial Review elements of the nVCC project for this financial year. A funding request of £0.041m is being made to the Trust. It was highlighted that the Trust is not anticipating further judicial review costs for this year. Further clarity is also being sought in relation to the £0.041m. LF to clarify directly with Independent Members exactly what the £0.041m is relating to.	Lauren Fear	12/10/2023	26/10/2023	It was confirmed there was an error published within the TCS Programme Finance Report from the October Sub- Committee. Matt Bunce confirmed the £41,000 relates to £30,000 project delivery costs and £11,000 relates to the judicial review costs.	CLOSED
120	Multiple actions linked to work on Programme Tranche Report – in Appendix below 120 121 122 130	Cath O'Brien / Sarah Morley/ Steve Ham	22/03/2022	Following completion of nVCC business case - & completion of #143 and #146 – October 2023	Following the completion of the nVCC Business Case process, the Programme Tranche Report needs to be refreshed and presented to the Committee for discussion in order to frame the future scope and structure of the TCS work	OPEN (To be addressed in line with Programme Tranche Report)
121	TCS Programme Risk Register COB agreed to incorporate into the report addressing the common themes that are currently scattered throughout	Cath O'Brien / Sarah Morley	22/03/2022	23/11/2023	Same work as to refresh the Programme Tranche Report.	OPEN (To be addressed in line with

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No.	Action	Owner	Date Raised	Target Date	Progress to date	Status (Open / Closed)
	the risk register to give assurance on the totality of the workforce issues that are being faced and what is being done to address these. COB agreed to ensure this is broken down to manage the programme of work and delivering the service and the thread that comes through it. COB will work with BL and SM to articulate that and to show what is being done to address this issue.					Programme Tranche Report)
122	SHam acknowledged the need for clarification on the strategic approach to recruitment and noted that this would be discussed at EMB with an update brought to the July meeting of this committee, following a discussion in the June Board Development meeting	Steve Ham / Sarah Morley	22/03/2022	23/11/2023	Same work as to refresh the Programme Tranche Report.	OPEN (To be addressed in line with Programme Tranche Report)
130	Noted that work is underway to undertake targeted recruitment of key posts which are proving difficult to fill work with a Recruitment Marketing Agency in order to support us in doing this. Agreed to add to the agenda as a separate item at an upcoming meeting with accompanying paper detailing current needs vs baseline, etc.	Sarah Morley	22/03/2022	23/11/2023	Same work as to refresh the Programme Tranche Report.	OPEN (To be addressed in line with Programme Tranche Report)
143	SA queried whether a list of all current TCS schemes, along with a timeline of completion, was available as this would be a useful reference document to provide information and assurance to the public. GB agreed to look at providing a one-page, bullet point update summary.	Gavin Bryce	20/04/23	23/11/2023	Same work as to refresh the Programme Tranche Report.	OPEN (To be addressed in line with Programme Tranche Report)

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No.	Action	Owner	Date Raised	Target Date	Progress to date	Status (Open / Closed)
146	CJ confirmed outside of the meeting he will come up with a clear scope demonstrating what projects or pieces of work are sat where and who's accountable for them. The governance for each of these pieces of work ensuring there are no gaps. This is to provide clarification to the Sub-Committee and will feed up into Trust Board for information and assurance.	Carl James	19/06/23	23/11/2023	Same work as to refresh the Programme Tranche Report.	OPEN (To be addressed in line with Programme Tranche Report)
147	Project 3a Integrated Radiotherapy Solution (IRS) and Project 4: Radiotherapy Satellite Centre A more detailed update will be provided on Radiotherapy during the November TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub- Committee.	Cath Obrien	26/10/2023	23/11/2023	No update received.	OPEN
148	Project 3a Integrated Radiotherapy Solution (IRS) and Project 4: Radiotherapy Satellite Centre HJ requested to see the progress of the build programme as we are approaching winter we are at risk at falling further behind with the programme of work. HJ requested for this to be sent via email.	Cath Obrien	26/10/2023	23/11/2023	No updated received.	OPEN



TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee

Communications and Engagement Update

DATE OF MEETING	23/11/2023
PUBLIC OR PRIVATE REPORT	Public
IF PRIVATE PLEASE INDICATE REASON	NOT APPLICABLE - PUBLIC REPORT
REPORT PURPOSE	INFORMATION / NOTING
IS THIS REPORT GOING TO THE MEETING BY EXCEPTION?	NO

PREPARED BY	Thomas Deacon, Senior Communications Manager		
PRESENTED BY	Non Gwilym, Communications and Engagement Director		
APPROVED BY	Lauren Fear, Director of Corporate Governance & Chief of Staff		
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY	A summary of activity by the communications and engagement team to promote the work of the nVCC project during the reporting period.		
RECOMMENDATION / ACTIONS	The TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee is asked to note the paper.		



GOVERNANCE ROUTE	
List the Name(s) of Committee / Group who have previously received and considered this report:	Date
nVCC & EW Project Board	15/11/2023
SUMMARY AND OUTCOME OF PREVIOUS GOVERNANCE DISCUSSIONS	

7 LEVELS OF ASSURANCE	
ASSURANCE RATING ASSESSED	Level 7 - Improvements sustained over time -
BY BOARD DIRECTOR/SPONSOR	BAU

APPENDICES	

1. SITUATION

This report outlines the activities and achievements of the nVCC communications and engagement team since the previous meeting.

2. BACKGROUND

The report details the work to promote the nVCC project, detail the reactive communications issued and highlight the engagement activities carried out.

3. ASSESSMENT

1. Communications

1.1 Proactive digital communications

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nVCC project blog

We have continued to post regularly on our internal nVCC project blog which will house all updates on the project going forward. The blog remains displayed prominently on the intranet landing page providing easy access for staff across the Trust to follow and stay informed about the progress of the project. More than 25 articles have already been published as part of the blog and the intention is to post regularly including not only key announcements, e.g road closures, but also more informal posts such as latest site pictures and short profiles project team members. In total the posts in the current reporting period have had more than 700 views from staff members. The posts published during this reporting period include:

Staff drop-in design session

We shared details on a staff drop-in session where members of the team were on hand to share updated design plans for the nVCC.

Lady Cory Field

We shared information on our ongoing work at Lady Cory Field. This included the improvements made, details on the planning process and a map of the new layout. This was also shared across our social media channels and with key stakeholders via email.

Office accommodation study

We shared details of a two-week study looking at the ways we use our offices and admin areas as part of the planning and design of future workspaces at the nVCC.

Spooky Jambori

We promoted the Spooky Jambori that was held at the VCC. Following the event, we also shared images of some of the parents and children that attended. Both posts were also shared across our social media channels and we shared details of the event with our key stakeholders via email.

Latest bridge images

We also shared several of the latest images of the bridge at Asda Coryton with information on when the bridge will be fully complete.

1.2 Media queries

During the reporting period we received two requests from the media for comment:

Site clearance

Nation Cymru requested a comment after the main site clearance works started. We issued the following comment:

"We are in the process of further preparation works on the site of the new Velindre Cancer Centre after receiving the European Protected Species Licence as approved by Natural Resources Wales.

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"The activity on site aligns with the ecological window. Ecologists are on site overseeing the work which includes the safe movement of wildlife to surrounding habitat. Throughout, security reviews are being maintained to ensure public and contractor safety and confidence."

Permissions and site clearance

We received a further query regarding the site clearance works and how this relates to financial close, and under what permissions the work is allowed. We issued the following comment in response:

"As stated, the clearance work on site is one of many activities underway to prepare for the development of the new Velindre Cancer Centre, which is critical in safeguarding the provision of crucial treatment and care for the 1.5 million people of south Wales over the coming decades.

"The works are not reliant on the Welsh Government's approval of the business case and are being delivered by Acorn on the basis of the planning permission granted by Cardiff Council in 2023 (Reserved Matters application) and the European Protected Species License issued by Natural Resources Wales.

"The activity is key to enable the development of the new centre, must be carried out during the appropriate ecological window and is being conducted under the supervision of ecologists."

1.3 Correspondence

Number of correspondence open at time of meeting	Number of correspondence received during reporting period	Number of correspondence closed since last meeting
1	3	28

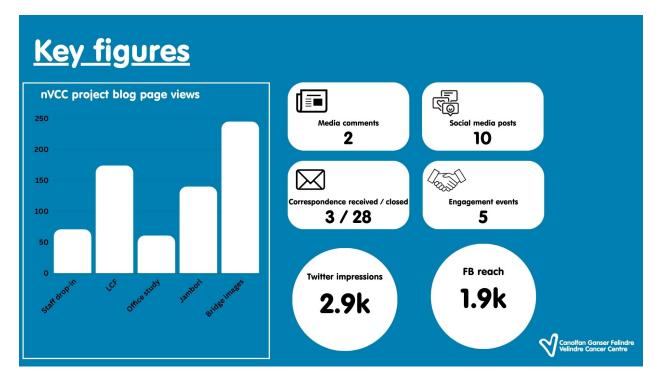
The variety of topics on correspondence closed and open during the reporting period include:

- Lady Cory Field works concerns about widened footpaths, not being returned in "original state" and queries about access to Coryton Station
- EPSL approval



Key figures

Below is a highlight of some key metrics of our output during the reporting period. Going forward, we will begin to include targets for some of the key figures to best measure impact.



1.4 Engagement

Resident drop-in event

We held our regular resident drop-in event at Whitchurch Library on October 26. A number of residents attended with several queries and questions. These covered topics including:

- Plans for area near Clos Coed Hir

Several queries on this topic including; what plants will be used in habitation plans, will residents be consulted/involved, concerns about wildlife entering people's gardens/homes.

- Lady Cory Field

Issues raised included that residents do not feel it is being returned in the state they thought it would be, queries on why the paths are so wide, if the



path to Coryton Station will ever be opened and concerns over the impact of the newly installed lighting

- **Financial close progress** Genera questions on when the nVCC will open, why is it delayed, and concerns that the deal will not be complete and housing will be developed on the main site instead
 - General grievances about combination of ongoing works across Whitchurch by the Trust, Welsh Water, National Grid etc

Macmillan Coffee Morning

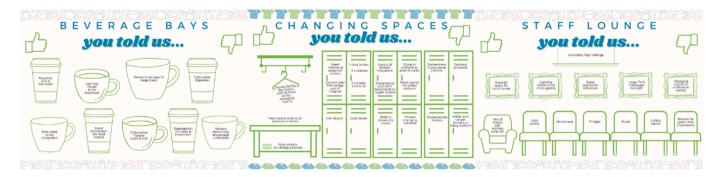
- We were invited to support a coffee morning hosted at Whitchurch Library in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support. The event was well attended and offered the opportunity to engage with local residents, answer community queries and signpost to Velindre services.





Staff Drop-in feedback

- staff from across the cancer centre visited the drop-in session on October 13th to see the updated designs and share their thoughts on beverage bays, changing spaces and the staff lounge. This session was particularly well attended by operational services amongst a range of other staff groups.



- Coryton Primary

The latest Bumbles of Honeywood Session was held at Coryton Primary School, sponsored by Walters. In line with the curriculum, the scheme introduces enterprise during fun and engaging workshop sessions. The children had lots of challenging questions for us!





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- Spooky Jambori

More than 50 local residents, patients and staff came along to the Spooky Jambori on 31st October and took part in free family arts and crafts activities.



2. Next month

- Continued communications support for the enabling works project
- Series of videos to be shared, including interviews with Walters representatives discussing aspects of enabling works
- Velindre bridge completion comms event to be finalised and issued
- Lady Cory Field improvements post to be published

3. SUMMARY OF MATTERS FOR CONSIDERATION

N/A



IMPACT ASSESSMENT 4.

TRUST STRATEGIC GOAL(S)

Please indicate whether any of the matters outlined in this report impact the Trust's strategic goals:

Choose an item please select all relevant goals: If ves .

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 An internationally renowned provi that always meet, and routinely ex 	der of exceptional clinical services (ceed expectations	\boxtimes
 A beacon for research, development and innovation in our stated areas of priority 		
 An established 'University' Trust which provides highly valued knowledge for learning for all. 		
 A sustainable organisation that plays its part in creating a better future for people across the globe 		
RELATED STRATEGIC RISK -	02 - Partnerhips Working /	Stakeholder
TRUST ASSURANCE	Engagement	
FRAMEWORK (TAF)		
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For more information: <u>STRATEGIC RISK</u> <u>DESCRIPTIONS</u>		
QUALITY AND SAFETY	Select all relevant	domains below
IMPLICATIONS / IMPACT	Safe	
	Timely	
	Effective	
	Equitable	
	Efficient	
	Patient Centred	Π



The Key Quality & Safety related issues being impacted by the matters outlined in the report and how they are being monitored, reviewed and acted upon should be clearly summarised here and aligned with the Six Domains of Quality as defined within Welsh Government's Quality and Safety Framework: Learning and Improving (2021).
Not required [In this section, explain in no more than 3 succinct points why an assessment is not considered applicable or has not been completed]. Click or tap here to enter text



TRUST WELL-BEING GOAL	A Wales of Cohesive Communities - Attractive,
IMPLICATIONS / IMPACT	viable, safe and well-connected communities.
	All Wellbeing goals are considered in the
	development and implementation of the Communications and Engagement plan in
	Communications and Engagement plan in support of the nVCC,
	If more than one wellbeing goal applies please
	list below:
	Click or tap here to enter text
FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS / IMPACT	There is no direct impact on resources as a result of the activity outlined in this report.
	Source of Funding: Choose an item
	Please explain if 'other' source of funding selected: Click or tap here to enter text
	Type of Funding: Choose an item
	Scale of Change Please detail the value of revenue and/or capital impact: Click or tap here to enter text
	Type of Change
	Choose an item
	Please explain if 'other' source of funding selected: Click or tap here to enter text
EQUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT For more information:	Not yet completed - Include further detail below why
https://nhswales365.sharepoint.com/sites/VEL_I ntranet/SitePages/E.aspx	The new strategy in support of the FBC will be subject to the EQIA.
ADDITIONAL LEGAL IMPLICATIONS / IMPACT	There are no specific legal implications related to the activity outlined in this report.
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5. RISKS

ARE THERE RELATED RISK(S) FOR THIS MATTER	No
WHAT IS THE RISK?	
WHAT IS THE CURRENT RISK SCORE	Insert Datix current risk score
HOW DO THE RECOMMENDED ACTIONS IN THIS PAPER IMPACT THIS RISK?	
BY WHEN IS IT EXPECTED THE TARGET RISK LEVEL WILL BE REACHED?	Insert Date
ARE THERE ANY BARRIERS TO IMPLEMENTATION?	Choose an item
All risks must be evidenced and consistent with those recorded in Datix	



TRANSFORMING CANCER SERVICES PROGRAMME SCRUTINY SUB COMMITTEE

TCS Programme Finance Report 2023-24 October 2023

DATE OF MEETING	23 rd November 2023
PUBLIC OR PRIVATE REPORT	Public
IF PRIVATE PLEASE INDICATE REASON	NOT APPLICABLE - PUBLIC REPORT
REPORT PURPOSE	INFORMATION / NOTING
IS THIS REPORT GOING TO THE MEETING BY EXCEPTION?	NO

PREPARED BY	Mark Ash, Assistant Project Director, nVCC and Enabling Works Projects
PRESENTED BY	Matthew Bunce, Executive Director of Finance
APPROVED BY	Matthew Bunce, Executive Director of Finance

	The purpose of this report is to provide a financial update for the Transforming Cancer Services (TCS) Programme for the financial year 2023-24, outlining spend against budget as at 31st October 2023 and the current year-end forecast.
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY	The year-to-date spend for the TCS Programme is \pounds 11.576m Capital and \pounds 0.460m Revenue, with a forecast expenditure for the current financial year of \pounds 17.928m Capital and \pounds 0.785m Revenue against budgets of \pounds 14.778m and \pounds 0.744m respectively.



RECOMMENDATION / ACTIONS	The TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee are asked to NOTE the financial position for the TCS Programme and Associated Projects for 2023-24 as at 31 st October 2023.
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GOVERNANCE ROUTE	
List the Name(s) of Committee / Group who have previously received and considered this report:	Date
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	(DD/MM/YYYY)
	(DD/MM/YYYY)
SUMMARY AND OUTCOME OF PREVIOUS GOVERNANCE DISC	USSIONS
N/A	

7 LEVELS OF ASSURANCE		
The purpose of the report to provide assurance on the financial position of the EW and nVCC Project.		
ASSURANCE RATING ASSESSED BY BOARD DIRECTOR/SPONSOR	Select Current Level of Assurance	

APPENDICES	
01	Main TCS Programme Finance Report October 2023



1. SITUATION

The purpose of the accompanying report is to provide a financial update to the TCS Programme Delivery Board for the financial year 2023-24, outlining spend to date against budget as at October 2023 and the current full year forecast.

The TCS Programme financial position is continually monitored and updated, with an update provided to the TCS Programme Delivery Board and Trust Board monthly.

2. SUMMARY OF MATTERS FOR CONSIDERATION

The summary financial position for the TCS Programme for the year 2023-24 as at October 2023 is provided below.

Expenditure Type	Year to Date	2023-24 Full Year		
	Spend	Budget	Forecast	Variance
Capital	£11.576m	£14.778m	£17.928m	-£3.150m
Revenue	£0.460m	£0.744m	£0.785m	-£0.041m
Total	£12.036m	£15.523m	£18.714m	-£3.191m

The overall forecast outturn for the Programme is an overspend of £3.191m for the financial year 2023-24 against a budget of £15.523m.

Additional Capital Projects commenced in October 2023:

- Advanced Design Development Agreement Capital funding of £3.882m approved provided in October 2023
- Whitchurch Hospital Site Capital funding to be secured from WG as part of the EW FBC addendum

Further details of these two Project are provided in Section 7.

Capital funding has not been allocated for the FBC phase of the nVCC Project for this financial year. The funding request for c£2.800m made to WG will be increased to £3.140m.

Capital funding of £3.882m has been allocated to the nVCC Project by WG for advanced works for the FBC stage, confirmed in October 2023.



No revenue funding has been allocated for Project Deliver and Judicial Review elements of the nVCC project for this financial year. A funding request of £0.041m is being made to the Trust in November 2023.

3. IMPACT ASSESSMENT

TRUST STRATEGIC GOAL(S)				
Please indicate whether any of the matters outlined in this report impact the Trust's strategic goals: Choose an item				
 If yes - please select all relevant goals: Outstanding for quality, safety and experience An internationally renowned provider of exceptional clinical services An internationally renowned provider of exceptional clinical services A beacon for research, development and innovation in our stated An established 'University' Trust which provides highly valued Knowledge for learning for all. A sustainable organisation that plays its part in creating a better future 				
RELATED STRATEGIC RISK - TRUST ASSURANCE FRAMEWORK (TAF) For more information: <u>STRATEGIC RISK</u> DESCRIPTIONS	TRUST ASSURANCE FRAMEWORK (TAF) For more information: STRATEGIC RISK			
QUALITY AND SAFETY Select all relevant domains below				
IMPLICATIONS / IMPACT	Safe Timely Effective Equitable Efficient Patient Centred			



	The Key Quality & Safety related issues being impacted by the matters outlined in the report and how they are being monitored, reviewed and acted upon should be clearly summarised here and aligned with the Six Domains of Quality as defined within Welsh Government's Quality and Safety Framework: Learning and Improving (2021).
SOCIO ECONOMIC DUTY ASSESSMENT COMPLETED:	Not required
For more information: https://www.gov.wales/socio-economic-duty- overview	
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TRUST WELL-BEING GOAL				
IMPLICATIONS / IMPACT	Choose an item			
	If more than one Well-being Goal applies please list below:			
	If more than one wellbeing goal applies please list below:			
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FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS / IMPACT	Yes - please Include further detail below, including funding stream			
	This section should outline the financial resource requirements in terms of revenue and/or capital implications that will result from the Matters for Consideration and any associated Business Case.			
	Narrative in this section should be clear on the following:			
	Source of Funding : Other (please explain)			
	Please explain if 'other' source of funding selected: Capital funding from WG; Revenue funding from VUNHST, WG and Commissioners			
	Type of Funding: Revenue and Capital Funding			
	Scale of Change Please detail the value of revenue and/or capital impact: Capital: £17.928m; Revenue £0.785m			
	Type of ChangeMajor ProgrammePlease explain if 'other' source of fundingselected:Click or tap here to enter text			

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EQUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT For more information:	Not required - please outline why this is not required	
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ADDITIONAL LEGAL IMPLICATIONS / IMPACT	There are no specific legal implications related to the activity outlined in this report.	
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4. RISKS

ARE THERE RELATED RISK(S) FOR THIS MATTER	Yes - please complete sections below		
WHAT IS THE RISK?	Funding not allocated for nVCC Project Additional funding required for Enabling Works Project Lack of funding for Whitchurch Hospital Site		
WHAT IS THE CURRENT RISK SCORE			
HOW DO THE RECOMMENDED ACTIONS IN THIS PAPER IMPACT THIS RISK?	Mitigate the risks by seeking to secure funding from Welsh Government		
BY WHEN IS IT EXPECTED THE TARGET RISK LEVEL WILL BE REACHED?			
ARE THERE ANY BARRIERS TO IMPLEMENTATION?	Νο		
All risks must be evidenced and consistent with those recorded in Datix			



TCS PROGRAMME FINANCE REPORT 2023-24

Period Ending 31st October 2023

Presented to TCS Programme Scrutiny Sub-Committee on 23rd November 2023

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1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to provide a financial update for the Transforming Cancer Services (TCS) Programme for the financial year 2023-24, outlining spend against budget as at 30th September 2023 and the current year-end forecast.
- 1.2 The TCS Programme financial position is continually monitored and updated, with an update provided regularly to both the TCS Programme Delivery Board and Trust Board.

2. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

2.1 The summary financial position for the TCS Programme for the year 2023-24 as at 31st October 2023 is provided below. A detailed table of budget, spend and variance for the capital and revenue expenditure is provided in Appendix 1.

Expenditure Type	Year to Date	2023-24 Full Year		
Experialitie Type	Spend	Budget	Forecast	Variance
Capital	£11.576m	£14.778m	£17.928m	-£3.150m
Revenue	£0.460m	£0.744m	£0.785m	- £0.041m
Total	£12.036m	£15.523m	£18.714m	-£3.191m

- 2.2 The overall forecast outturn for the Programme is an overspend of £3.191m for the financial year 2023-24 against a budget of £15.523m.
- 2.3 Additional Capital Projects commenced in October 2023:
 - Advanced Design Development Agreement Capital funding of £3.882m approved provided in October 2023
 - Whitchurch Hospital Site Capital funding to be secured from WG as part of the EW FBC addendum.

Further details of these two Project are provided in Section 7.

- 2.4 Capital funding has not been allocated for the FBC phase of the nVCC Project for this financial year. The funding request for c£2.800m made to WG will be increased to £3.140m.
- 2.5 Capital funding of £3.882m has been allocated to the nVCC Project by WG for advanced works for the FBC stage, confirmed in October 2023.
- 2.6 No revenue funding has been allocated for Project Deliver and Judicial Review elements of the nVCC project for this financial year. A funding request of £0.041m is being made to the Trust in November 2023.
- 2.7 The current financial risks associated with TCS are:
 - The Enabling Works Project may be required to provide financial support to the nVCC Project due the current lack of funding for 2023-24 for the latter. This risk is being mitigated as previously noted.

- There are three new elements to the Enabling Works Project that require additional funding as previously noted, totalling £2.300m. Ministerial approval will be sought for this additional funding.
- Capital funding has not been allocated to the nVCC Project, with a current overspend as costs are still being incurred due to the delay of Financial Close. Capital funding has also not been allocated to the Whitchurch Hospital Site Project. This risk is being mitigated by an increase in the funding request to WG of £3.150m.
- There is a lack of funding at present for the Whitchurch Hospital Site costs, which is being mitigated by securing additional funding from WG as part of the Enabling Works FBC Addendum.

3. BACKGROUND

- 3.1 In January 2015 the Minister for Health and Social Services approved the initial version of the Strategic Outline Programme 'Transforming Cancer Services in South East Wales'. Following completion of the Key Stage Review in June/July 2015, approval was received from the Minister to proceed to the next stage of the Programme.
- 3.2 By 31st March 2023, the Welsh Government (WG) had provided a total of £42.377m funding (£40.084m capital, £2,293m revenue) to support the TCS Programme. In addition, the Trust provided £0.264m from its discretionary capital allocation and £0.380m non-recurrent revenue funding.
- 3.3 NHS Commissioners agreed in December 2018 to provide annual revenue funding to the Trust to support TCS Programme, with £0.400m provided in 2018/19, increased to £0.420m thereafter.
- 3.4 The current funding provided to support the TCS Programme in 2023-24 is £10.896m capital and £0.689m revenue, as outlined in Appendix 2. The sources of funding are summarised below.

Project	WG Capital	Total Funding	
Enabling Works Project	£10.896m	£10.896m	
nVCC Project	£0	£0	
ADDA	£0	£0	
Whitchurch Hospital Site	£0	£0	
Total	£10.896m	£10.896m	

Sources of Capital Funding Initial Allocation (as at 1st April 2023)

Overall Change to Allocation

Project	WG Capital	Total Funding
Enabling Works Project	-£0.230m	-£0.230m
nVCC Project	£0	£0
ADDA	£3.882m	£3.882m
Whitchurch Hospital Site	£0	£0
Total	-£0.230m	-£0.230m

Current Allocation (as at 31st October 2023)

Project	WG Capital	Total Funding
Enabling Works Project	£10.667m	£10.667m
nVCC Project	£0	£0
ADDA	£3.882m	£3.882m
Whitchurch Hospital Site	£0	£0
Total	£10.667m	£10.667m

Sources of Revenue Funding Initial Allocation (as at 1st April 2023)

Project	LHB Commissioners	Trust Reserves	WG Pay Award	Total Funding
£0.240m	£0.240m	£0.060m	£0	£0.300m
£0	£0	£0	£0	£0
£0.180m	£0.180m	£0.131m	£0	£0.311m
£0.420m	£0.420m	£0.204m	£0	£0.611m

Overall Change to Allocation

Project	LHB Commissioners	Trust Reserves	WG Pay Award	Total Funding
PMO	£0	£0	£0.028m	£0.028m
nVCC Project	£0	£0	£0.096m	£0.096m
SDT Project	£0	£0	£0.009m	£0.009m
Total	£0	£0	£0.133m	£0.133m

Current Allocation (as at 31 st October 2023)	
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Project	LHB Commissioners	Trust Reserves	WG Pay Award	Total Funding
РМО	£0.240m	£0.060m	£0.028m	£0.328m
nVCC Project	£0	£0	£0.096m	£0.096m
SDT Project	£0.180m	£0.131m	£0.009m	£0.320m
Total	£0.420m	£0.191m	£0.133m	£0.744m

4. CAPITAL POSITION

4.1 The current capital funding for 2023-24 is outlined below:

Enabling Works ProjectnVCC ProjectADDA	£10.896m £0 £3.882m
Whitchurch Hospital Site Total	£0 £14.778m

4.2 The capital position as at 31st October 2023 is outlined below, with a forecast overspend of £3.150m for 2023-24 against a budget of £14.778m. This is due to the lack of capital funding being allocated to the nVCC Project for this financial year.

Capital Expenditure	Year to Date	20:	23-24 Full Ye	ar
	Spend	Budget	Forecast	Variance
Enabling Works Project	£8.125m	£10.896m	£10.894m	£0.003m
nVCC Project	£1.958m	£0	£3.142m	-£3.142m
ADDA	£1.482m	£3.882m	£3.882m	£0
Whitchurch Hospital Site	£0.011m	£0	£0.011m	-£0.011m
Total	£11.576m	£14.778m	£17.928m	-£3.150m

- 4.3 A funding request has been made to WG for c£2.800m for the nVCC Project, which will be amended to reflect the increased overspend of £3.140m.
- 4.4 There are three new elements that require additional funding from WG, which were not known at the time of establishing the Enabling Works FBC, totalling £2.300m. This additional capital funding will require Ministerial approval.

5. **REVENUE POSITION**

5.1 The revenue funding for 2023-24 is outlined below:

•	РМО	£0.328m
٠	nVCC Project	£0.096m
٠	SDT Project	£0.320m
	Total	£0.744m

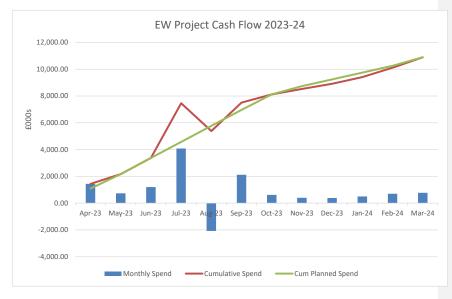
5.2 The revenue position as at 31st October 2023 is outlined below, with a forecast overspend of £0.041m for 2023-24 against a budget of £0.744m. This is due to the lack of funding for the nVCC revenue non-pay costs for this financial year.

Revenue Expenditure	Year to Date	2023-24 Full Year			
	Spend	Budget	Forecast	Variance	
PMO	£0.191m	£0.328m	£0.328m	£0	
nVCC Project	£0.091m	£0.096m	£0.137m	-£0.041m	
SDT Project	£0.178m	£0.320m	£0.320m	£0	
Total	£0.460m	£0.744m	£0.785m	-£0.041m	

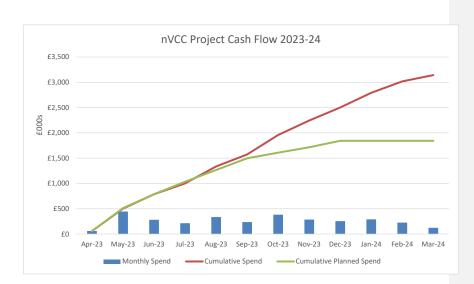
- 5.3 A revenue funding request for £0.041m for 2023-24 is being made to the Trust for the Project Delivery and Judicial Review elements of the nVCC Project.
- 5.4 The 2022-23 one-off recovery payment was paid out in June 2023, with funding provided by WG in June 2023 via the Trust. Funding has also been provided by WG to cover the recurrent pay award for 2023-24 paid out in August 2023.

6. CASH FLOW

6.1 The capital cash flow for the **Enabling Works Project** is outlined below. The run rate indicates that the majority of costs will have been incurred within the first half of the financial year.



6.2 The capital cash flow for the **nVCC Project** is outlined below. Actual spend is higher in the second half of the financial year, which reflects the delay in financial close.



6.3 The cash flow for the remainder of the Programme is not reported as it is not of a material nature.

7. PROJECT FINANCE UPDATES

7.1 A detailed table of budget, spend and variance is provided in Appendix 1.

Programme Management Office

- 7.2 The current revenue funding for the PMO for 2023-24 is £0.328m. £0.240m of this has been provide from NHS Commissioners' funding, £0.060m from the Trust Reserves, and £0.028m from WG 2022-23 for pay awards.
- 7.3 There has been no capital funding requirement for the PMO in 2023-24.
- 7.4 The revenue position for the PMO as at 31st October 2023 is shown below, showing a forecast breakeven positon for the year against a budget of £0.328m.

PMO Expenditure	Year to Date	20	23-24 Full Ye	ar
PMO Expenditure	Spend	Budget	Forecast	Variance
Pay	£0.188m	£0.327m	£0.320m	£0.007m
Non-Pay	£0.003m	£0.001m	£0.008m	-£0.007m
Total	£0.191m	£0.328m	£0.328m	£0

- 7.5 A movement of PMO staff has resulted in a forecast underspend of £0.007m for pay, balance by an expected overspend of the same for non-pay. A virement of this amount from the pay budget to non-pay budget during November 2023 will resolve this issue.
- 7.6 There are currently no financial risks associated with the PMO for 2023-24.

Enabling Works Project

- 7.7 In February 2022, the Minister for Health and Social Services approved the Enabling Works FBC. This has provided capital funding of £28.089m in total, with £10.896m provided in 2023-24.
- 7.8 The Project's financial position for 31st October 2023 is shown below. The forecast position reflects an expected underspend of £0.003m for this financial year.

Enabling Works Capital	Year to Date	20	23-24 Full Ye	ar
Expenditure	Spend	Budget	Forecast	Variance
Pay	£0.192m	£0.230m	£0.305m	- £0.075m
Non-Pay	£7.933m	£10.667m	£10.589m	£0.078m
Total	£8.125m	£10.896m	£10.894m	£0.003m

7.9 There are three new elements that require additional funding from WG, which were not known at the time of establishing the Enabling Works FBC, totalling £2.300m. This additional capital funding will require Ministerial approval. The elements are:

	Total	£2.300m inc VAT
٠	Off Site Habitat Creation	£0.250m inc VAT
٠	S278 Works – Longwood Drive	£1.200m inc VAT
٠	Water Main Diversion	£0.850m inc VAT

7.10 The Project spend relates to the following activities:

	١	fear to Date		F	inancial Year	
Description	Budget Oct-23	Spend Oct-23	Variance Oct-23	Annual Budget	Annual Forecast	Annual Variance
	£	£	£	£	£	£
PAY						
Project 1b - Enabling Works FBC	156,574	191,845	-35,271	229,841	305,045	-75,204
Pay Capital Total	156,574	191,845	-35,271	229,841	305,045	-75,204
ION-PAY						
EF02 Utility Costs	1,840,257	1,291,385	548,873	2,873,927	2,491,385	382,54
EF03 Supply Chain Fees	204,167	283,630	-79,464	375,000	411,130	-36,13
EF04 Non Works Costs	182,295	104,740	77,554	312,505	234,951	77,55
EF05 ASDA Works	2,701,946	2,239,358	462,589	3,813,893	2,712,235	1,101,65
EF06 Walters D&B	3,033,982	4,013,886	-979,904	3,033,982	4,138,886	-1,104,90
EF07 Other (Decant Works, Surveys & Investigations, IM&T etc.)	0	0	0	0	0	
EF08 Section 278	0	0	0	0	600,000	-600,00
EFQR Quantified Risk	6,247	512	5,735	257,245	512	256,73
EFQS QRA - SCP	0	0	0	0	0	
EFRS Enabling Works FBC Reserves	0	-549	549	0	-549	54
nabling Works FBC Project Capital Total	7,968,894	7,932,963	35,931	10,666,552	10,588,550	78,001

- 7.11 There are currently two financial risks associated with the Enabling Works Project:
 - The Enabling Works Project may be required to provide financial support to the nVCC Project due the current lack of funding for 2023-24 for the latter. This risk is being mitigated as previously noted.

There are three new elements to the Enabling Works Project that require additional funding as previously noted, totalling £2.300m. Ministerial approval will be sought for this additional funding.

New Velindre Cancer Centre Project Capital

- 7.12 The nVCC Project has not been allocated capital funding for this financial year. A funding request has been made to WG for c£2.800m, which will be updated to £3.140m.
- 7.13 The capital financial position for the nVCC Project for 31st October 2023 is shown below, with a forecast overspend of £3.142m. This is due to the delay of the nVCC Financial Close into 2023-24 with no funding for the Project at this stage.

nVCC Capital	Year to Date	/ear to Date 202		ar
Expenditure	Spend	Budget	Forecast	Variance
Pay	£0.663m	£0	£1.176m	-£1.176m
Non-Pay	£1.295m	£0	£1.966m	-£1.966m
Total	£1.958m	£0	£3.142m	-£3.142m

7.14 The spend relates to the following activities:

		Year to Date			Financial Year	
Description	Budget Oct-23	Spend Oct-23	Variance Oct-23	Annual Budget	Annual Forecast	Annual Variance
	£	£	£	£	£	£
PAY						
Project Leadership nVCC OBC	0	124,005	-124,005	0		-213,69
Project 2a - New Velindre Cancer Centre OBC	0	538,688	-538,688	0		-962,47
Pay Capital Total	0	662,693	-662,693	0	1,176,161	-1,176,16
NON-PAY						
nVCC OBC Project Delivery	0	32,473	-32,473	0	63,963	-63,96
Work Packages						
VC08 Competitive Dialogue - Dialogue & SP to FC	0	1.104.788	-1,104,788	0	1.678.788	-1,678,78
VC10 Legal Advice	0	9,398	-9,398	0	14.398	-14,39
VC11 S73 Planning	0	14,437	-14.437	0	14,437	-14.43
VC12 nVCC FBC	0	113,217	-113,217	0	113,217	-113,21
VCRS nVCC OBC Reserves	0	20,945	-20,945	0	80,945	-80,94
nVCC Project Capital Total	0	1,262,784	-1,262,784	0	1,901,784	-1,901,78
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TOTAL NVCC OBC CAPITAL EXPENDITURE	0	1.957.950	-1.957.950	0	3.141.908	-3,141,90

7.15 The current risk to the Project is the lack of funding, with a current overspend as costs are still being incurred due to the delay of Financial Close. This risk is being mitigated by a request to WG for funding for the Project of c£3.140m.

Revenue

- 7.16 The current revenue funding for the nVCC Project for 2023-24 is £0.096m, provided from WG for pay awards. A funding request will be submitted to request revenue funding of £0.030m for nVCC Project Delivery and £0.011m for the Judicial Review.
- 7.17 The revenue financial position for the nVCC Project for 31st October 2023 is shown below, reflecting a current overspend of £0.041m for the year against budget of £0.096m.

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nVCC Revenue	Year to Date	20	22-23 Full Ye	ar
Expenditure	Spend	Budget	Forecast	Variance
Pay	£0.064m	£0.096m	£0.096m	£0
Project Delivery	£0.017m	£0	£0.030m	-£0.030m
Judicial Review	£0.011m	£0	£0.011m	-£0.011m
Total	£0.091m	£0.096m	£0.137m	-£0.041m

- 7.18 The Judicial Review matter is now closed, with the final costs being submitted in July 2023. The final cost in 2023-24 is £0.011m, with a total cost for this matter of £0.138m.
- 7.19 The only revenue financial risk associated with the nVCC Project at present is the lack of funding, which is being mitigated with the funding request to the Trust.

Advanced Design Delivery Agreement (ADDA)

- 7.20 The ADDA Project reflects the commercial agreement between the Trust and SACYR for advance design services that covers RIBA stage 4 design / design not falling under the nVCC MIM Project bid deliverables and including masterplan amendments. In addition, it covers design costs associated with the Value Engineering exercise. The RIBA Stage 4 direct costs have been incurred, (including management team) up to a value of £3.882m (excl. VAT).
- 7.21 The capital financial position for this Project for 31st October 2023 is shown below, with a forecast breakeven spend of £3.882m.

ADDA Expenditure	Year to Date	20	23-24 Full Ye	ar
ADDA Experiorare	Spend	Budget	Forecast	Variance
Non-Pay	£1.482m	£3.882m	£3.882m	£0
Total	£1.482m	£3.882m	£3.882m	£0

7.22 There are currently no financial risks associated with this Project for 2023-24.

Whitchurch Hospital Site

- 7.23 The achievement of the EPSL from NRW required the granting of a habitat Licence on elements of the residual Whitchurch Hospital estate by Cardiff and Vale University Health Board. In order for the Trust to receive the habitat Licence from Cardiff and Vale University Health Board (C&VUHB), it agreed in principle to accept the formal transfer of the residual estate. The Trust is currently undertaking the required legal and technical diligence. With regards technical diligence, asbestos and condition surveys are being commissioned by the Trust to meet its obligations. The cost of the surveys is funded by securing additional funding from WG as part of the Enabling Works FBC Addendum.
- 7.24 The capital financial position for the nVCC Project for 31st October 2023 is shown below, with a forecast overspend of £0.011m.

Whitchurch Hospital	Year to Date	20	23-24 Full Ye	ar
Site Expenditure	Spend	Budget	Forecast	Variance
Non-Pay	£0.011m	£0	£0.011m	-£0.011m
Total	£0.011m	£0	£0.011m	-£0.011m

7.25 There is a risk of a lack of funding for these costs, which is being mitigated by securing additional funding from WG as part of the Enabling Works FBC Addendum.

Service Delivery and Transformation Project

- 7.26 The revenue funding for the Project for 2022-23 is £0.180m from NHS Commissioners' funding, £0.131 from Trust reserves, and £0.009m from the WG 2022-23 one-off recovery payment funding. The resulting budget is £0.320m for this financial year.
- 7.27 There is no capital funding requirement for the Project in 2023-24.
- 7.28 The SDT Project revenue position for 2023-24 is shown below, showing a forecast breakeven positon for the year against a budget of £0.320m.

SDT Expenditure	Year to Date	20	22-23 Full Ye	ar
SDT Expenditure	Spend	Budget	Forecast	Variance
Pay	£0.170m	£0.306m	£0.286m	£0.020m
Non-Pay	£0.008m	£0.013m	£0.034m	-£0.020m
Total	£0.178m	£0.320m	£0.320m	£0

- 7.29 A movement of SDT staff has resulted in a forecast underspend of £0.020m for pay, balance by an expected overspend of the same for non-pay. A virement of this amount from the pay budget to non-pay budget during November 2023 will resolve this issue.
- 7.30 There are currently no financial risks associated with the Project for 2023-24.

8. KEY RISKS AND MITIGATING ACTIONS

- 8.1 There are currently three financial risks associated with TCS:
 - The Enabling Works Project may be required to provide financial support to the nVCC Project due the current lack of funding for 2023-24 for the latter. This risk is being mitigated as previously noted.
 - There are three new elements to the Enabling Works Project that require additional funding as previously noted, totalling £2.300m. Ministerial approval will be sought for this additional funding.
 - Capital funding has not been allocated to the nVCC Project, with a current overspend as costs are still being incurred due to the delay of Financial Close. Capital funding has also not been allocated to the Whitchurch Hospital Site Project. This risk is being mitigated by an increase in the funding request to WG of £3.150m.

There is a lack of funding at present for the Whitchurch Hospital Site costs, which is being mitigated by securing additional funding from WG as part of the Enabling Works FBC Addendum.

9. TCS SPEND REPORT SUMMARY

- 9.1 At the end of 2019, a financial model was developed by the TCS Finance Team to provide a spend profile for the TCS Programme. The model allocates reported spend by year to defined deliverables and outputs within each project within the Programme. It also allocates spend to the various resources need to deliver the Programme, such as pay, advisors, suppliers, etc. The output for the model itself is an in-year report providing spend details on a quarterly basis. A cumulative report is also produced for the Programme for its inception to the end of the latest quarter.
- 9.2 Appendix 3 provides cumulative report to 31st March 2022. The report for the financial year 2022-23 is currently being produced.
- 9.3 The cumulative report shows a total spend for the TCS Programme of $\pounds 30.352m$ ($\pounds 26.481m$ Capital, $\pounds 3.871m$ Revenue). The total pay costs for this period were $\pounds 11.303m$.
- 9.4 The spend to 31st March 2022 for each Project within the Programme is summarised below.

Programme Management Office Project 1 Enabling Works Project 2 nVCC Project 3a Integrated Radiotherapy Solution Project 3b Digital Strategy Project 4 Radiotherapy Satellite Project 5 SACT and Outreach Project 6 Service Delivery and Transformation	£10.559m £13.234m £0.1.049m £0.200m £0.385m £0.002m
Project 6 Service Delivery and Transformation Project 7 Decommissioning	£3.266m

9.5 The five deliverables with the highest spend during this period are:

Project Control	£4.390m
Feasibility Studies	
Planning and Design	£2.669m
Outline Business Case (inc revision and approval)	£2.456m
Project Agreement	

APPENDIX 1: TCS Programme Budget and Spend as at 31st October 2023

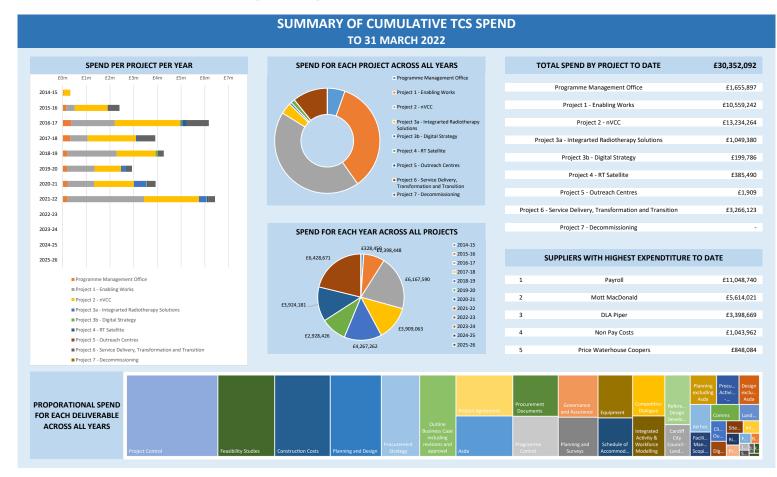
TCS Programme Budget & Spend 2023-24						
	Year to Date			Financial Year		
CAPITAL	Budget Oct-23	Spend Oct-23	Variance Oct-23	Annual Budget	Annual Forecast	Annual Variance
PAY	£	£	£	£	£	£
Project Leadership nVCC OBC	0	124.005	-124.005	0	213.691	-213,691
Project 1b - Enabling Works FBC	156,574	191,845	-35,271	229,841	305,045	-75,204
Project 2a - New Velindre Cancer Centre OBC	0	538,688	-538,688	0	962,470	-962,470
Capital Pay Total	156,574	854,537	-697,963	229,841	1,481,206	-1,251,365
NON-PAY						
nVCC OBC Project Delivery	0	32,473	-32,473	0	63,963	-63,963
Project 1b - Enabling Works FBC	7,968,894	7,932,963	35,931	10,666,552	10,588,550	78,001
Project 2a - New Velindre Cancer Centre OBC	0	1,262,784	-1,262,784	0	1,901,784	-1,901,784
Project 2b - Advanced Design Development Agreement	1,482,256	1,482,256	0	3,881,995	3,881,995	0
Project 2c - Whitchurch Hospital Site	0	10,717	-10,717	0	10,717	-10,717
Capital Non-Pay Total	9,451,150	10,721,193	-1,270,043	14,548,546	16,447,009	-1,898,463
CAPITAL TOTAL	9,607,724	11,575,731	-1,968,007	14,778,387	17,928,215	-3,149,828

REVENUE		Year to Date				Financial Year		
REVENUE		Budget	Spend	Variance	Annual	Annual	Annual	
		Oct-23	Oct-23	Oct-23	Budget	Forecast	Variance	
		£	£	£	£	£	£	
PAY								
nVCC Pay Award		63,921	63,921	0	96,408	96,408	0	
Programme Management Office		187,812	187,682	130	326,890	319,906	6,984	
Project 6 - Service Change Team		179,368	170,118	9,249	306,290	286,097	20,194	
	Revenue Pay Total	431,100	421,721	9,380	729,589	702,411	27,178	
NON-PAY								
		0	40 500	40.500	(20,000	
nVCC OBC Project Delivery nVCC OBC Judicial Review		0	16,539	-16,539	(-30,000	
		-	11,000	-11,000	-	,	-11,000	
Programme Management Office		1,410	3,011	-1,601	1,410		-6,984	
Project 6 - Service Change Team		9,000	7,542	1,458	13,340		-20,194	
	Revenue Non-Pay Total	10,410	38,092	-27,682	14,750	82,928	-68,178	
	REVENUE TOTAL	441.510	459.813	-18,303	744.339	785.339	-41,000	
	REVENUE TOTAL	441,010	400,010	-10,000	144,000	100,000	-41,000	

APPENDIX 2: TCS Programme Funding for 2022-23

Description	Funding	д Туре
Description	Capital	Revenue
Programme Management Office	£0	£0.328m
Commissioner's Funding		£0.240m
Trust Revenue Funding		£0.060m
WG One Off Pay Award 2022/23 Funding		£0.006m
WG Recurrent Pay Award Funding		£0.022m
Enabling Works FBC	£10.896m	£0
2023-24 CEL from Welsh Government funding for Enabling Works FBC approved in February 2022	£10.896m	
New Velindre Cancer Centre OBC	£0	£0.096m
WG One Off Pay Award 2022/23 Funding		£0.019m
WG Recurrent Pay Award Funding		£0.077m
Advanced Design Development Agreement	£3.882m	£0
2023-24 CEL from Welsh Government funding for ADDA approved October 2023	£3.882m	
Whitchurch Hospital Site	£0	£0
Funding for Whitchurch Hospital Site to be provided by WG	£0	
Radiotherapy Satellite Centre	£0	£0
No funding requested or provided for this project to date		
SACT and Outreach	£0	£0
No funding requested or provided for this project to date		
Service Delivery, Transformation and Transition	£0	£0.320m
Commissioner's Funding		£0.180m
Trust Revenue Funding		£0.131m
WG One Off Pay Award 2022/23 Funding		£0.002m
WG Recurrent Pay Award Funding		£0.007m
VCC Decommissioning	£0	£0
No funding requested or provided for this project to date		
Total	£14.778m	£0.744m

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APPENDIX 3: TCS Cumulative Spend Report to 31st March 2022

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TRANSFORMING CANCER SERVICES PROGRAMME SCRUTINY SUB COMMITTEE

TRANSFORMING CANCER SERVICES (TCS) PROGRAMME DIRECTOR'S REPORT (PDR)

DATE OF MEETING	23/11/23
PUBLIC OR PRIVATE REPORT	Public
IF PRIVATE PLEASE INDICATE REASON	NOT APPLICABLE - PUBLIC REPORT
REPORT PURPOSE	INFORMATION / NOTING
IS THIS REPORT GOING TO THE MEETING BY EXCEPTION?	NO

PREPARED BY	Gavin Bryce, Associate Director of Programmes Carys Jones, Senior Programme Delivery & Assurance Manager, TCS Cory Davies, Programme Support Officer		
PRESENTED BY	Carl James, Executive Director of Strategic Transformation, Planning and Digital		
APPROVED BY	Carl James, Executive Director of Strategic Transformation, Planning and Digital		

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY	The TCS Programme will deliver a range of outcomes and benefits for patients across South- East Wales. The Programme was established in 2015 and consists of seven well defined projects that are being delivered by the Trust in conjunction with its various partners / stakeholders.		
	This report sets out the Delivery Confidence Assessment (DCA) for the TCS Programme, current progress against plans and related risks and issues.		

RECOMMENDATION / ACTIONS	It is recommended that the DCA for the overall Programme maintained at Amber in light of the additional management actions put in place regarding the nVCC. The Programme Director has discussed this with the Senior Responsible
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Officer and agreed that the position will be reviewed weekly given the dynamic nature of the
project as it moves towards financial close.

GOVERNANCE ROUTE	
List the Name(s) of Committee / Group who have previously	Date
received and considered this report:	
EMB shape (Out of Board Approval)	17/11/23
SUMMARY AND OUTCOME OF PREVIOUS GOVERNANCE DISC	USSIONS

N/A

7 LEVELS OF ASSURANCE

If the purpose of the report is selected as 'ASSURANCE', this section **must be** completed.

N/A

ASSURANCE RATING ASSESSED	Select Current Level of Assurance
ASSORANCE RATING ASSESSED	N/A
BY BOARD DIRECTOR/SPONSOR	

APPENDICES	
Appendix A	Delivery Confidence Assessment (DCA) Criteria Description
Appendix B	Risk and Issues Checklist
Appendix C	Velindre Futures SRU issue log

1. SITUATION

- 1.1 This Transforming Cancer Service (TCS) Programme Director's Report provides a monthly assessment of the programme's performance against a range of criteria, including the utilisation of the Delivery Confidence Assessment (DCA) methodology. The purpose of the report is to advise whether the programme is on track to deliver its stated objectives, and what remedial action (if any) is required.
- 1.2 The reporting period for this Programme Director's Report covers from **5**th **October – 9**th **November 2023.**

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 The TCS Programme was established in 2015 and consists of seven well defined projects that are being delivered by the Trust in conjunction with its various partners / stakeholders. The TCS Programme will deliver a range of outcomes and benefits for patients across South-East Wales. The Programme Director's report covers the following areas:
 - a) Overall Programme Status: Delivery Confidence Assessment (DCA)
 - b) Key milestones/achievements in reporting period
 - c) TCS Programme Performance (incl. Key Areas to Highlight)
 - d) External Programme Stakeholder Communication & Engagement
 - e) Change Controls or Exception Reports in previous reporting period.
 - f) Programme Benefits Realisation
 - g) Project 1 to 7 Reported Status
 - h) Master Programme Plan and Critical Path
 - i) Programme Risks
 - j) Programme Issues
 - k) Programme look ahead.

3. ASSESSMENT

Overall Programme Status: Delivery Confidence Assessment

- 3.1 The Delivery Confidence Assessment (DCA) is a well-used method of providing an overview of a Programme's or Project's status (it is used by the Infrastructure Projects Authority (IPA) Gateway Reviews and recognised in the Managing/ Successful Programmes methodology). The evaluation framework for the DCA is set out in **Appendix A** and it should be noted that the DCA is a qualitative based judgement having considered a range of evidence available across the programme i.e., it is an indicator of the position and cannot be definitive.
- 3.2 The TCS Associate Director of Programmes and TCS Programme Director have reviewed the TCS Programme's current performance for the reporting period 5th **October 9th November 2023** and have concluded an **Amber status**.

Successful delivery of the project/programme appears feasible but significant issues already exist requiring management attention. These appear resolvable at this stage and, if addressed promptly, should not present a cost/schedule overrun.

3.3 The Programme Director's Report in October 2023 set out a range of deliverables which would need to be achieved in next reporting period to prevent escalation to Amber/Red status. Each of the actions and their status are summarised below:

	Mitigating Action Required to prevent escalation to Amber/Red
Technical/Design matters	Authority Construction Requirements
	Project Co Proposals (PCPs)
Commercial construct agreed with WG/Acorn	Linac commissioning programme signed off (and any additional funding required to source)
	Capital costs finalised Outstanding commercial issues closed
Agreement of governance timetable with Welsh Government	
Confirmation of Gateway Review dates	
	Achievement of increases in benefit cost ratio (BCR)
Completion of the FBC	Robust financial case Final commercial case
Site	Clearance of the site by end October / start November dependent upon ecologists' direction

- 3.4 These were not fully achieved, and Trust Officers are engaged with SRO's, investment decision makers with a view of replanning nVCC Financial Close. As a result of these discussions and additional set of management actions have been implemented to strengthen arrangements. These include:
 - agreement in principle with key stakeholders on the capital cost range.
 - development of a revised plan to financial close which all partners are able to achieve.
 - further development of the commercial construction proposition.
 - further development of the commercial arrangements.
- 3.5 These actions are being actively progressed and monitored. The Programme Director has briefed the SRO on these matters and advised/agreed that the nVCC Project Director will advise on their impact. The SRO and nVCC Project Director will review the nVCC Project status weekly and the Programme Director will review the programme DCA weekly.

Status (Trend)	Qualitative Measure	Previous	s Status - Amber
Amber	Successful delivery of the project/programme appears feasible but significant issues already exist requiring management attention. These appear resolvable at this stage and, if addressed promptly, should not present a cost/schedule overrun.		Amber
	The main findings supporting the DCA are:	Mitigating Actions:	Action Status:
	 A. Programme Scope requires review as a result of new delivery and governance arrangements. Programme Resources require review as the 	 A. The PDB have approved the Programme Stocktake and draft implementation plan. This has been further augmented into a Tranche Review. An informal briefing session has also been held with Independent Members. A. The Tranche review was received at Octo Scrutiny Sub-Committee, where it was age further discussion with Independent Members Chief Executive was required to discuss the greater depth. Following approval of the Tranche Review Programme Resource Plan will be update 	

	Programme moves from planning into its implementation phase.		
	The main findings supporting the DCA are:	Mitigating Actions:	Action Status:
Amber	B. A range of Project 2 (nVCC) risks have increased in relation to achieving financial close.	 B. There has been a range of activities instigated to optimise the close out of the commercial aspects. i. Exec Directors given leadership responsibility for specific areas. ii. Mission Control Board and regular agile meetings are in place weekly. iii. Enhanced reporting (Programme to Financial Close paper) iv. Weekly FBC meetings have been convened to oversee and track progress ahead of financial close. v. Enhanced management arrangements. 	 B. Updates as follows: i. Exec areas of responsibility agreed and support ongoing. ii. Weekly Mission Control Board (MCB) meetings ongoing and regular provided across a range of key matters. iii. Weekly FBC Co-ordination meeting ongoing and composite case completed and approved by Trust Board. iv. New management arrangements: a) SteerCo, a strategic group of Senior decision makers is now meeting weekly to facilitate Financial Close activities b) Tactical group has been established to receive Project escalations with a view to rapid resolution to support financial close

The TCS Programme Master Programme Plan sets out the plan for delivery of the various key projects' deliverables and related activities. The following activities, set out in the table below, list the milestones achieved in the latest reporting period and identifies any missed milestones or any that are imminently forecast to be missed, which require escalation.

Master Programm	Project	Date	Is this on the Critical Path?	Achieved (Y/N)	Impact on Critical Path	
Completion of Northern	Completion of Northern access bridge			Y	Y	Ν
DCWW water main d	iversion works	Enabling Works	16 th October 2023	Y	Y	Ν
Joint reporting of IRS pha- phase 2	IRS	Oct 2023	Y	Y	N	
CT SIM Procurement award		SRU	Nov 2023	Y	Y	Y
	Key:					
Red						
Amber	Amber Missed date, but with revised date for delivery OR delivered late against original target date					
Green	Green Delivered on time					

a) TCS Programme Performance

Programme Performance Areas to Highlight:

Project 1 Enabling Works

ASDA Works

The Asda works has seen progress, with S278 approval granted by Cardiff Council. In relation to infrastructure, the Dwr Cymru Welsh Water (DCWW) water main diversion works were successfully completed on 16th October. Ongoing works include the realignment and resurfacing of the ASDA car park, as well as improvements to the Northern access road through Asda.

Velindre Works

Significant progress has been made with the Velindre enabling works. The construction of the Northern Access Bridge has been completed. Additionally, the restoration of the listed pillar at the entrance to Whitchurch Hospital Grounds is also now complete, preserving the historical significance of the area. The utilities scope is also being addressed, with a focus on electricity and telecoms installations. Furthermore, progress is being made on the installation of 6MVA duct and cable, which is ahead of schedule and set to be completed by April 2024. Telecoms infrastructure, specifically BT Openreach ducting, is being installed towards Longwood Drive as part of the Asda contract.

Communication, Engagement and Site Enhancements

Public and stakeholders' engagement activities continued throughout the reporting period. Monthly public engagement sessions are being held with local residents to address any concerns or queries. In addition, a 'Spooky Jamboree' event was organised on 31st October, providing an opportunity for the community to come together. The Communications Team is actively monitoring Velindre Matters social media channels to stay informed about public sentiment and address any feedback or concerns raised. Regular meetings and visits have also taken place with residents, the office of the Member of the Senedd (MS), and local councillors to ensure open communication and collaboration.

Project 2 nVCC

MIM Procurement – Progress towards Financial Close

Design and Construction Workstream

ACORN has submitted a set of updated Project Co Proposals (PCPs), which have been thoroughly reviewed and commented on by the Authority's technical advisors. Joint review meetings were held to discuss the proposals, resulting in the formal approval of 18 PCPs out of 29 by the Authority, the process continues to complete the remaining PCPs. In addition, related design schedules, such as the derogations list and reviewable design data list, have been developed and are nearing finalisation. The design-related schedules of the Project Agreement, including Authority Change Requests (ACRs), have also been largely completed. However, it is worth noting that the Environmental Matrix, which is part of the design related schedules, is still outstanding and has not yet been completed.

Equipment workstream

The Technical Advisors are currently in the process of reviewing the inputs for Schedule 10, which pertains to the Outline Commissioning Programme of the Equipment Workstream. In parallel, discussions are

underway with the Welsh Government and the Service regarding the commissioning plans for the linear accelerators. The objective of these discussions is to strike a balance between ensuring the achievability of the commissioning plans and maintaining sufficient capacity to meet the demand. This ongoing collaboration aims to optimise the commissioning process and ensure the successful implementation of the linac fleet.

Facility Management

All key schedules pertaining to our maintenance partner for the 25-year concession period were successfully agreed upon, with the exception of one issue regarding the maintenance of gardens within the nVCC building. This matter is currently being addressed and will be resolved in due course.

Full Business Case

The Project has made significant progress in completing the Strategic Case, Economic Case, Finance Case, and Management Case. These cases are near completion and only require minor updates and consistency checking.

Ideas and Hefyd

The 'Spooky Autumn Jambori' event was successful, particularly in engaging with local schools. The project has also collaborated with a Data Science student at Cardiff University to develop a model for the future Imaging Department, which will be presented later this year. Furthermore, proposals for research projects by Cardiff University Medical Students were submitted in September, and students will select their projects in early 2024.

Ongoing work includes establishing a patient and staff experience review of the nVCC project and a review of the project's engagement with the public throughout its duration.

Lessons Learnt Workshop

The PMO recently held a Lessons Learned Workshop focused on key areas of work such as communications, teamwork, and procurement. The insights and reflections from the workshop will be shared once they are collated.

<u>Project 3a Integrated Radiotherapy Solution (IRS) and Project 4 Satellite Radiotherapy</u> <u>Centre (SRU) (a Velindre Futures deliverable)</u>

Work is nearing completion to ensure the alignment of the three different workforce funding streams that cover each phase of the Programme. This work will also provide an opportunity to reconsider the staffing requirements required as a result of changes in time scale, changes in phasing of machine implementation and the plans that are being put in place for the transition to the new Cancer Centre. Work is progressing and resource has been directed to phase 3 requests.

For phase 1 appropriate due diligence and capacity checks are in place to confirm timescales for LA3 (2nd linac in phase 1) are appropriate and deliverable with capacity maintained within an acceptable level. Work is also ongoing with the Finance Team to realign the capital requirements and its phasing and to identify and articulate any risk and shortfall and to be able to provide a clear rationale.

Alignment of the demand profile for linac time and the impact on revenue income is also under review. A contractual review has been undertaken by the new Head of Contract Management which allows us to develop a plan going forward for improved contract management. A presentation to outline the process, to complete a review of contract management in line with the National Audit Office (NAO) good practice contract management framework. As part of the review a list of key improvement actions were agreed to

be taken forward, the review will now be completed on a 6-monthly basis with a tracked maturity rating against the NAO framework.

A high-level overview of Varian's performance levels was presented, which included mitigating actions against each of the issues to ensure downtime is minimised and repeat issues are avoided. Varian also provided reporting on the current status of delivery against committed and community benefits, further development in this area is required, including a review of the agreed benefits following Trust changes to processes or systems, and changes to implementation plans.

The second linac replacement is progressing to time, running concurrently to this work the treatment planning solution is being built for breast patients. The new system workflow that culminates with paperless flow in April remains a key deliverable that is highly dependent on digital deliveries of interfaces from both Varian DHCW. This is being risk managed via the Velindre Futures Programme and reported to the IRS Implementation Board.

<u>Project 5 Outreach</u> (Operational Delivery is a Velindre Futures deliverable)

The Director of Cancer Services will be the SRO for the project and a formal arrangement has to be made to have clear roles and responsibilities regarding the strategic planning and executive engagement with HBs and the responsibility for operational delivery. The project has been split into two phases: Strategic Planning and Operations. Strategic planning has been revisited due to the changes in initial assumptions within treatment, geographical changes, @home and Health Board keenness to meet the gap in capacity.

A review is being undertaken of the initial assumptions against the delivery model, in order to clarify the scope of the Velindre Future Outreach project. This is being supported by a project plan and the establishment of a clear governance structure, to support the regional planning and delivery model. A workshop is scheduled on 24th November with ABUHB to revisit key principles and explore next phase of the work plan.

Project 6 Service Delivery, Transformation & Transition

Transition & Commissioning planning has commenced led by the Director of Transformation. This work will be required (in some detail yet to be agreed with Government) in the Management Case of the FBC.

Some preparatory work has been undertaken with nVCC and the VCS Senior Leadership Team to map out the split of transition responsibilities and commence a review of the necessary transition projects. Additionally, there are regular detailed discussions with ACORN regarding the phasing and Commissioning programme for the initial move into the new nVCC facility. There has been a particular focus on transition costs (including dual running) associated with the linac commission plan during this reporting period.

Following completion of the nVCC Business Case, the move to the next stage of transition planning will be aligned with the Velindre Futures Major Programmes and wider service transformation projects within VCS. The Trust is looking to procure some additional adviser support from non-reoccurring revenue to facilitate a more granular transition plan.

3.5 The Associate Director of Programmes undertakes review of the programme performance against a number of metrics which are set out below.

Area	Status (Trend)	Position	Action	Target Date
Strategic Alignment (Reviewed Quarterly)	Green (↔)	As part of the refresh of the nVCC Full Business Case a review of alignment of local, regional, and national strategies was undertaken. There were no issues identified during horizon scanning. The CCLG is also refreshing its regional governance arrangements and work Programme to ensure a strategically aligned approach across the region (see section d) below).	The quarterly review of strategic alignment was undertaken in Sept 2023 and no material change/reason for misalignment are known. Next review in December 2023. The CCLG regional approach has now been approved by the SEW Programme Portfolio Oversight Group which includes establishing a regional cancer work programme as part of a regional planning approach, along with other specialisms such as orthopaedics, diagnostics, stroke, and ophthalmology. A proposal to start developing the cancer work plan was proposed at a meeting on 4 th Oct. Resources as now being sought.	Dec 2023
Programme Scope (Reviewed Quarterly)	Amber (↔)	The TCS Programme Scope requires reconfirmation following the implementation of the new Trust governance arrangements.	The responsibility to deliver several projects has now transferred to the Velindre Futures. Further work is being undertaken to align reporting arrangements. The refreshed Tranche Review also contains recommendations regarding confirming the ongoing scope of the programme which requires further consideration at a meeting with the CEO and IMs.	Jan 2024
Programme Budget (Reviewed Monthly)	N/K	Finance report not available at time of writing this report but will be submitted to EMB Shape as part of the Transformation section.	N/A	Nov 2023
Governance and Approvals (Reviewed Monthly)	Amber (↔)	The Trust is implementing new governance arrangements which have seen the creation of a SCB and the migration of certain projects to Velindre Futures.	The new governance arrangements were stood up in April 2023 as agreed by EMB. The Terms of Reference were reviewed in Oct 2023 and minor amendments to align with Project Bard were made. However wider discussion regarding the functions under the SCB were required and are planned for December/January. Reporting arrangements alongside Velindre Future as now being refined.	Dec 2023
Progress against Programme Plan (Reviewed Monthly)	Red (个)	The Programme is currently performing to its approved plan for project 4 (now under Velindre Futures), but there is an anticipated delay, building completion and handover of the SRU is now March 2025.	Project Risk activities usually overseen by the TCS Planner and Risk Advisor are now being undertaken by the Project teams.	Regularly monitored

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		The plan has been revised following the delay in the Kier programme and is almost complete, allowing for reporting of timescales as Green. Projects 1 & 2 have experienced a range of risks and issues which have impacted upon the project plan, and Project 2 financial close dates.		
Processes for Managing Risks and Issues (Reviewed Monthly)	Amber (↔)	Programme Risk and Issues are regularly reviewed and have mitigations and owners. There is the consistent use of risk and issue methodologies across the Programme. Given the scale, maturity, and complexity of the Programme the level of risk is relatively stable and commensurate with the activities being undertaken. See more detailed risk and issue review in sections I and J.	The TCS Planner and Risk Advisor has left the Trust as of the end of July. Interim arrangements are in place to ensure continuity of risk reporting; however, these will not extend to the full scope of the TCS Planner and Risk Advisor role within the Programme. Project Risk activities usually overseen by the TCS Planner and Risk Advisor are now being undertaken by the Project teams, where appropriate.	Regularly monitored
Benefits (Reviewed Quarterly in Tranche 2)	Amber (↔)	The Programmes' projects are mainly in the planning and procurement phases and therefore implementation and benefits delivery has not yet commenced but are quantified. One member of the PMO team has recently attended a management of benefits course. The Programme benefits register was reviewed as part of the nVCC Full Business Case development. As with risk and issues above, the disparate nature of the programme means tracking benefits is increasing complex without clear line of sight reporting and a clear scope and mandate of the programme.	Benefits Realisation Plan has been reviewed with no changes.	As per Benefits Realisation Plans within Programme and project business cases

b) External Programme Stakeholder Communication & Engagement

The SE Wales Collaborative Cancer Leadership Group (CCLG)

Cardiff and Vale UHB, Cwm Taf Morgannwg UHB, Aneurin Bevan UHB and Velindre NHS University Trust Chief Executives agreed to align the regional cancer planning agenda (previously undertaken via the CCLG) with the wider regional planning arrangements delivered through the South-East Wales Regional Oversight Board to further optimise regional collaboration.

A regional cancer programme will be developed through the same process adopted by the other regional programmes. This is likely to include a series of collaborative regional workshops to design, develop, articulate, and prioritise the future cancer programme (and the development of an associated regional delivery plan). The first regional workshop will take place on 11th December 2023.

Please see also separate Communication and Engagement paper for a detailed update on comms & engagement activities.

c) Change Controls or Exception Reports in reporting period.

Ref	Change Control(s)	Exception Report(s)	Description
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Programme Benefits Realisation

- 3.1 The programme has a wide range of benefits to deliver. The first phase of the programme has broadly been focused on the planning and procurement phases i.e., clinical model; developing infrastructure (business cases).
- 3.2 The Programme is now transitioning into the implementation phase, and this will allow the anticipated benefits to start to be realised.
- 3.3 A Programme benefits realisation plan is in place which is monitored. The status of benefits across the Programmes' projects can be seen in the Table below and there have been no changes from the previous reporting period:

Programme or Project	Not Required Currently	Deliverables set out in Project Brief	Benefits Quantified with Owner(s)	Benefits Being Delivered
Programme Overall		R	R	Still in planning stage
Project 1 - Enabling Works	R	R	R	In implementation stage
Project 2 - nVCC		R	R	Still in planning stage
Project 3a - IRS		R	R	Early benefits being delivered-new LINAC. Wider benefit plan being developed by Contract Manager
Project 4 - RSC		ABUHB	B	Still in planning stage, being managed by VF & ABUHB
Project 5 - Outreach		R		Still in planning stage, being managed by VF
Project 6 - Service Delivery		R		Still in planning stage
Project 7 - Site Decommissioning	R	R		Still in planning stage

Project Status

4.1 The status of each component part of the Programmes' projects are set out in the table below together with an overall rating.

	Project Director/ Responsi ble	Plan	Budget	Quality	Scope	Project Resource	Overall Status	Proposed Action	Due Date
Project 1 – Enabling Works	David Powell	Amber	Amber	Green	Green	Green	Amber ↔	The Master Project Plan (MPP) has been reset to reflect the OBC Funding Letter conditions and the approved FBC by the Welsh Government. The project team is actively working on an FBC addendum to cover additional costs related to the enabling works project. The Trust Board approved a revised Project structure, which informed the approved FBC.	Nov 2023
Project 2 – nVCC	David Powell	Red	Red	Green	Green	Red	Red ↑	The Master Programme Plan (MPP) is currently being revised as part of a review process. The project is recruiting for key positions and seeking contract extensions for expiring contracts. The resource requirements for the FBC have been refined and recruitment is underway.	Feb 2024
Project 3a – IRS	Cath O'Brien	Green	Green	Green	Amber	Amber	Amber ↔	No update received	No update received
Project 4 – SRU	Cath O'Brien	Amber	Amber	Green	Green	Green	Green ↔	Updates for the RSC Project are also noted in the Velindre Futures Assurance Report. No update received	No update received

Project 5 – Outreach	Cath O'Brien	Updates for the Outreach Project are noted in the Velindre Futures Assurance Report		Project activities commenced with review of clinical assumptions, modelling and workshop set up with ABUHB 24 th November 2023	Project plan being refreshed with key milestone dates to be established
Project 6 – Service Delivery	Andrea Hague	Service change work being taken forward within Velindre Futures and business as usual service developments	Paused: No current rating ↔	Change control approved at March PDB meeting to transfer this project to Velindre Futures Programme. Highlight reporting arrangements to commence from Nov 2023.	Nov 2023
Project 7 – Site Decommissioning	David Powell	To commence 12-18 months prior to opening of nVCC	N/A	N/A	N/A

d) Programme Master Plan and Critical Path

- 5.1 The Programme Master Plan sets out the key activities and milestones across the Projects and Programme allowing for greater understanding of the various dependencies / enablers and is reviewed monthly to ensure ongoing ownership and management of the milestones and dependencies. Considering the delay to nVCC Financial Close and as such delay to approval of the FBC and onward impact of this across the Programme and other Workstreams a thorough review and update of the Programme Master Plan is required. It is expected that this can be undertaken in the next reporting period as updated key dates become clearer as a result of ongoing discussions with WG, Acorn and specialised estates seniors.
- 5.2 The key dependencies on the Programme Master Plan which are currently a focus for priority, risk and issues management are set out in the table overleaf:

Summary of Dependencies & Associated Risks

Key Milestone	Description of Dependency	Linked Risk / Issue ID	Comment	Status (RAG)
Project 1 EW – Asda Construction	Should the Asda Enabling Works not complete on time, the impact would be that the Northern Access would not be available for the nVCC construction and as such could lead to the extension in overall construction time of the nVCC and potential impact on Project and Programme milestones including completion of construction, commissioning of equipment and overall opening date to patients.	R206 / 1063 / R428 / 1092	Access to the nVCC site will now likely be available in time for construction. As a result, the status of this dependency has de-escalated, with the likelihood now rated 'Possible' and the impact 'Moderate'. Both the Water Main diversion works is completed, and the McDonalds layby consent has completed in this reporting period and a result this dependency remains stable.	AMBER ↔

Project 1 EW – Velindre EW Main Contract	There are a number of elements to the Velindre Enabling Works, all of which lead to the site being prepared and accessible for the construction of the nVCC. Should the Velindre Enabling Works not complete on time, the impact would be that the access & facilities would not be available for MiM construction and as such could lead to the extension in overall construction time and potentially ultimate completion and opening of the nVCC and wider Programme activity including the IRS Implementation.	R400 / R403	The Northern Access completion continues to be estimated to be at a 6-month delay from original date, however works are progressing well and on schedule to meet re-casted completion date. In relation to the Northern Access, the likelihood of this scenario has reduced to 'Possible', and the impact remains at 'Moderate'.	AMBER ↔
Project 1/ 2 – Planning Matters	The importance of the Planning matters being resolved for the nVCC Project to progress would mean that if they are not resolved the impact would be felt across the TCS Programme, impacting several dependencies including construction of the nVCC and therefore ultimately the planned opening date and planned workforce, digital and equipment dependencies and deliverables and the IRS implementation. Worst case would see the need for re- design of nVCC scheme leading to major delays and likely cost increases.	R438	The approval of the McDonalds layby planning application has been completed. A new risk has been raised relating to potential planning expirations prior to completion of construction as a result of current delays. Based on the latest status regarding the outstanding Planning matters the likelihood of this dependency scenario would currently remain as 'Possible' and the impact 'Moderate'.	AMBER ↔

3.6 **Programme Risks –** from **5**th **October – 9**th **November 2023.**

6.1 As part of the monthly reporting cycle for the Transforming Cancer Services Programme there is a Risks and Issues Management process that is followed and is set out below. Monitoring and updating of risks and issues is also dealt with on a day-to-day basis with the Risks and Issues Registers being live documents.

Risk / Issue Process	Completed by
Review of Risk Register undertaken by Risk	Completed by
Advisor	Programme
	Support Officer
	whilst Risk Advisor
	role is recruited.
Risks sorted and Risk Owners asked to review and	Ongoing
update by deadline	0
Updated Project Risk Registers received from Risk	
Owners and/or meeting held with Risk Owners and	Completed
Risk Advisor to review and update	
Programme Risk & Issues Register Updated	Completed
Change Log Updated	Completed
Datix Updated	Completed
Data & updates from Projects & Risk Owners analysed and input into PDR where required (also check back with Risk Owners for clarification where required)	Completed
Extract report from Datix for Risk appendices	Completed
Complete manual updates to Risk and Issues	
appendices to ensure requirements and accuracy met for EMB & PSSC	Completed
Check of Risk & Issues appendices to ensure all data is accurate as per reporting period timescale	Completed

6.2 A risk checklist has been developed to ensure that the Risk and Issues Management process is being adhered to and to provide QA for accurate monthly reporting. The checklist can be found in **Appendix B** to this report. 6.3 Of the current live risks, the comparison between the inherent ratings and current ratings below demonstrates that following the implementation of appropriate mitigations and controls the risk landscape of the Programme becomes more moderate, thus demonstrating efficient management of risks across the Projects and Programme.

Inherent \rightarrow	→ Current Ratings						
			Likelihood				
Impact	5. Certain	4. Likely	3. Possible	2. Unlikely	1.Rare		
5. Catastrophic	11 →	-					
4. Major	11 7	5					
3. Moderate		52 -	→ 42				
2. Minor			21 →	30			
1. Insignificant				$0 \rightarrow$	8		

6.4 The changes to risks and issues from across the Projects and Programme in this reporting period are summarised below.

	New	Closed	Escalated	De-escalated	Transferred	Total changed risks / Issues
Risks	0	8	0	2	0	10
Issues	1	0	1	0	0	2

- 6.5 There have been 0 **new** risks with a rating of 15 and above across the programme and projects during this reporting period. However, there has been two risks that have materialised and therefore are classified as issues.
- 6.6 There have been 0 risk with a rating of 15 and above where the risk score has **increased** during this reporting period.
- 6.7 0 risks have been **de-escalated** from a 15 and above during this reporting period.

6.8 8 risks were **closed** during this reporting period:

ID	Description of Risk	Current Rating	Comment
R428	Water Main Diversion There is a risk that the DCWW works to divert the water main could be delayed should unknown additional complexities be discovered as works progress, this would lead to delay to programme and potential increased costs and entrance not available as per Financial Close requirements.	CLOSED	Risk closed due to water main works complete w/c 16th October.
R439	Water Main Diversion Costs There is a risk that the water main cost exceeds the pre- tender estimate leading to further increased costs to resolve the water main diversion.	CLOSED	Risk closed due to water main works complete w/c 16th October.
R395	TCAR 2 - EW and MIM Contractor Usage There is a risk that if the EW and MIM contractors are required to make use of TCAR 2 simultaneously that the volume of traffic may exceed what is allowed by the planning approval, leading to a delay to one or both sets of works.	CLOSED	Risk closed due to WUK works nearing completion.

6.9 All risks which require escalation in accordance with the Trust Risk Management Framework (current rating '15' and above) are also input and updated on the Datix system.

Programme Issues - from 5th October – 9th November 2023.

- 6.10 There has been 1 new 'High' rated issues across the programme during the latest reporting period.
- 6.11 There has been 1 issue that has been escalated to 'high' within this reporting period.
- 6.12 Including the 'high' issues mentioned above there are a further 5 **existing** high issues:
- 6.12 As we are enhancing this report to include risks and issues from the wider scope of the Programme, the following 'high' issues have been included for the first time from Project 3 IRS and Project 4 SRU. The team are progressing to include this information for future reports in a more coherent manner.

6.13 There are 4 'high' rated issues for the Satellite Radiotherapy Unit:

lssue No.	Issue Title	Issue Description	Priority	Status
IL001	Programme Delay	Need to realign VCC internal resources to correspond with Revision F of programme plan issued by KIER incorporative of a 10-week delay in total	High	OPEN
IL002	Ground Floor Layout	Ground floor layout of the SRU does not comply with regulation and requires alteration	High	OPEN
IL003	Linac Bunker Design	Bunker design not fully signed off due to changes to the bunkers required to comply with RPA recommendation such as additional radiation warning lights. Further changes required such as amendment to cupboard sizing and CCTV cameras.	High	OPEN
IL004	Impression Suite's workshop	Lack of future use of mould room area would result in unused space at SRU	High	OPEN

6.15 There is 1 closed 'high' rated issues which still have an outstanding risk, for the Integrated Radiotherapy Solution:

Issue No.	Issue Title	Issue Description	Priority	Status
ILOO3	Resource requirement for workflow workstream	Greater scale and scope of project identified in June 23 due to internal changes since procurement. And underestimated complexity of project. Delay in paper being agreed resulted in delayed recruitment of required staff, this has now been mitigated in that recruitment can commence. Residual risk to workstream still remains and will be managed.	High	Closed (risk remains)

6.16 SRU Issues Register can be seen in **Appendix C** to this report.



j. Programme Look Forward

8.1 The key milestones expected in the upcoming months are:

Milestone	Project	Date	Critical Path			
November 2023						
Restoration of Lady Cory Field with associated path and cycle ways	2	October 2023 November 2023 (Main works completed, planting and benches being placed)	N			
December 2023						
J	anuary 20	23				

4. SUMMARY OF MATTERS FOR CONSIDERATION

4.1 TCS Scrutiny Sub-Committee is asked to **NOTE** the contents of the TCS Programme Director's Report and the **Amber/Red** DCA rating.

5. IMPACT ASSESSMENT

TRUST STRATEGIC GOAL(S)	
Please indicate whether any of the matters outlined in this report impac	t the Trust's
strategic goals:	
YES - Select Relevant Goals below	
If yes - please select all relevant goals:	
 Outstanding for quality, safety, and experience 	\boxtimes
 An internationally renowned provider of exceptional clinical services that always meet, and routinely exceed expectations 	\boxtimes



 A beacon for research, development, and innovation in our stated areas of priority An established 'University' Trust which provides highly valued knowledge for learning for all. A sustainable organisation that plays its part in creating a better future for people across the globe 			
RELATED STRATEGIC RISK - TRUST ASSURANCE	Choose an item All TCS risks 15 and above are escalated on the		
FRAMEWORK (TAF) For more information: STRATEGIC RISK DESCRIPTIONS	Trust risk register		
QUALITY AND SAFETY	Select all relevant domains below		
	Safe ⊠ Timely ⊠ Effective ⊠ Equitable ⊠ Efficient ⊠ Patient Centred ⊠ The implementation of the Trusts Clinical Operating Model as set out in the TCS programme will impact on all of the above metrics.		
SOCIO ECONOMIC DUTY ASSESSMENT COMPLETED: For more information: https://www.gov.wales/socio-economic-duty- overview	Not required[In this section, explain in no more than 3 succinct points why an assessment is not considered applicable or has not been completed].Click or tap here to enter text		



TRUST WELL-BEING GOAL IMPLICATIONS / IMPACT	Choose an item	
	If more than one Well-being Goal applies, please list below:	
	The Trust Well-being goals being impacted by the matters outlined in this report should be clearly indicated	
	If more than one wellbeing goal applies, please list below:	
	Click or tap here to enter text	
FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS / IMPACT	Yes - please Include further detail below, including funding stream	
	The implementation of the TCS Clinical Operating model requires substantial investment in infrastructure to support clinical delivery.	
	This has been broken down into a range o business cases and requires a mixture o Government, Commissioner and Trust Funding Including innovative funding from the Welsh Government Mutual Investment Model.	
	Source of Funding : Other (please explain)	
	Please explain if 'other' source of funding selected:	
	Mutual Investment Model	
	Type of Funding: Revenue	
	Scale of Change Please detail the value of revenue and/or capital impact:	
	Type of Change	



	Major ProgrammePlease explain if 'other' source of funding selected:Click or tap here to enter text	
EQUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT For more information: https://nhswales365.sharepoint.com/sites/VEL_I ntranet/SitePages/E.aspx	Yes - please outline what, if any, actions were taken as a result	
	The TCS Programme has an existing Equality Impact Assessment	
ADDITIONAL LEGAL IMPLICATIONS / IMPACT	Yes (Include further detail below)	
	Click or tap here to enter text	
	There are multiple commercial contracts required to deliver the infrastructure elements of the TCS Programme.	

6. RISKS

Please see programme risk and issues section (h) and (i) for detailed analysis.

ARE THERE RELATED RISK(S) FOR THIS MATTER	Yes - please complete sections below	
WHAT IS THE RISK?	See programme risk and issues sections (h) and (i) for detailed analysis.	
WHAT IS THE CURRENT RISK SCORE	All risks scoring >15 are entered into Datix to meet corporate reporting requirements.	
HOW DO THE RECOMMENDED ACTIONS IN THIS PAPER IMPACT THIS RISK?	See above.	
BY WHEN IS IT EXPECTED THE TARGET RISK LEVEL WILL BE REACHED?	See above	
ARE THERE ANY BARRIERS TO IMPLEMENTATION?	Yes - please detail below	
	Resource, Cost, Time	
All risks must be evidenced and consistent with those recorded in Datix		

Appendix A – Delivery Confidence Assessment

Colour	Criteria Description		
	Successful delivery of the project/programme to time, cost and quality appears highly likely and there are no major outstanding issues that at this stage appear to threaten delivery.		
	Successful delivery appears probable. However, constant attention will be needed to ensure risks do not materialise into major issues threatening delivery.		
	Successful delivery appears feasible but significant issues already exist requiring management attention. These appear resolvable at this stage and, if addressed promptly, should not present a cost/schedule overrun.		
Successful delivery of the project/programme is in doubt with major risks issues apparent in a number of key areas. Urgent action is needed to ensure these are addressed, and establish whether resolution is feasible			
	Successful delivery of the project/programme appears to be unachievable. There are major issues which at this stage do not appear to be manageable or resolvable. The project/ programme may need re- baselining and/or overall viability re-assessed.		

Item	Yes / No (Further Comment)	Checked by:	QA by:
All Risks / Issues have an Owner	Yes	CD	GB
All Risk / Issues Descriptions are clearly written	Yes	CD	GB
All Mitigations / Actions have an Owner	Yes	CD	GB
All Mitigations / Actions are clearly written (SMART)	Yes	CD	GB
All Risks / Issues have been reviewed and updated by Owners	Yes	CD	GB
All Risks / Issues have correct Next Review Date / Next Action Due Date	Yes	CD	GB
All Risks / issues have been correctly recorded as Private & Confidential	Yes	CD	GB

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SRU	Issue Title	Issue Description	Priority	Status	Comments
ILO01	Programme Delay	Need to realign VCC internal resources to correspond with Revision F of programme plan issued by KIER incorporative of a 10 week delay in total	High	OPEN	28/10/23 - PM met with all leads and firmed up a large percentage of the project plan. Awaiting some key information on workforce and commissioning. 06/10/23 - PM working with all Workstream Leads and IRS team to reschedule key activities on the project plan
IL002	Ground Floor Layout	Ground floor layout of the SRU does not comply with regulation and requires alteration	High	OPEN	28/10/23 - KE reviewing final drawings 16/10/23 - Options provided by Kier Architect, VCC decision to progress with design Ib Change control form submitted and workshops help to redesign area.
1L003	Linac Bunker Design	Bunker design not fully signed off due to changes to the bunkers required to comply with RPA recommendation such as additional radiation warning lights. Further changes required such as amendment to cupboard sizing and CCTV cameras.	High	OPEN	28/10/23 - Final drawings received incorporating all design changes requested. KE reviewing Change control form submitted.
IL004	Impression Suite's workshop	Lack of future use of mould room area would result in unused space at SRU	High	OPEN	28/10/23 - KE reviewing final drawings Change control form submitted and workshops held to redesign area
IL005	CCTV & Access Plans	CCTV cameras that are not required have been identified, some need to be removed to minimize number of cameras while still maintaining a safe and secure unit. Access control plans are not reflective of service requirements and require some adjustment.	Medium	OPEN	28/10/23 - KE reviewing final drawings