

**STAFF GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE**

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***REPORT FROM THE AREA PARTNERSHIP FORUM (APF)***

1. Since the last meeting of the Staff Governance Committee on 5 June 2006 the APF has met on two occasions.
  
2. At its meeting on 5 June the following issues were considered:-
  - The overview of the Capital Expenditure Budget for 2006/07
  - The Picture of Health consultation process
  - The workforce considerations associated with the acute Reconfiguration Options Appeal
  - The proposal to create a single management arrangement for all Older People's medical services
  - The new organisational arrangements for AHP's
  
3. At its meeting on 28<sup>th</sup> August the APF considered the following issues;
  - The 2006 Staff Survey results and associated actions
  - The Current Financial position and future projections
  - CHP's - Improving Health & Reducing Inequalities
  - The Picture of Health Approval and Implementation process
  - The 'Transforming Public Services' document

The APF received updates on:-

- The AHP senior appointment process
- The possible relocation of the Corporate HQ
- The National Shared Services project