



JOINT WORKING EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Project Title: Oncology Pharmacy Medicines Optimisation.

Organisations involved:

Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust (GSST) and Roche Products Ltd.

Project description:

Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust (GSST) have approached Roche Products Ltd to work in collaboration under joint working to conduct an operational review of pharmacy services to identify potential areas for service improvement and develop a report to provide insights for balancing capacity and demand in the service.

All results will be published

No clinical safety or patient outcomes associated with Roche medicines will be measured, or treatment choices modified as part of this joint working project.

Phases of the Project

The project is expected to be completed within one year.

Project will focus on the following work streams:

- Mapping of pharmacy operations across the trust
- Time & motion study of pharmacy operations
- Staff feedback on operations and potential efficiency gains
- Develop tool for patient feedback on use of pharmacy services
- Develop metrics to enable quality measures for pharmacy services and staff

Expected outcomes:

Benefits to Patients: Improve access to the service for a greater number of patients.
Improve experience for patients receiving Systemic Anti-Cancer Therapy (SACT).

Benefits to NHS: Improving efficiency in pharmacy systems.
Ensuring capacity demands can be met both now and in the future.

Benefits to Roche: Outputs from the service may be used by Roche to support other NHS organisations to identify oncology pharmacy pressures.
Demonstration by Roche of their commitment to work in partnership with the NHS, to evolve Cancer services.

Resource Breakdown:

GSST will provide time resource and administrative support.

Estimated GSST input: £61,500 aggregated prorated personnel resource contribution

Roche Products Ltd will provide Healthcare Projects Manager resource and a total financial resource of £40,000 which is payable to a third party agency providing project services on its behalf.

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