

Draft Capital Plan 2025/2026 Approved at SMT 14th January 2025															
Division	Division Priority	Category	Scheme Title	Notes/Comments	Business Case Value £	Prior Year Spend £	25/26 Est Cost £	Subtotal £	Approved Bids £	Notes	Option 1		Option 2		
											25/26 Est Cost £	Comments	25/26 Est Cost £	Comments	
Corporate	n/a	E	Refurbishment and Reconfiguration of Carrickfergus Health Centre to Support the Rollout of Multi-Disciplinary Teams and Expansion of Existing Service	SPPG funded - Design in 2024/2025.			719,477								
Corporate	n/a	E	Implementation Of Hospital Parking Charges ACT Northern Social Care Trust	SPPG funded	1,110,669					Review of spend in year ongoing.					
CYP	n/a	E	Seaport View Children's Home - Replacement Flooring	Enhancement of Service - Improve Service User Experience - BLM			TBC								
CYP	n/a	E	Malins Wood -Replacement of Kitchen Furniture	Improve Service User Experience - Broken Cabinetry requires replacement including doors and drawers			TBC			An assessment of residential homes was completed by Scott . Believe these schemes to be either BM or minor works. Inserted here so not to lose sight of them. Ciara providing more info on Spring Meadows. Alternative funding sources to be identified.					
CYP	n/a	E	Barn Court	Interior doors replaced throughout the home. New cabinets and storage in store and laundry room down stairs. Bedroom 8 needs a new ceiling in the bathroom fitted with a new extractor fan due to mould. New patio/bbq to be built			TBC								
CYP	n/a	E	Spring Meadows	Improve Service User Experience What is the proposal/scale?			TBC								
CYP	n/a	E	Malins Wood - External painting and repairs	Improve Service User Experience			TBC								
CYP	n/a	E	Willows Windows and doors	2nd year of scheme	221,000	102,000	119,000			BLM					
MEM	n/a	E	Baxter Renal Plant Replacement	Replacement of the water purification plant Antrim Renal Unit 25/26			300,000			BLM					
				Dialysis Machines noted in the Equipment Replacement Programme											
Corporate/MHLCW	n/a	E	The Beeches	Building in Ballyclare requiring significant work. Backlog Maintenance Scheme						Some elements can be taken forward via BLM . Value to be quantified.					
Corporate/MHLCW	n/a	E	Mid Ulster Fire Evacuation Staircase	Corporate Bid - possible Backlog Maintenance Scheme						BLM					
SCS	n/a	E	Replacement of Mid Ulster Theatres ventilation and Air Handling Unit to include temperature control plus minor refurbishment recovery	Backlog Maintenance Scheme	729,273					BLM					
				For noting: SPPG Funded or BLM			1,138,477								
MHLCW	n/a	E	Fit for Purpose Accommodation for the Carrickfergus Community Mental Health Team (Carrick CMHT)	Design in 2024/25. The Business Case was originally approved on 29th August 2024 and agreed to design in 2024/25 to assist with the over commitment in General Capital.	1,415,600	135,000	1,280,600				1,280,600		1,280,600		
Corporate/Community	n/a	V	Vehicles	£302k vehicles ordered in 2024/25 , likely to be receipted in 2024/25. This will therefore reduce the 2025/26 commitment. Was being held to manage the Encompass Gap £86k Vehicle for Rathlin to be ordered using 2025/26 Job Code.			388,000				388,000		388,000		
PWSCS	n/a	E	Cookstown Timent Rm	Design in 2023/24 to refurbish the treatment room in Cookstown Health Centre. The Business Case was originally approved on 23th November 2023 to complete in 2024/25. However, there has been a delay due to decant issued and additional funding required.	592,070	415,239	209,567			£123k slippage into 2025/26 + additional £86k required BC being presented at March Trust Board	209,567		209,567		
				Committed Subtotal				1,878,167		£2,128m	1,878,167		1,878,167		
Corporate/Community	n/a	E	Installation and replacement of lifts in service users home environments	Annual Allocation			500,000			In 2024/25 £500k allocated in two phases July & Aug.	500,000		500,000		
Corporate/Community	n/a	NC	Provision of Wheelchairs (access of £5k each)	Annual Allocation			73,500			£50k initial allocation - service requires £88k in 2024/25 year	50,000		50,000		
Corporate/Vehicles	n/a	NC	Vehicles	Annual Allocation			200,000				200,000		100,000		
Corporate/Medical Devices	n/a	MD	Scopes Replacement Programme	Service is requesting an annual allocation for a replacement programme			250,000			£500k approved in draft 2024/25 plan. £250k allocated due to pressures	250,000		250,000		
Corporate	n/a	E	Car Parking at Causeway Hospital	100-120 New Car Parking Spaces at Causeway Hospital			450,000				450,000		250,000	Smaller car park possibly 50-60 spaces	
Corporate/CYP	n/a	NC	Purchase of Rainbow Lodge/Edenview	Originally the lease option was being pursued for the property. Following financial assessment it was agreed that purchase was the best vfm option.			350,000				350,000	Investigating potential to bid for separate funding from DoH - lease not proceeding	350,000	Investigating potential to bid for separate funding from DoH - lease not proceeding	
Corporate	n/a	NC	Contingency	Annual Allocation increased £100k in 2024/25. Not sufficient to manage pressures as they present throughout the year.			250,000				250,000		250,000		
				Annual Allocation Subtotal				2,873,500	0		2,050,000		1,750,000		
Medical Devices	n/a	MD	Medical Devices Committee to allocate	List of Medical Devices requiring replacement. All bids have been scored and the list continues to be added to.			750,000			Initial funding 2024/25 £450k. Separate MD Rolling Replacement Programme Submitted. Updated version due 17.01.2025	750,000		750,000		
				Medical Devices Sub Total				750,000	0		750,000		750,000		
SPPI & ICT	1	ICT	Development and expansion of Trust systems- Replaces Patient Flow	To progress change requests to existing functionality as and when required to support Business as Usual for Acute and Community Services. These changes will enhance patient care and improve patient flow throughout Acute and Community Hospitals.			249,995			Normally issued in 2 phases	249,995		0	Look to alternative sources. Potentially discussion with S Lennon re NRR	
SPPI & ICT	1	ICT	Replace AAH VDI Storage Layer	Replace end of life virtual desktop storage area network in the AAH data centre			250,000								
SPPI & ICT	3	ICT	Replace AAH VDI top of rack iSCSI switches	Replace end of life top of rack storage switches virtual desktop storage area network in the AAH data centre			85,000								
SPPI & ICT	4	ICT	Replace AAH VDI processing chassis 1 and virtual server hosts	Replace end of life VDI processing chassis 1 and virtual server hosts in the AAH data centre			120,000								
SPPI & ICT	5	ICT	Increase AAH storage capacity on server backup infrastructure	Increase storage capacity on the backup and restore infrastructure			45,000								
SPPI & ICT	6	ICT	Replace physical application servers	Replace end of life physical server infrastructure on which critical line of systems run			100,000								
SPPI & ICT	7	ICT	Replace CAU virtual server top of rack switches	Replace end of life top of rack storage switches for virtual servers in the CAU data centre			45,000								
SPPI & ICT	8	ICT	EUD devices to support service new staff and new ways of working	Required by the service to support requests from the service for devices to support their service role			250,000			This bid is the only scheme that will not be funded by ICT Tranches	250,000		125,000		
SPPI & ICT	9	ICT	Replacement of data centre core network routers	Replacement of end of life data centre core network routers			250,000								
SPPI & ICT	10	ICT	Uninterruptable power supply annual end of life refresh	Annual replacement of end of life UPS infrastructure that provides protection for key network switches			50,000								
SPPI & ICT	11	ICT	Replace end of life network switches	Replace end of life network switches			250,000								
SPPI & ICT	12	ICT	Replacement of network and security monitoring infrastructure	Replacement of end of life network and monitoring infrastructure			100,000								
SPPI & ICT	13	ICT	Replacement of end of life EUD client computing devices	Replace end of life client computing devices to reduce the risk of device failure and performance issues			500,000								
SPPI & ICT	14	ICT	Printer refresh and rationalisation	Replace end of life printer devices and rationalise within printer approach			50,000								
SPPI & ICT	15	ICT	Replace CAU VDI Storage Layer	Replace end of life virtual desktop storage area network in the CAU data centre			250,000								
SPPI & ICT	16	ICT	Replace CAU VDI top of rack iSCSI switches	Replace end of life top of rack storage switches virtual desktop storage area network in the CAU data centre			85,000								
SPPI & ICT	17	ICT	Replace CAU VDI processing chassis 1 and virtual server hosts	Replace end of life VDI processing chassis 1 and virtual server hosts in the CAU data centre			120,000								
SPPI & ICT	18	ICT	Expansion of Wi-Fi coverage within community locations	Expansion and upgrade of the WiFi network across Trust community sites to support service new ways of working that have accelerated recently.			50,000								
SPPI & ICT	19	ICT	Uninterruptable power supply for BCA PCs	Provide small smoothing UPS for each encompass business continuity PC to support continuation of service during the generator tests			40,000								
				SDBS Subtotal				2,889,995	0		499,995		125000		
CYP	1	E	Malins Wood	MCW REF: 1003859. The doors at Malins have been identified for replacement to anti-barricade doors as they are posing a threat to the safety of service users. There have been recent incidents of children barricading themselves in rooms and threatening self harm. 7 doors have been identified for replacement to include: 3 young peoples bedrooms, 2 living rooms, 1 young peoples bathroom and 1 downstairs toilet			30,000				30,000		30,000		
CYP	2	E	The Rowan - External storage solution	Enhancement of Service - The room currently used for storage is required for interviews. Storage Unit required to be placed outside to hold equipment, accessories etc. No utilities required just lockable. Cost was provided earlier this year so will need reviewed			20,000			Consider alternative options to meet the requirements.	20,000		0		
CYP	3	E	Malins Wood -Repurpose of 2x unused dwellings	Refurbishment of 2 outer dwellings on property - currently boarded up but to be redeveloped for outdoor space/activity rooms/sensory space. Service is trying to obtain high level cost estimate.			TBC								
				CYP Subtotal				50,000	0		50,000		30,000		
PWSCS	1		Reconfiguration of the Children's Ward in CAU to accommodate a 5th Consultant - this work is vital to the service	Convert Seminar Room into an office plus change existing Dis WC into Domestic Store and covert existing store into am office			19,500			Added 11 Dec. Top Priority. Alternative funding sources to be identified.	19,500		19,500		
PWSCS	2	E	Renovations to several rooms within Braid Valley Hospital's South Wing to ensure PHN can occupy the premises.	Renovations are required at Braid Valley Hospitals South Wing to accommodate PHN staff, who will relocate once these works are complete from BHC. The main issue is addressing the dampness in rooms 138 A and B, which is suspected to originate from the roof, and as such BLM and upgrading rooms 133,133b and 134 for functional use. A secure area for confidential files is required, requiring a lockable door outside of room 135A. The renovations wouldn't have any impact on PHN staff as they are not currently located within BVH SW.			50,000			All PWSCS costs are high level most provided for 2024/25 bids. Alternative funding sources to be identified.	50,000				

SCS	SCS		3			Works to the Mortuary	Total refit of the Antrim site Mortuary to include full replacement program of the body refrigeration units and the development of a viewing area for the deceased. To meet Human Tissue Authority Recommendations. Renovation works will involve: replacement of old and functionally declining body storage chillers (4 chambers / 12 bodies). Completed under phase 1. A further 8 body standard body storage chillers will be installed increasing standard body storage to 18; this will assist with infant and baby segregation. Completed under phase 2. The bariatric storage will be repositioned and increased capacity from 2 to 4. This will also allow for installation of a family/close one viewing room. Completed under phase 3. The total project will also require the following: CCTV installation, Car Park Barrier replacement, Ventilation (TBC), Salto entry, and soft furnishing (soft lighting), infant table, and side table.				500,000												
	SCS		4			Antrim Theatres Refurbishment Phase 3	Design in year 2023/24 (£20K) Continuation of scheme to completion in 2024/25. The purpose of the Business Case is to secure funding to upgrade three distinct areas of Antrim Theatres. These are: 1. Staff accommodation (rooms 30, 33, 35, 36 and 38) for staff training, offices, communication hub (with computer access, pagon holes and wall mounted monitors to run live anaesthetic rota and key nursing dashboard information) and rest areas (tea room/kitchen). 2. Main Reception, Staff Changing Area and Theatre Manager's Office Upgrade Works to include upgrade of room 52, equipment storage area, electrical sockets and ICT points and replacement of patient whiteboards with ICT enabled electronic displays and upgrade staff changing area to improve security through installation of Salto lock system and upgrade handwashing facilities to comply with infection control standards. 3. Recovery Area Patient privacy screens to be installed at each of the eight bed spaces in recovery ward to maintain patient dignity and installation of ICT enabled Key Performance Indicator monitoring screens and double doors				544,000												
	SCS		5			Scopes Replacement Programme	Replacement programme for Endoscopes in NHSCT - cost per year exceed MDCSG budget here has never been a rolling replacement plan in place for endoscopy scopes, due to this there is a significant number that require replacement. The scopes identified for replacement are aged between 9 and 15 years. There is insufficient funding available within medical devices and capital scrutiny budget. The current scopes are lower spec resulting in poorer image quality compared to newer models. 221 scope repairs have been undertaken in the past three years impacting the number of scopes available at any given time.				2,130,829												
	SCS		6			Office accommodation for Radiology Staff	Reconfiguration of Radiology offices, CAU New Radiology office and MUH X-Ray Reconfiguration of office space This small investment enhances the existing environments to enhance utilisation of the existing office accommodation.				60,000												
	SCS		7			CMP	Cellular and Molecular Pathology This scheme started to progress in 2023/24. BSO regional tender for equipment delayed the scheme. Contract under discussion. Estates were unsure if they scheme can commence 2023/24. Design only expenditure £50K anticipated. Estates works costed as £270K. Gillian Stewart to lead for Labs. Regional funding being sought for equipment.				270,000												
	SCS		8			Upgrade Category 3 Room Microbiology	Need a plan to replace the current CAT 3 room with a new room that is line with the guidelines. A room validation report has highlighted issues with negative pressure in the room, alterations are required to fully meet Advisory Committee on Dangerous Pathogens (ACDP) Standards Management and operation of microbiological containment laboratories.				500,000												
	SCS		9			Redesign of the current footprint within Causeway ICU	The area needs redesigned to provide additional isolation facilities and prevent unnecessary non clinical patient transfers. The existing footprint of one side room and a main bay does not support IPC guidelines following the Covid-19 pandemic. The existing footprint is no longer fit for purpose and poses daily operational challenges to have patients cared for in the correct area which often leads to non clinical patient transfer to other critical care units. mcw ref 1002016 here is now the need to have three separate zones to be able to support the care of patients with unknown infection status, patients with known Covid-19 and patients who are confirmed as non infectious. Current arrangements do not comply with Health Building note 04-02 Critical Care Units & Health building note 00-01and does not comply with the guidelines for the provision of intensive care services June 2019 (GPICS).				250,000												
	SCS		10			Whiteabbey Day Surgery Refurbishment	A space for preassessment/anaesthetic room to allow ECT to be moved out of the theatre to this area (£417K) Following the Covid-19 pandemic there was an increase in referral rates and subsequent increase of use of Whiteabbey Hospital. This has resulted in challenges for the Trust's healthcare provision due to restricted capacity for delivery of medical treatments to patients. This is a vacant ward within a busy hospital site has spatial capacity to optimise patient care through 'centralised' service provision and would reintroducing this vacant ward into operational use. This scheme support Service Improvement on the Antrim Site.				417,000												
	SCS		11			Installation of piped oxygen into US-Room 10 (large ultrasound room) Antrim Hospital	WR No.1001374				26,404												
							SCS Subtotal				5,295,670		0						597,438	Potentially	597,438	Design only in year	
	MEM	MEM		1	E		Renal Build Antrim Hospital	Create capacity for delivery of services including transplant, Low Clearance, and create a space where patients can be educated by specialist nurses regarding peritoneal dialysis, to empower patients living with long term conditions.				570,000											
MEM			2	E		Respiratory Room Antrim Hospital Upgrade	Conversion of current annex to create a respiratory procedure room for patient pleural procedures. Current room will need painted, improved lighting, pipes removed, shelving removed, ventilation in room. Cost is a high level estimate.				20,000								20,000				
MEM			3	E		Direct Assessment Unit Upgrade Antrim Hospital	Knock the waiting room into the adjacent room to expand the waiting room due to growth in numbers for DAU																
MEM			4	E		Modernise the shower facilities in Medical 1, MAU and CCU Causeway Hospital	The specific needs for individual wards (Three showers Medical 1 and the Medical Assessment Unit (MAU) and one shower in the Coronary Care Unit) were assessed through engagement with clinical teams and documented. The analysis identifies that the showers need to be replaced in order to comply with Regulation and Quality Improvement Authority (RQIA) recommendations.				25,000												
							MEM Subtotal				615,000		-						590,000		100000		
MHLDCW	MHLDCW		1	E		Antrim Adult Centre Mobile/Modular Annex	There are a number of complex transition clients due to move from children's services and there is no capacity to take these individuals into the main base. It is also not a suitable environment as their assessed need would indicate a low stimulus environment with dedicated support would best meet their needs.				TBC								200,000		200,000		
	MHLDCW		2	E		Lamont House	To complete works to the building to bring up to standard on heating, access, electrical and fire works as well as implement works for service specific adaptations to improve patient and staff access Costs based on estimates from Oct 23 - phased approach to this scheme and agreement on split between service specific capital requests and Estate capital to be confirmed. Ground Floor - £1.062m First Floor - £644k Second Floor - £972k				2,498,000								Strategy to be developed for this building		Strategy to be developed for this building		
	MHLDCW		3	E		Mental Health automated Medicines Management	To allow for efficient safe and secure management of complex medication pathways and automating and digitising medication administration and ward stock management. The Omnicell automated medications systems provides an electronic process for ordering and documenting medicine administration to patients. It can interface with JAC system. This will free up nursing time to directly interact with patients and will start the process of new ways of working in advance of move to Birchill. Could phase this project over two years - £281k (purchase of cabinets for the wards) and £208k (purchase the blister pack administration for clozapine)				496,000												
	MHLDCW		4	E		Oakview House	Refurb work that would be excess of MW funding to make the building more sustainable, energy efficient and met the NICOMHS accreditations standards for provision of CMHT services.				TBC												
						MHLDCW Subtotal				2,994,000									200,000		200,000		

Infrastructure	Infrastructure	1	E	Conversion of vacant boiler house to create centralised Estates office accommodation and workshops	The current Estates workshops are not large enough to facilitate the equipment required for Estates staff to safely carry out their work. Currently Estates staff in the Southern Sector (BAWL) are spread out across multiple sites leading to increased revenue costs. This project would facilitate staff from other sites to co-locate and increase efficiency (this will be required if Holywell is to decant or if the Newtownabbey HCC project proceeds). In carrying out this project the Trust will be utilising a currently vacant asset in line with Doh directives and recommendations from the GIRFT report. In doing so this will also free up space currently used by Estates on the Braid Valley site and enable other services to avail of it (potential to reduce lease spend in Ballymena area). Phase 1 (£500k) to include design and structural works. Phase 2 (£500k) to include fit out of offices and workshops.			500,000		Spent to date £986k. A further £1m to realise the scheme	500,000			
		2	E	Estates Compactor	Requested on 28th March 2023 and listed as a pressure. However not funded due to Capital Pressures. The aging compactor is over 30 years old and becoming less efficient and vermin are able to nest under the equipment. A 2nd compactor is required to replace 2 skips with a revenue savings of £21k per annum, there is also a vermin issue with the skips.				48,047		48,047		48,047	
									500,000			548,047		0
Finance	Finance	1	E	Air Conditioning Unit	Replacement of the current air conditioning unit in Greenmount House			40,000		Alternative funding sources to be investigated	40,000		40,000	
	Finance	2	E	Additional Car Park Spaces at Greenmount House	Purchase of land to the front side of Greenmount House, and conversion to 40 additional car park spaces			200,000			200,000			
									240,000	-	240,000		40,000	
21,438,072										-	Bids in 2024/25 totalled £18m			
											Grand Total	7,743,147	5,710,105	