

Trust Board Briefing Paper	
Reference Number:	TB159/7/B
Date of Meeting:	22 August 2024
Presenting Director:	Neil Martin, Divisional Director of Strategic Planning, Performance and ICT
Subject:	Section 75 (S75) Annual Progress Report
Purpose: Approval/Noting	Trust Board is asked to consider the Progress Report for approval and Equality Newsletter to be noted for information.
Background:	The Northern Health and Social Care Trust must report annually on its implementation of Section 75 of the Northern Ireland Act and related commitments as detailed in its Equality Scheme and Disability Action Plan.
S75 Annual Progress Report The 2023/24 Annual Progress Report details the Trust's outcomes in relation to the implementation of Section 75 and Disability Duties. Trust Board members should note that the Annual Progress Report has been completed using a template as required by the Equality Commission. The eleventh edition of Equality News is also attached. This provides a more user friendly description of our equality related activity during the year and will be disseminated to consultees and staff.	
Papers Attached 2023/24 Section 75 Annual Progress Report Equality News	