



## **Advisory Board actions and key messages 23 April 2025**

This note summarises the key information for sharing and actions for members arising from the 23 April 2025 Advisory Board. It is intended as an aide memoire for members and Advisory Board representatives, for onward distribution within your organisations as appropriate.

### **Chair and CEO update**

Our Chair, Professor Reecha Sofat, thanked Lorraine Foley for her drive and ambition during her years as CEO after announcing she has stepped down.

Lorraine said a few words about her time at PRSB. She emphasized the progress that has been made and reinforced that she hopes the good work continues. She thanks our Members and the PRSB team.

Reecha then introduced Oliver Lake as our new (transition) CEO. Oliver spoke about his appreciation for Lorraine's commitment to PRSB. He also touched on his optimism for the future, even in challenging times.

### **Work programme update**

PRSB had made positive progress on the Common Data Model projects, the initial consultation is beginning with expert reference groups.

There are further updates about the work programme in the table at the end of this document.

### **Common Data Model**

Sarah Jackson from PRSB gave an update on the Common Data Model (CDM) project, covering:

- What CDM aims to achieve
- The purpose of PRSB's consultation
- PRSB consultation methods (survey, expert reference group and webinar)
- The two components covered at the moment, theatre scheduling/productivity and equipment and devices
- The proposed timescales

Get in touch at [info@theprsb.org](mailto:info@theprsb.org) if you have any questions about the CDM project.

### **Standards Partnership Scheme for software suppliers**

There are eleven assessments currently in progress.

### **Developing PRSB**

We hosted an interactive session, helping map priorities for PRSB, enabled by understanding challenges facing our members. The results will be attached to the follow-up email.

- What are the current challenges your organisation faces around capturing or recording and using clinical data? How can PRSB add value/assist with this?
- Are there specific areas where high quality clinical data would lend itself to better records and care?
- In terms of promoting the recording of high-quality data, which topics would have the most impact for your organisation?
- What challenges does your organization face in becoming AI-ready?
- How do record standards support productivity and efficiency?

We need your support in ensuring PRSB develops and prioritises in ways which help our members with their challenges. Please send any further comments to [info@theprsb.org](mailto:info@theprsb.org).

**Please save the date in your calendar for the remaining Advisory Board meeting: 16 July 2025.**

### Published standards

Information on current published PRSB standards can be found on the PRSB website at [www.theprsb.org/standards](http://www.theprsb.org/standards)

### In development

Below are the standards and guidance in development. Please get in touch if you would like to be involved [info@theprsb.org](mailto:info@theprsb.org).

#### Obstetric Anaesthesia minimum dataset (Obstetric Anaesthetic Association)

*Development of minimum dataset to standardise obstetric anaesthesia records, enabling improved care and audit. We will be consulting with relevant professionals during the Spring.*

#### NHS Health Check (Department of Health and Social Care - CISS)

*Development of an information standard for Physical Health checks.*

#### Diabetes Implementation (NHS England)

*Support for technical implementation and piloting of diabetes standards plus an implementation toolkit and templates and preparation for upcoming commission on Continuous Glucose Monitoring profile*

#### Common Data Model (NHS England)

Assessment of PRSB + other standards against proposed CDM and engagement with stakeholders on proposed model

#### Epilepsy standard (RCPCH)

Development of standard and implementation following RCPCH funded initial work (now published on our website).

#### Data (Use and Access) Bill – DCF discovery

Assessment of standards required by the DCF framework and report to NHS England

#### London Ambulance Service – review of Case Summary and compliance with standards

Review of Cleric ePCR's Case Summary which is sent to hospitals against compliance to most appropriate PRSB Standard (e.g. Ambulance handover to emergency care standard) to understand compliance and potential remediation required.

#### Person Characteristics Discovery (NHS England)

*Consultation on proposed person characteristics and endorsement from professional bodies*

#### HIQA – Ireland

*Training and development for new HIQA standards team learning from PRSB's experience*

### On the horizon

New standard developments being started or planned in the next quarter. Please get in touch if you would like to be involved [info@theprsb.org](mailto:info@theprsb.org).

#### Digitising the Mental Health Act – Standard Development

Development of standard following Discovery in 2024

#### Epilepsy Standard Development

Completion of the Epilepsy Standard and application for an ISN

#### Diabetes – Hybrid Closed Loop

Splitting of diabetes standard for HCL providers, refinement of standard and implementation support (2 year programme)

#### Implementation support:

- Snomed CT for Person Characteristics (NHS England) - Procurement