



I am an ordinary Member and have been for more than 10 years, I have attended these meetings very regularly over this period.

The North West Anglia NHS Foundation Trust - Is our NHS provider for everything within our area, it is funded by £1.4 Billion. Only Cllr Wayne Fitzgerald (Peterborough leader elect) and I were present from all the Councils within Cambridgeshire.

I had sent a question before the meeting which I'll cover later.

The main topics covered were: -

Focus on Covid Recovery.

Redevelopment Plans for Hinchingsbrooke Hospital.

111 Calls significantly increased.

Overall demands on NHS Services other than Covid up in numbers.

Moving of the Minor Injury Unit with take place to PDH main site from 30/06/21

Priority of Infection Control.

Plan in place in case of upsurge of Indian Variant Covid.

Recovery of all services a priority.

Budget – There was a £6 Million deficit in the 6 month period but this had largely been written off by the Government, the costs of PPE is being presently funded by Government.

Mortality figures for Cambridgeshire were higher than national average.

Personal injury claims had increased.

My question to the board and CEO was, 'What is the waiting times for routine operations, for example knee joint replacement and other orthopaedic operations.

The answer given ! was somewhat deflected by the statement that priorities for urgent and life threatening operations came first.

However the CEO had released these figures...

The North West Anglia NHS Foundation Trust (NWAFT) has a waiting list of **33,319** as of February 2021, NHS statistics have revealed.

Around **3430** people have been waiting for more than a year to be treated across the trust's three sites - Hinchingsbrooke, Peterborough City and Stamford.

However, **64.5** per cent of patients have started treatment within **18** weeks of referral to one of the hospital's - which currently sits in line with the national average.

There were only 3 questions submitted by the public.