

## Board of Directors (in Public)

### Item 6.1.6a

**Subject:** Strategic Research & Innovation Committee BAF Key Issues Report  
**Date of Meeting:** 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2025  
**Presented by:** Manoj Kuduvalli, Medical Director and Strategic R&I Committee Chair  
**Meeting Held:** 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2025 (E-Meeting)

This report sets out the key assurances, risks and actions from the recent Committee meeting. Areas for escalation to the Board of Directors are included below as required.

Agenda Item	Lead Exec	Assurance Received	New/ Emerging Risks	Actions/Comments
Research Strategy Update	JW	Update provided on the research strategy written for the Liverpool University Hospital Group.	None	Work ongoing with the governance structure as LHCH move into the Liverpool Group.
Research SOF	JW/SP	Overview provided of the Research SOF.	Non-commercial recruitment below target.	-
Ongoing and Planned Research Projects Report	JW/SP	Update provided on planned and ongoing research.	None	-
Research Finance Report	JW	Overview provided of the research finance report.  There is an underachievement of £102k which is offset by a movement from deferred accounts.	None	-
Partnership Working and update from partners (including LAASP update)	All	Update provided from partner organisations.  LAASP update also provided. There will be a group operating model for research and singles strategy across the group.	None	-

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Research News & Key successes	All	Colleagues have the opportunity to update the Committee on any recent research news and key successes.	None	-