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Summary

This report provides Members with an overview of activity undertaken within the last reporting period, since your Performance and Resources Management Committee held on the 16th October 2020, in response to reports published by HMICFRS. An overview of the inspection programme is detailed in this report and progress against both existing and new recommendations received is provided for Members' information in Appendix A.

Reports published

No new reports have been published in the last period.

Inspections undertaken since last report

No new inspections have taken place.

Inspections Due

HMICFRS are conducting an inspection "The policing response to COVID-19". City of London Police is not being visited but has made documentary submissions to HMICFRS as requested.

Reports Due for Publication

No new force level reports are due.

HMICFRS Recommendations Overview

This report details progress against the recommendations from all live inspection action plans, summarised in the table below and detailed fully within Appendix A. There are currently 23 outstanding recommendations.

There are 2 new greens to report, demonstrating progress since your October 2020 Performance and Resources Management Committee.

HMICFRS Report title	Number of open recommendations/areas for improvement and status			
	Previous report to your Performance and Resources committee [October 2020]		Current report to your committee	
	National report	Force report	National report	Force report
<u>New Reports</u>				
No new reports have been published.				
<u>Previous Reports</u>				

	National report	Force report	National report	Force report
Roads Policing – Not Optional	2 NEW GREEN 6 AMBER 1 CLOSED		1 NEW GREEN 5 AMBER	
Child Protection – City of London Police		4 NEW GREEN 1 AMBER 1 RED		1 NEW GREEN 1 AMBER
National Child Protection Inspections: 2019	2 AMBER		2 AMBER	
Cyber: Keep the light on	1 NEW GREEN 1 AMBER 1 WHITE [since the force has become NPCC lead]		1 WHITE [Home Office lead] 1 WHITE [for the force]	
Shining a light on betrayal: Abuse of position for a sexual purpose	1 AMBER		1 AMBER	
Crime Data Integrity inspection 2019		1 AMBER 1 RED		2 AMBER
The Poor Relation - The police and CPS response to crimes against older people	1 NEW GREEN 1 AMBER		1 AMBER	
PEEL 2018/2019		1 NEW GREEN 2 AMBER		2 AMBER

Fraud: Time to Choose		1 AMBER		1 AMBER
Report on an unannounced inspection visit to police custody suites – City of London Police		5 NEW GREEN 3 AMBER		3 AMBER
Policing and Mental Health - Picking Up the Pieces	1 WHITE		1 WHITE	
Understanding the difference: the initial police response to hate crime	1 WHITE		1 AMBER	
PEEL: Police Effectiveness 2017 – National	1 WHITE		1 WHITE	
Recommendation Summary	Previous report to your Performance and Resources committee [October 2020]		Current report to your committee	
	National report	Force report	National report	Force report
New reports	1	1	0	0
New Green	2	4	0	0
Amber	6	1	0	0
Red	0	1	0	0
White	0	0	0	0
Closed	1	0	0	0
Sub-total – New Reports	9	6	0	0
Previous reports				
NEW Green	8	6	1	1
Amber	5	7	10	9
Red	0	1	0	0
White	4	0	4	0
Closed [action not for force]	0	0	0	0
Sub- Total – Previous Reports	17	14	15	10
Total Prior Report Amber/Red/White Recommendations	15	10	14	9
	25		23	

Recommendation

Members are asked to receive and note the contents of this report.

Main Report

Background

1. This report provides Members with an overview of the City of London Police response to HM Inspectorate of Constabulary and Fire & Rescue Services (HMICFRS) continuing programme of inspections and published reports. Since the last report to your Performance and Resources Management Committee on the 16th October 2020 there have been no new reports published by HMICFRS for the Force to consider. Progress with existing recommendations as well as detail of the current inspection programme is provided below for reference.

Current Position

New Reports

2. None. Action plan progress is reported in Appendix A.

Inspections undertaken since the last report

3. No new inspections have taken place.

Inspections Due

4. HMICFRS are progressing their inspection “The policing response to COVID-19”. Since the documentary submissions by the Force no further contact is anticipated; the Force has been risk assessed out for any further work.

HMICFRS anticipate sharing early findings with forces ahead of a published report in early 2021, although the date has not been given.

Reports Due

5. No new force level reports are due.

Current status of HMICFRS Recommendations

6. A total of 13 HMICFRS reports have been managed by the Force during the last reporting period.
7. The current status of recommendations is summarised in the table below with full details contained in Appendix A. HMICFRS have not set deadlines for many of these recommendations, so the Force has set itself some challenging targets to drive forward and deliver improvements.
8. There are currently 23 outstanding recommendations [14 national and 9 force].
9. There are 2 new greens to report [1 national and 1 force].

Current Status of HMIC Recommendations Summary

Recommendation Summary	Previous report to your Performance and Resources committee October 2020]	Current report to your Board
NEW Green	20	2
Amber	19	19
Red	2	0
White	4	4
Closed	1	0
Total Amber/Red/White Recommendations	25	23

NB: Definitions of the RAGW assessments are set out at the beginning of the Appendix.

Conclusion

10. The Force continues to make progress with implementation of HMICFRS recommendations and areas for improvement, which contributes to business improvement across the organisation.

11. Members are asked to note the report.

Appendix A: Full list of HMIC Recommendations currently being implemented within Force.

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