

Meet our Executive Team

Chief Executive Officer
Richard Beeken
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Chief Medical Officer
David Carruthers
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- Professional lead for medical staff
- Joint lead (with CNO) for quality strategy
- Research & Development
- Learning from deaths
- Caldicott Guardian



Chief Nursing Officer
Melanie Roberts
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- Professional lead for nursing, midwifery and AHPs
- Joint lead for quality (with CMO), safety and patient experience
- Safeguarding and mental health
- Infection prevention and control



Chief Operating Officer
Liam Kennedy
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- Responsible for safe delivery of all hospital clinical services
- Emergency planning and preparedness
- Service improvement lead
- Board lead for IT



Chief Finance Officer
Dinah McLannahan
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- Financial governance and strategy
- Business planning
- Finance management service
- Contracting and procurement
- External audit
- Executive speak up lead



Chief Development Officer
Rachel Barlow
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- Delivery of the Midland Metropolitan University Hospital programme
- Estates lead
- Lead for anchor institution and regeneration



Chief People Officer
Frieza Mahmood
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- Workforce strategy and planning
- HR operations
- Equality, diversity and inclusion
- Workforce engagement lead
- Staff health and wellbeing
- Organisation development
- Leadership development



Executive Director of Communications
Ruth Wilkin
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- Internal and external communications, engagement and stakeholder relations
- Trust Charity lead
- Volunteer Service



Chief Governance Officer
Kam Dhami
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- Assurance to the Board and CQC
- Risk appetite and management
- Learning from excellence and error
- Delivering the well-led framework
- System wide effective governance
- Senior Information Risk Owner



Chief Strategy Officer
Dave Baker
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- Corporate strategy and innovation
- Performance and insight
- Continuous Quality Improvement
- Lead for system provider collaboration



Executive Director of IT and Digital
Martin Sadler
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- Accountable for the IT in the Trust, including connectivity, hardware and software
- Improvement of Trust digital tools and skills.
- Medical Engineering



Chief Integration Officer
Daren Fradgley
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- Place-based partnerships
- Responsible for safe delivery of all out of hospital clinical services
- Public health and inequalities

