

Foundation Trust status – the holy grail?

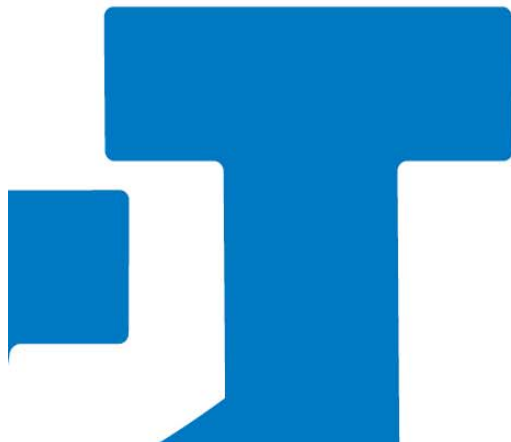
Getting here from there

**Birmingham Heartlands Hospital &
Solihull Hospital merged in 1996**

**Operating across three sites at Bordesley Green,
Solihull and Birmingham Chest Clinic**

Became a Foundation Trust in April 2005

**Merger with Good Hope Hospital
in April 2007**



The numbers game!

Serving more than 1.5 million people

Employing over 10,000 staff

1,750 Beds

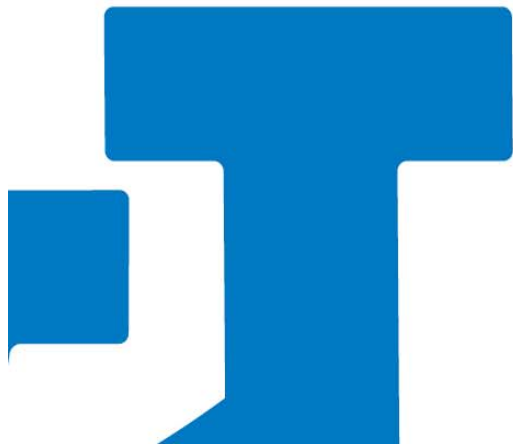
108,000 In patients

570,000 Outpatients

250,000 A & E attendees

100,000 Members

£500m approx Turnover



Key lessons from the merger

Relationships with external stakeholders

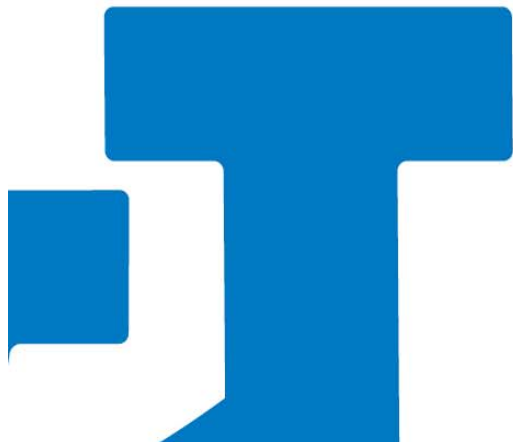
Internal relationships

Delivering patient care

Delivering KPIs

Ongoing performance monitoring

Impact on our risk score



The upside is
your future is in your hands.
And the downside is
your future is in your hands.

Russ Myers

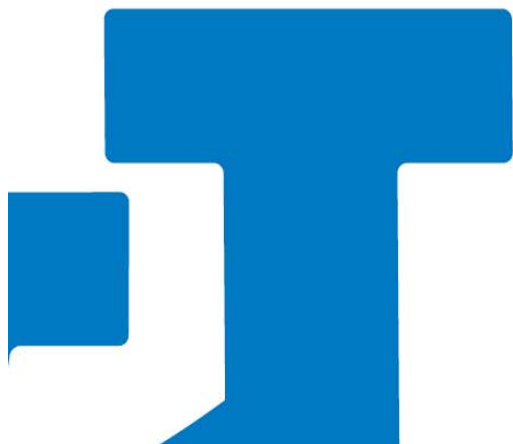
Now that we're here!

**Relationship between Governors
and the Board of Directors**

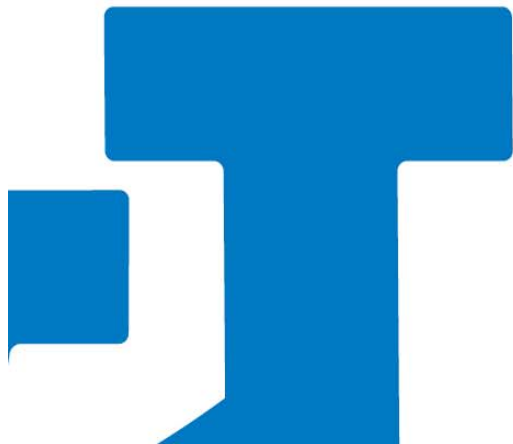
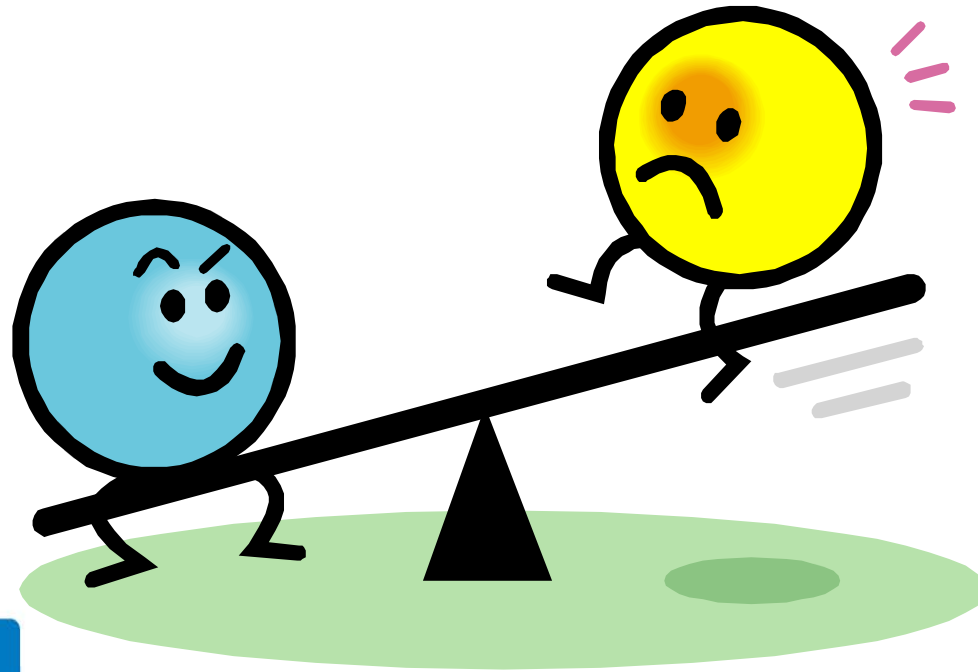
Board Development

NED recruitment

Relationship with Monitor



Maintaining the right balance



Success is a lousy teacher.
It seduces smart people into
thinking they can't lose.

Bill Gates