

**Equality Delivery System
Analysis Sheet post Grading Panels March 2012**

Goal	Outcome	Grade			
1. Better health outcomes for all	1.1 Services are commissioned, designed and procured to meet the health needs of local communities, promote wellbeing and reduce health inequalities		Yellow		
	1.2 Patients' health needs are assessed, and resulting services provided, in appropriate and effective ways		Yellow		
	1.3 Changes across services are informed by engagement of patients and local communities, and transitions made smoothly	Red			
	1.4 The safety of patients is prioritised and assured. In particular, patients are free from abuse, harassment, bullying, violence from other patients and staff, with redress being open and fair to all		Yellow		
	1.5 Public health, vaccination and screening programmes reach and benefit all local communities and groups		Yellow		
2. Improved patient access and experience	2.1 Patients, carers and communities can readily access services, and should not be denied access on unreasonable grounds		Yellow		
	2.2 Patients are informed and supported to be as involved as they wish to be in their diagnoses and decisions about their care, and to exercise choice about treatments and places of treatment		Yellow		
	2.3 Patients and carers report positive experiences of their treatment and care outcomes and of being listened to and respected and of how their privacy and dignity is prioritised		Yellow		
	2.4 Patients' and carers' complaints about services, and subsequent claims for redress, should be handled respectfully and efficiently		Yellow		
3. Empowered, engaged and well-supported staff	3.1 Recruitment and selection processes are fair, inclusive and transparent so that the workforce becomes as diverse as it can be within all occupations and grades		Yellow		
	3.2 Levels of pay and related terms and conditions are fairly determined for all posts, with staff doing equal work and work rated as of equal value being entitled to equal pay		Yellow		
	3.3 Through support, training, personal development and performance appraisal, staff are confident and competent to do their work, so that services are commissioned or provided appropriately	Red			
	3.4 Staff are free from abuse, harassment, bullying, violence from both patients and their relatives and colleagues, with redress being open and fair to all	Red			
	3.5 Flexible working options are made available to all staff, consistent with the needs of the service, and the way that people lead their lives (Flexible working may be a reasonable adjustment for disabled staff or carers.)		Yellow		
	3.6 The workforce is supported to remain healthy, with a focus on addressing major health and lifestyle issues that affect individual staff and the wider population	Red			
4. Inclusive leadership at all levels	4.1 Boards and senior leaders conduct and plan their business so that equality is advanced, and good relations fostered, within their organisations and beyond		Yellow		
	4.2 Middle managers and other line managers support and motivate their staff to work in culturally competent ways within a work environment free from discrimination	Red			
	4.3 The organisation uses the "Competency Framework for Equality and Diversity Leadership" to recruit, develop and support strategic leaders to advance equality outcomes	Red			