# MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS OF PUBLIC HEALTH/DHSSPS MONDAY 5<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2001 10.100 AM - 1.00 PM ROOM C5.15, CASTLE BUILDINGS, BELFAST

#### PRESENT

#### DEPARTMENT

### **DsPH**

Dr H Campbell

Dr P Darragh

Dr M Boyle

Dr N Chada

Dr M Mark

Dr G Mock

Dr M McCarthy

- Dr C Willis

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Dr W McConnell

Dr D Stewart

Dr A M Telford

Prof J Watson

1. ITEM 1 - WELCOME

2. ITEM 2 - APOLOGIES

3. ITEM 3 - MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD 3<sup>RD</sup> SEPTEMBER 2001

4. ITEM 4 – MATTERS ASRISING

• Hyponatraemia

Dr McCarthy introduced the draft paper on guidance for the Prevention of Hyponatraemia in Children receiving Intravenous Fluids. This guidance was considered helpful and a discussion followed on the best way to disseminate. It was suggested that it would be beneficial if this guidance was endorsed by CREST. The guidelines already had the support of SAC Anaesthetics and Paediatrics. Dr Stewart offered to put on the agenda of the next CREST meeting which is due to be held on 8th November.

ACTION POINT: Dr McCarthy to forward guidelines to Crest/Royal College of Paediatricians

• Perinatal/Child Health Information System

• SASHU

5. ITEM 5 - NATIONAL CAESAREAN SECTION AUDIT

6. ITEM 6 - SCREENING UPDATE



ITEMS 7 AND 8 - NEUROSURGERY/ NEUROLOGY ITEM 9 - NORTHERN IRELAND FRACTURE SERVICE 9. ITEM 10 - CJD INCIDENTS PANEL GUIDANCE 10.

11. ITEM 11- DOMESTIC VIOLENCE



12. ITEM 12- SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICE

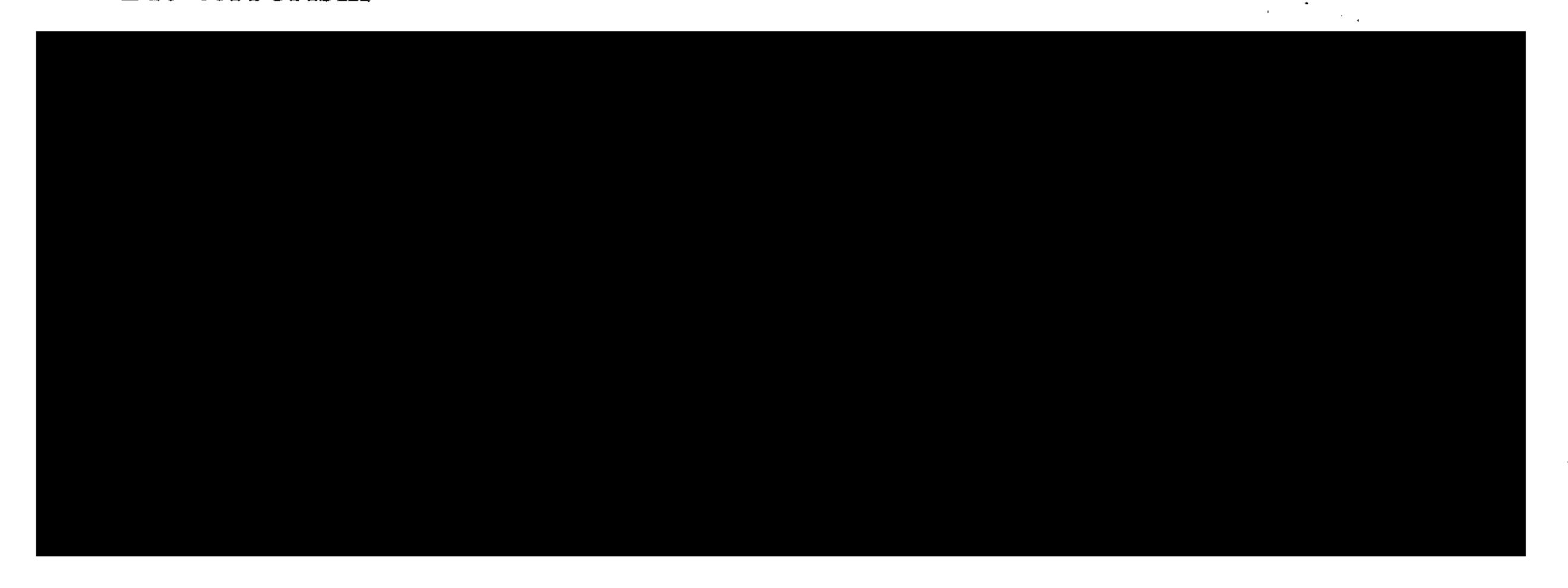
13. ITEM 13 - CHANGE TO PRE-SCHOOL BOOSTER

14. ITEM 14 - PUBLIC HEALTH LEADERSHIP



## 15. ITEM 15 - ANY OTHER BUSINESS

• Bio-terrorism



16. ITEM 16 - AOB

