PATIENT FEEDBACK					
SPECIFIC QIP	QIP ACTIONS	WHAT WILL IMPROVE?	TIMELINE		
Promotion of a culture of patient engagement, ensuring patients who want to, are aware of how to provide feedback or complaints: Promote the National Process of 'Your Service Your Say' throughout the hospital.	 Display 'Your Service Your Say' posters throughout the hospital. Engage with staff on knowledge regarding 'Your Service Your Say'. Communicate with wards on availability of 'Your Service Your Say' information to service users. Assess availability and knowledge on prompt local oral resolutions to issues raised by patients to staff. 	 Establishing culture of openness for receiving feedback. Promoting knowledge across the hospital on 'Your Service Your Say' for both staff and service users. Empowering the patient to feel capable in raising and documenting feedback. 	Q2 2025		

PATIENTS WITH A DISABILITY OR LONG-TERM CONDITION					
SPECIFIC QIP	QIP ACTIONS	WHAT WILL IMPROVE?	TIMELINE		
Assist patient with long term condition/disability by developing sticker on patient file identifying additional needs.	 Collaborate with necessary stakeholders to develop sticker. 	Increased trust, communication and equitable access to health system for people with disabilities. Decreased stress for patients with disabilities.	Q3 2025		
Appointments to be offered in alternative forms – via text message or otherwise.	Work with necessary stakeholders to develop alternative forms of appointments.	 Reinforcing awareness amongst staff resulting in improving staff attitudes and behaviours towards patients with disabilities. 	Q4 2025		
Explore current status of patients with a disability at discharge from the hospital	 Liaise with necessary stakeholders to identify current procedure in discharging patients living with a disability. 				

OTHER					
SPECIFIC QIP	QIP ACTIONS	WHAT WILL IMPROVE?	TIMELINE		
Promote the National Healthcare Communication Programme to all staff involved in patient care.	 Develop a local learning pathway to all staff involved in patient care. Focus will be on learning pathway of communication for staff with service users. Promote the roles of the Chaplaincy, Patient Advocacy Liaison Service and Patient Experience Coordinator as supportive communication to service users. Reach out to University College Cork (UCC) to assess current status of communication topic in modules and discuss potential presentations on topic of communication between patients/hospital staff with applicable undergraduates in Schools of Medicine and Nursing. 	 Empathetic, kind, open communication with the service user. Improved communication with the health care setting between patients and staff. Empowering the patient to feel safe, valued and participative in discussing health issues/experiences with staff and making informed decisions. Educate both staff and patients on support services available in the hospital. 	Q4 2025		

