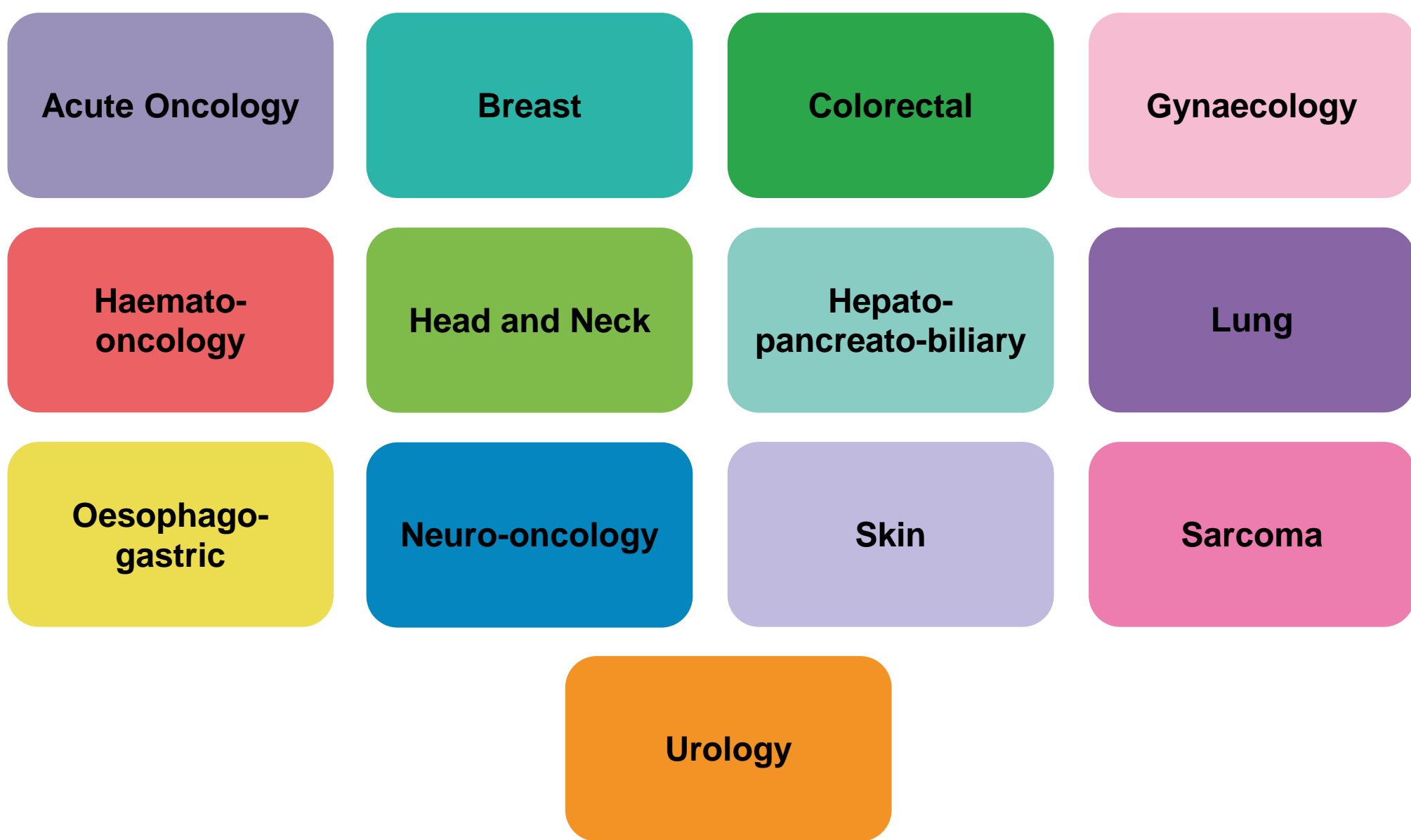


GM Cancer Pathway Boards

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13 Pathway Boards



Example Membership



Pathway Board (PWB) Overview

- 13 Pathway Boards: 12 disease-specific and 1 cross-cutting board with the purpose of improving patient outcomes and experience
- Each led by a Clinical Lead and a Pathway Manger, providing clinical and managerial leadership with overall responsibility for outcomes, quality of services and patient experience of their integrated care pathway
- With links to the Operational Delivery Networks for Children, Teenage and Young Adult Cancers, Radiotherapy, and GM forums such as the GM Diagnostic Network
- PWBs use innovative approaches to improve the pathway, supporting patients and staff, in line with the NHS Long Term Plan and annual operational planning guidance priorities, i.e., early diagnosis, faster diagnosis and operational improvement, personalised care, treatment, addressing inequalities, workforce and education, innovation and research
- Engagement and collaborative working are key, with collective decision making across our GM care settings and staff groups, with user involvement (cancer voices), VCSE and partners external to the NHS
- Decisions are based on best practice and evidence such as data, audit information and from research, to reduce unwarranted variation and inequalities, aligned with the needs of the GM population
- The PWBs develop GM models of care, protocols and policies to address the challenges in delivery of NHSE cancer standards, working closely with our GM Cancer Alliance programmes/projects, other Cancer Alliances, and with regional and national forums
- Each PWB has an annual work programme with progress reported quarterly to the GM Cancer Board and GM Cancer networks

PWB Work Programme Template

Greater Manchester Cancer Pathway Board Work Programme 2024.25			Last updated: xx/xx/xxxx		Greater Manchester Cancer Alliance			
GM Cancer Pathway Board:			Clinical Lead:		Pathway Manager:			
Link to NHS Long Term Plan/Planning guidance	Deliverable SMART (describes what the PWB is going to deliver), please be specific and include 'innovation' and 'health inequalities' where appropriate	PWB developed EIA (n/a, yes or no) if yes, incl. expected completion date & add to EIA	Measure SMART (the output/ evidence that the deliverable is completed/the measure for success in year - ie by 31/3/25, add a note if this is part of a deliverable spans across financial years). To note if addressing health inequalities, or is innovation	Responsibility Named lead i.e. a PWB member or other lead	Planned Start Date (in year)	Planned End Date (in year)	Progress (keep in work programme once complete)	Comments/mitigation add only if status is amber or red
Early Diagnosis including: Prevention/risk reducing, Screening, and Timely Presentation								On track
Faster Diagnosis, including BPTP, Operational Improvement, Treatment Variation - GIRFT/SACT/ clinical audits								
Treatment and Care including: Personalised Care, PSFU, Psychosocial Support, Prehab & Physical activity, Genomics, LWBC								
Patient and Public Engagement and Involvement, Community Engagement and Experience of Care								
Research								
Workforce and Education								

Governance Structure

