



# Laboratory Distributed Services North Region

# Progress/Updates

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- **Interim Clinical Lead – Dr Bernie Croal (Aug 2017)**
- **Labs North Region – Stakeholder meetings**
- **Shadow North Region Labs Operational Board formed Sept 2018.**
- **Clinical Lead Due to be appointed end of Nov 2018. Other posts to follow.**
- **Program Initiation Document Required**

# Likely Priorities

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- **6 Boards Buy in – Delegated Authority**
- **NPEX Implementation**
- **Data Projects – National Laboratories  
Information and Intelligence Platform (NLIIP)**
- **Blueprint activity/mapping**
- **Specific Priorities – next slide**

# Specific Priorities

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- **Service Sustainability – information gathering**
- **Recruitment and Retainment Project**
- **IT Connectivity – Modern single LIMS the goal**
- **Digital Pathology Implementation**
- **Analytical Procurement Alignment/Support**
- **Standardisation of Nomenclature**