

HMICFRS Inspection - Friday Update 24

Inspection Summary

So what has the inspection involved?

As you will know by now, the inspection has been an intensive process which has involved:

- 2 Data Requests
- 3 Engagement Days
- 52 Documents Requested
- 1 Discovery Week
- 1 Position Statement
- 11 Self Assessments
- 1 Strategic Briefing
- 1 Fieldwork Week
- 1 Hot Debrief
- Over 35% of workforce involvement
- Several tubs of Cadbury's Celebrations
- Lots of Caffeine
- One or two sleepless nights.

Is that it?

No. Although the major parts of the inspection process have been completed, the service remains under inspection until the report is formally issued. Information is still being gathered through further data requests, staff surveys, reporting line submissions and continued regular contact with our Service Liaison Lead, Matt Reavill.

When is the report available?

We are expecting the report to be made available to the public in May 2019.

When is our next inspection?

As it stands, the HMICFRS has only been funded for one round of inspections. However, within the next 2 months they hope to secure investment which will see the inspection become core business for many years to come. Should this happen, we can expect our next inspection process to begin within the next 12-24 months.

Until next time..

Any questions?

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