

East Lancashire Hospitals NHS Trust

Organisation Code: RXR

Region: North West

Workforce Race Equality Standard 2018 - 2023

East Lancashire Hospitals NHS Trust North West

Summary for the 2022/23 reporting year

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Trust type: Acute with or without Community

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Indicator number and description		Trust	North West	Acute	National	Percentile rank*				
Indicator 1: BN	Indicator 1: BME representation in the workforce by pay band									
BME representa	tion in the work	force overall	23.0%	17.1%	28.9%	26.4%				
Pay band at	Non-clinical	Band 4 -	Band 3	Band 3	Band 3	Band 3				
which BME		Band 5 +	Band 8B	Band 8A	Band 8A	Band 8A				
under-	Clinical	Band 4 -	Proportional	Band 3	Band 3	Band 3				
representation		Band 5 +	Band 6	Band 6	Band 6	Band 6				
first occurs	Medical		Consultant	Consultant	Consultant	Consultant				
	Non-clinical	Lower:middle	1.22	1.05	0.92	0.90	39%			
		Middle:upper	1.64	1.39	1.40	1.36	48%			
Race disparity		Lower:upper	2.01	1.46	1.29	1.23	60%			
ratios	Clinical	Lower:middle	1.77	2.35	1.91	1.83	27%			
		Middle:upper	2.08	1.41	1.56	1.39	71%			
		Lower:upper	3.68	3.31	2.97	2.55	55%			
Indicator 2: lik	elihood of app	pointment from	shortlisting							
	likelihood ra	atio White / BME	2.26	1.58	1.58	1.59	82%			
Indicator 3: lik	elihood of ent	ering formal di	sciplinary prod	ceedings						
	likelihood ra	atio BME / White	1.15	1.11	1.02	1.03	11%			
Indicator 4: lik	elihood of und	dertaking non-n	nandatory trai	ning						
	likelihood ra	atio White / BME	1.84	1.14	1.15	1.12	77%			
Indicator 5: ha	rassment, bul	lying or abuse f	rom patients,	relatives or th	e public in last	t 12 months				
		BME	23.9%	26.9%	30.6%	30.4%	15%			
		White	23.1%	24.2%	26.8%	26.8%	26%			
Indicator 6: ha	rassment, bul	lying or abuse f	rom staff in la	st 12 months						
		ВМЕ	23.2%	26.8%	28.5%	27.7%	26%			
		White	18.6%	20.7%	23.1%	22.0%	28%			
Indicator 7: be	lief that the tr	rust provides ed	ıual opportuni	ties for career	progression o	r promotion				
		BME	50.3%	46.1%	46.3%	46.4%	23%			
		White	65.8%	59.5%	58.9%	59.1%	10%			
Indicator 8: dis	scrimination fi	rom a manager,	team leader d	or other collea	gues in last 12	months				
ВМЕ			14.2%	17.0%	17.0%	16.6%	29%			
White			5.5%	6.3%	6.7%	6.7%	28%			
Indicator 9: BN	ЛЕ representa	tion on the boa	rd minus BME	representatio	n in the work	orce				
		Overall	+10.3%.	-5.8%.	-14.9%.	-10.9%.	51%			
		Voting members	+10.3%.	-5.7%.	-16.1%.	-11.1%.	42%			
	Exe	ecutive members	-10.5%.	-10.5%.	-19.7%.	-15.7%.	34%			

^{*} ranks the Trust from 0% (best in the country) to 100% (worst in the country) on each indicator.

Quick guide to colour coding

A quick guide to the colour coding used in the tables of analyses is presented below. Please refer to the user guide in the appendix to this report for more detail.

Indicator 1 race disparity ratios and indicators 2 to 4: colour coding for the degree of inequality

Inequality, large degree
Inequality, medium degree
Inequality, small degree
Equity / proportional

Indicators 5 to 8: heat map colour coding for the degree of poor outcome, relative to the benchmark

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Benchmark
Very high
High
Quite high
Similar to benchmark
Quite low
Low
Very low

Indicator 9: colour coding for the degree of inequality

Underrepresentation by three or more board members
Underrepresentation by two board members
Underrepresentation by one board member
Equity / proportional representation

Percentile ranks: colour coding

Best 5%
Best 10%
Best 25%
Middle 50%
Worst 25%
Worst 10%
Worst 5%

A note on interpreting the colour-coding in the summary table:

Regarding the colour coding of the indicators in the summary table on page 2, it is possible that an indicator will be colour-coded green in the "Trust" column, but yellow, orange, or red in the "Percentile rank" column (or vice versa). The colour coding in the "Trust" column conveys whether or not the indicator is different from equity or proportional representation to a statistically significant degree. Sometimes, even a very large value may not be different from equity or proportional representation to a statistically significant degree if it is based on a very small number of people (this is often the case with indicator 3). Meanwhile, the colour-coding in the "Percentile rank" column reflects the percentage of Trusts that had a better value for that indicator when ranked by the size of the deviation from equity or proportional representation. This ranking does not take into account statistical significance. Indicators that are colour-coded yellow, orange, or red in both the "Trust" and "Percentile rank" columns should be a cause for particular concern as this combination denotes that the indicator is both significantly different from equity or proportional representation, and amongst the worst in the country.

Introduction

This report features a summary of workforce race equality standard (WRES) metrics for East Lancashire Hospitals NHS Trust.

This is the third time such a report has been generated on a Trust by Trust basis throughout the country. The intention is to provide detailed information for each Trust. The NHS standard contract requires Trusts to submit an annual report to the coordinating commissioner on progress in implementing their annual WRES action plan. It is intended that this data report will allow each Trust to understand where the data indicates the areas of greatest challenge are, be that around recruitment, promotion, disciplinary referral, education, bullying and harassment or board representation. The report also highlights areas where the Trust is performing well – we hope it is possible in these situations to learn from good practice and share that with other providers. The Trust's data is tabulated alongside data for the region, as well as data from Trusts of similar type. The intention is to benchmark against relevant comparators. The report is shared with the regional EDI leads who we work closely with and will be able to help with identifying target actions.

The disaggregated metrics also allows accurate monitoring to ensure that the results of targeted actions taken can be seen, rather than being 'diluted' when numbers are looked at as a whole.

The quantitative information is analysed and interpreted using inferential statistical techniques, adopting the standards applied in the social and medical sciences. A comprehensive user guide is provided alongside this report. The user guide includes guidance on interpreting the metrics, the colour coding used in the tables of analysis, and the graphs and charts included in the report. We welcome feedback from you about the report, and of course are keen to work with you in developing action plans for the Trust.

The current reporting year for the purposes of this report is 2023. Data for indicators 1 to 4 are taken from WRES data portal submissions relating to the workforce as at the end of March 2023. Data for indicators 5 to 8 come from the NHS Staff Survey run in November and December 2022.

Areas for Improvement

A maximum of three high priority areas for improvement have been identified for the Trust. These are the areas from amongst the Trust's indicators with the worst percentile rankings against other Trusts (excluding indicator 4). For indicators 1 to 3 and 9, a further criterion is that the indicator is different from equality to a statistically significant degree. For indicators 5 to 8, performance must also be significantly worse than that for the other ethnic group.

High priority areas for improvement within the Trust (to a maximum of three):

Indicator 2: likelihood of appointment from shortlisting
Indicator 1: Career progression in clinical roles (middle to upper levels)
Indicator 1: Career progression in non-clinical roles (lower to upper levels)

Areas of Best Performance

A maximum of three areas of best performance have been identified for the Trust. These are the areas from amongst the Trust's indicators with the best percentile rankings against other Trusts, and where the Trust performs in the best 10% of Trusts nationally (excluding indicator 4). For indicators 1 to 3 and 9, a further criterion is that the indicator is not different from equality to a statistically significant degree. For indicators 5 to 8, performance must also be similar to that for the other ethnic group.

Areas of best performance within the Trust (to a maximum of three):							
No areas in the best 10% nationally							

Non-clinical staff on AfC paybands

BME staff were represented at 16.9% in all non-clinical AfC roles.

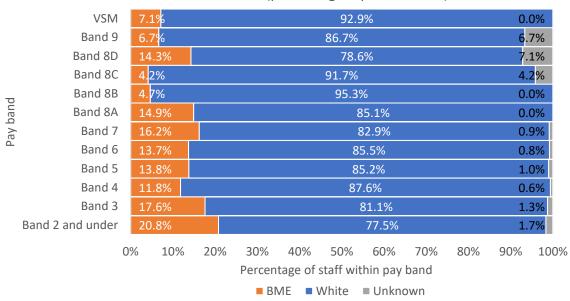
At Band 4 and under (e.g., administrative and technical support roles, estates officer):

- BME representation was 17.9%, overall.
- BME staff were underrepresented at Band 3 and above, 14.8%.

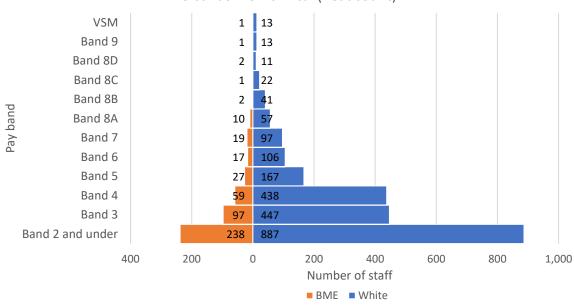
At Band 5 and over (graduate and management level roles):

- BME representation was 13.0%, overall.
- BME staff were underrepresented at Band 8B and above, 6.4%.

AfC bands: non-clinical (percentage representation)







Clinical staff on AfC paybands

BME staff were represented at 20.9% in all clinical AfC roles.

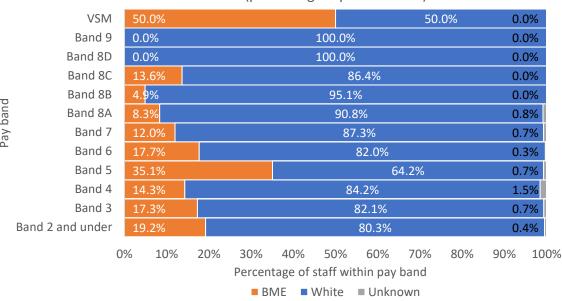
At Band 4 and under (e.g., clinical support workers and healthcare assistants):

- BME representation was 17.8%, overall.
- BME staff were proportionately represented by pay band.

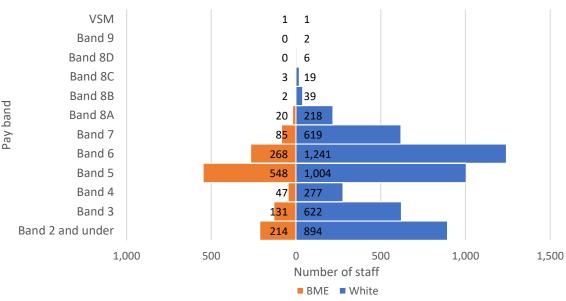
At Band 5 and over (e.g., clinical roles requiring professional registration including nurses):

- BME representation was 22.6%, overall.
- BME staff were underrepresented at Band 6 and above, 15.0%.

AfC bands: clinical (percentage representation)





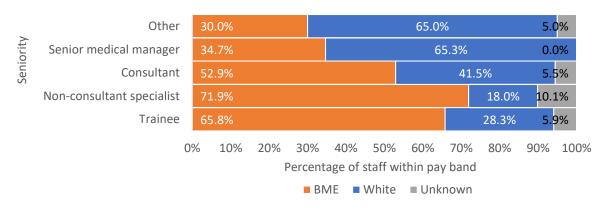


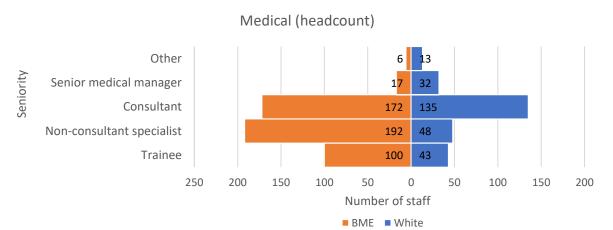
Medical staff

BME representation was 59.9% in all medical and dental roles. Amongst medical and dental staff:

• BME staff were underrepresented at Consultant level and above, 50.5%.

Medical (percentage representation)





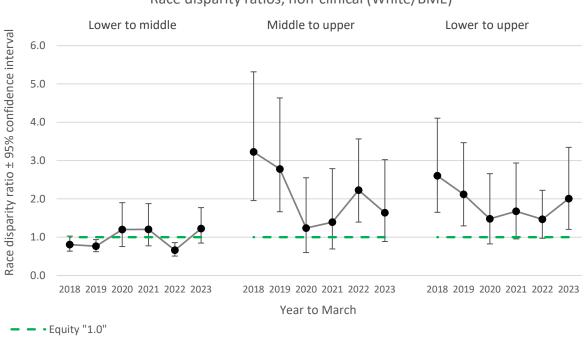
Race disparity ratios for non-clinical staff on AfC paybands

At March 2023:

Lower to middle: 1.22; not significantly different from "1.0" (or equity). The Trust performed better than 61% of Trusts and worse than 39% of Trusts.

Middle to upper: 1.64; not significantly different from "1.0" (or equity). The Trust performed better than 52% of Trusts and worse than 48% of Trusts.

Lower to upper: 2.01; higher than "1.0" (or equity) to a small degree. The Trust performed better than 40% of Trusts and worse than 60% of Trusts.



Race disparity ratios, non-clinical (White/BME)

Lower: non-clinical bands 5 and under Middle: non-clinical bands 6 to 7 Upper: non-clinical bands 8a and above

- Race Disparity Ratio

The race disparity ratio compares the progression of white staff through the organisation with the progression of BME staff through the organisation. If the race disparity ratio is greater than "1.0" this means that progression favours white staff, whilst if the race disparity ratio is below "1.0", this means that progression favours BME staff. Please refer to the user guide for further explanation.

Race disparity ratios for clinical staff on AfC paybands

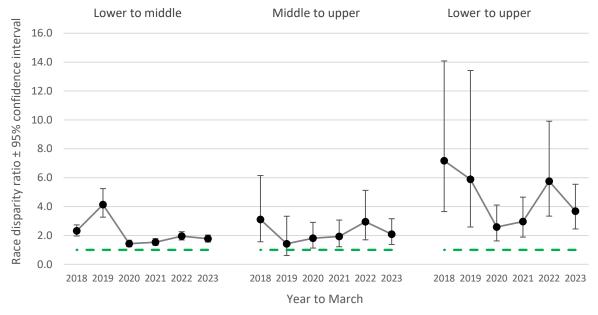
At March 2023:

Lower to middle: 1.77; higher than "1.0" (or equity) to a small degree. The Trust performed better than 73% of Trusts and worse than 27% of Trusts.

Middle to upper: 2.08; higher than "1.0" (or equity) to a small degree. The Trust performed better than 29% of Trusts and worse than 71% of Trusts.

Lower to upper: 3.68; higher than "1.0" (or equity) to a medium degree. The Trust performed better than 45% of Trusts and worse than 55% of Trusts.

Race disparity ratios, clinical (White/BME)



Equity "1.0"Race Disparity Ratio

Lower: clinical bands 5 and under Middle: clinical bands 6 to 7 Upper: clinical bands 8a and above

The relative likelihood of white applicants being appointed from shortlisting compared to BME applicants

At March 2023 the likelihood ratio was 2.26; higher than "1.0" or equity to a small degree. Specifically, 248 out of 4627 white candidates were appointed from shortlisting (5.4% of white candidates) compared to 101 out of 4268 BME candidates (2.4% of BME candidates).

The Trust performed better than 18% of Trusts and worse than 82% of Trusts.

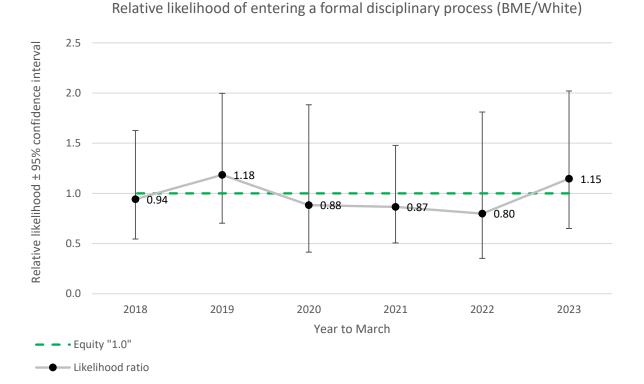


Example: a value of "2.0" would indicate that White candidates were twice as likely as BME candidates to be appointed from shortlisting, whilst a value of "0.5" would indicate that White candidates were half as likely as BME candidates to be appointed from shortlisting.

The relative likelihood of BME staff entering the formal disciplinary process compared to white staff

At March 2023 the likelihood ratio was 1.15; not significantly different from "1.0" or equity. Specifically, 16 out of 2280 BME staff entered formal disciplinary proceedings (0.70% of the BME workforce) compared to 46 out of 7512 white staff (0.61% of the white workforce).

The Trust performed better than 89% of Trusts and worse than 11% of Trusts.

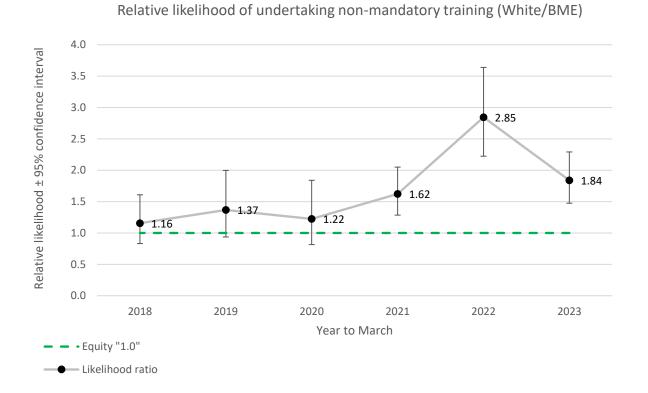


Example: a value of "2.0" would indicate that BME staff were twice as likely as White staff to enter a formal disciplinary process, whilst a value of "0.5" would indicate that BME staff were half as likely as White staff to enter a formal disciplinary process.

The relative likelihood of white staff accessing non–mandatory training and continuing professional development (CPD) compared to BME staff

At March 2023 the likelihood ratio was 1.84; higher than "1.0" or equity to a small degree. Specifically, 533 out of 7512 white staff undertook non-mandatory training (7.1% of the white workforce) compared to 88 out of 2280 BME staff (3.9% of the BME workforce).

The Trust performed better than 23% of Trusts and worse than 77% of Trusts.



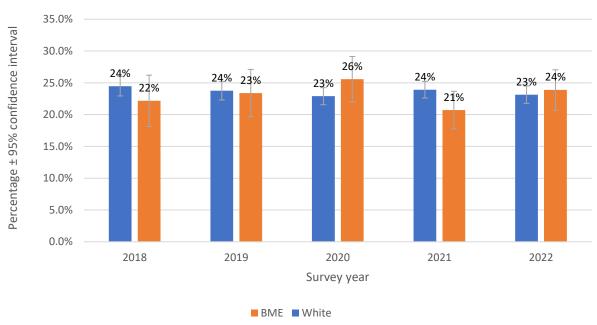
For example a value of "2.0" would indicate that White staff were twice as likely as BME staff to undertake non-mandatory training, whilst a value of "0.5" would indicate that White staff were half as likely as BME staff to undertake non-mandatory training.

The percentage of staff experiencing harassment, bullying or abuse from patients, relatives or the public in last 12 months

The percentage of staff who experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from patients, relatives or the public in the last 12 months was similar for BME staff, 23.9%, and for White staff, 23.1%.

In terms of the percentage of BME staff who experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from patients, relatives or the public in the last 12 months, the Trust performed better than 85% of Trusts and worse than 15% of Trusts.





Percentage of staff who experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from patients, relatives or the public in the last 12 months, by ethnicity

Ethnicity				Survey year		
		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Graupad	White	24%	24%	23%	24%	23%
Grouped	ВМЕ	22%	23%	26%	21%	24%
	White British	24%	24%	23%	24%	23%
	White "other"	24%	30%	37%	30%	24%
Detailed	Asian	20%	21%	23%	20%	23%
	Black	31%	22%	40%	31%	29%
	Mixed/other	31%	41%	31%	19%	28%

Percentage of staff who experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from patients, relatives or the public in the last 12 months, by ethnicity and gender

Ethnicity and gender		Survey year						
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022			
Overall	25%	24%	23%	24%	23%			
White women	25%	24%	24%	25%	24%			
BME women	19%	24%	26%	21%	28%			
White men	20%	20%	17%	17%	18%			
BME men	28%	22%	23%	21%	16%			

Percentage of staff who experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from patients, relatives or the public in the last 12 months, by ethnicity and occupational group

Occupational	Ethnicity			Survey year		
group		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Allied health	White	21%	21%	20%	19%	20%
prof.	BME	21%	27%	25%	14%	17%
Medical and	White	37%	38%	28%	30%	23%
dental	BME	32%	24%	20%	24%	25%
Ambulance	White	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP
(operational)	BME	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP
Nurses and	White	36%	36%	32%	36%	33%
midwives	BME	26%	34%	42%	32%	35%
Healthcare	White	32%	36%	38%	36%	38%
assistants	BME	40%	43%	38%	39%	41%
Wider	White	16%	15%	14%	15%	15%
healthcare team	BME	11%	15%	20%	8%	11%
General	White	10%	9%	4%	5%	7%
management	BME	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	10%	8%
Othor	White	9%	15%	14%	14%	13%
Other	BME	14%	11%	19%	17%	18%

Heat map colour coding for the degree of poor outcome, relative to the benchmark

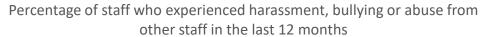
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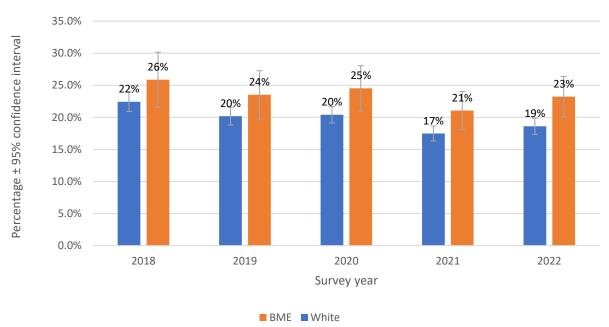
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The percentage of staff who experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from other staff in the last 12 months

The percentage of staff who experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from other staff in the last 12 months was significantly higher for BME staff, 23.2%, than for White staff, 18.6%.

In terms of the percentage of BME staff who experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from other staff in the last 12 months, the Trust performed better than 74% of Trusts and worse than 26% of Trusts.





Percentage of staff who experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from other staff in the last 12 months, by ethnicity

Ethnicity		Survey year					
		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	
Crouped	White	22%	20%	20%	17%	19%	
Grouped	BME	26%	24%	25%	21%	23%	
	White British	22%	20%	20%	17%	18%	
	White "other"	24%	32%	35%	26%	31%	
Detailed	Asian	24%	23%	23%	20%	22%	
	Black	31%	23%	37%	31%	32%	
	Mixed/other	31%	24%	30%	23%	25%	

Percentage of staff who experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from other staff in the last 12 months, by ethnicity and gender

Ethnicity and gender		Survey year						
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022			
Overall	23%	21%	21%	18%	19%			
White women	22%	20%	20%	17%	19%			
BME women	25%	21%	24%	22%	24%			
White men	21%	20%	21%	18%	17%			
BME men	27%	25%	25%	19%	21%			

Percentage of staff who experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from other staff in the last 12 months, by ethnicity and occupational group

Occupational	Ethnicity			Survey year		
group		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
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prof.	BME	27%	28%	22%	18%	18%
Medical and	White	26%	25%	18%	15%	22%
dental	BME	23%	21%	26%	23%	29%
Ambulance	White	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP
(operational)	BME	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP
Nurses and	White	24%	20%	21%	19%	20%
midwives	BME	34%	17%	25%	24%	26%
Healthcare	White	22%	20%	20%	19%	24%
assistants	BME	29%	18%	19%	24%	22%
Wider	White	21%	19%	21%	17%	17%
healthcare team	BME	23%	23%	27%	18%	24%
General	White	20%	25%	21%	18%	18%
management	BME	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	36%	17%
O.I.	White	27%	25%	16%	20%	16%
Other	BME	7%	37%	19%	13%	15%

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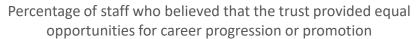
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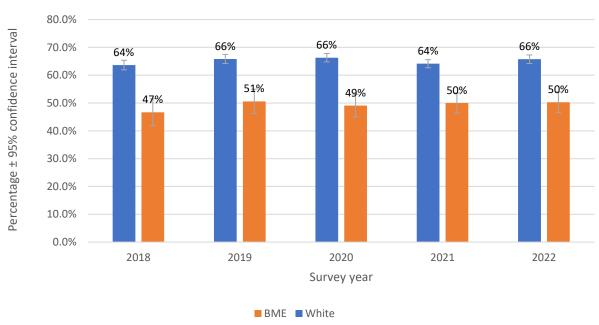
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The percentage of staff who believed that the trust provided equal opportunities for career progression or promotion

The percentage of staff who believed that the trust provided equal opportunities for career progression or promotion was significantly lower for BME staff, 50.3%, than for White staff, 65.8%.

In terms of the percentage of BME staff who believed that the trust provided equal opportunities for career progression or promotion, the Trust performed better than 77% of Trusts and worse than 23% of Trusts.





Percentage of staff who believed that the trust provided equal opportunities for career progression or promotion, by ethnicity

Ethnicity		Survey year						
		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022		
Crouped	White	64%	66%	66%	64%	66%		
Grouped	BME	47%	51%	49%	50%	50%		
	White British	64%	66%	66%	64%	66%		
	White "other"	54%	52%	67%	59%	58%		
Detailed	Asian	48%	51%	50%	51%	49%		
	Black	38%	57%	27%	31%	43%		
	Mixed/other	43%	46%	52%	54%	62%		

Percentage of staff who believed that the trust provided equal opportunities for career progression or

promotion, by ethnicity and gender

Ethnicity and gender		Survey year				
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	
Overall	61%	63%	64%	61%	63%	
White women	64%	67%	68%	66%	67%	
BME women	50%	56%	53%	54%	51%	
White men	63%	61%	61%	60%	60%	
BME men	44%	46%	45%	45%	50%	

Percentage of staff who believed that the trust provided equal opportunities for career progression or

promotion, by ethnicity and occupational group

Occupational	Ethnicity		Survey year					
group		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022		
Allied health	White	64%	68%	68%	69%	71%		
prof.	BME	50%	47%	47%	45%	47%		
Medical and	White	66%	62%	67%	61%	69%		
dental	BME	49%	68%	59%	59%	58%		
Ambulance	White	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP		
(operational)	BME	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP		
Nurses and	White	67%	70%	69%	65%	68%		
midwives	BME	40%	46%	52%	53%	50%		
Healthcare	White	65%	66%	66%	64%	64%		
assistants	BME	40%	68%	56%	48%	56%		
Wider	White	60%	62%	63%	60%	61%		
healthcare team	BME	47%	46%	44%	47%	44%		
General	White	74%	72%	82%	82%	79%		
management	BME	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	20%	60%		
0.1	White	55%	62%	64%	58%	59%		
Other	BME	38%	32%	41%	44%	53%		

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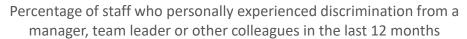
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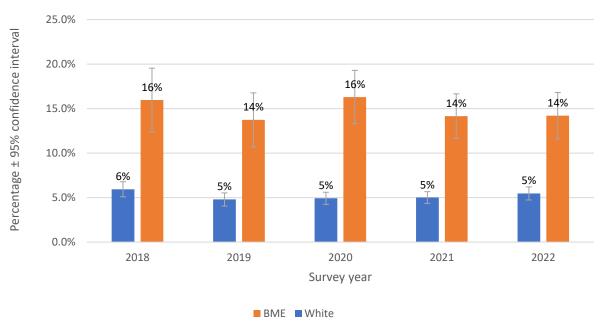
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The percentage of staff who personally experienced discrimination at work from a manager, team leader or other colleagues

The percentage of staff who personally experienced discrimination from other staff in the last 12 months was significantly higher for BME staff, 14.2%, than for White staff, 5.5%.

In terms of the percentage of BME staff who personally experienced discrimination from other staff in the last 12 months, the Trust performed better than 71% of Trusts and worse than 29% of Trusts.





Percentage of staff who personally experienced discrimination from other staff in the last 12 months, by ethnicity

Ethnicity		Survey year					
		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	
Crouped	White	6%	5%	5%	5%	5%	
Grouped	ВМЕ	16%	14%	16%	14%	14%	
	White British	6%	5%	5%	5%	5%	
	White "other"	11%	7%	9%	12%	12%	
Detailed	Asian	16%	13%	15%	14%	14%	
	Black	19%	9%	23%	26%	25%	
	Mixed/other	15%	19%	19%	12%	11%	

Percentage of staff who personally experienced discrimination from other staff in the last 12 months, by ethnicity and gender

Ethnicity and gender		Survey year						
	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022			
Overall	7%	6%	6%	7%	7%			
White women	6%	4%	4%	4%	5%			
BME women	15%	11%	15%	13%	16%			
White men	7%	6%	7%	7%	6%			
BME men	18%	17%	15%	15%	13%			

Percentage of staff who personally experienced discrimination from other staff in the last 12 months, by ethnicity and occupational group

Occupational	Ethnicity	Survey year						
group		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022		
Allied health	White	6%	5%	4%	6%	6%		
prof.	BME	13%	17%	16%	15%	10%		
Medical and	White	4%	2%	4%	6%	6%		
dental	BME	15%	8%	14%	10%	18%		
Ambulance	White	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP		
(operational)	BME	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP		
Nurses and	White	6%	4%	5%	5%	5%		
midwives	BME	21%	17%	16%	15%	19%		
Healthcare	White	7%	5%	8%	5%	5%		
assistants	BME	14%	5%	6%	16%	8%		
Wider	White	5%	5%	4%	4%	4%		
healthcare team	BME	18%	15%	18%	17%	13%		
General	White	3%	8%	3%	4%	8%		
management	BME	SUPP	SUPP	SUPP	18%	17%		
Othor	White	8%	7%	5%	4%	6%		
Other	BME	8%	21%	18%	9%	6%		

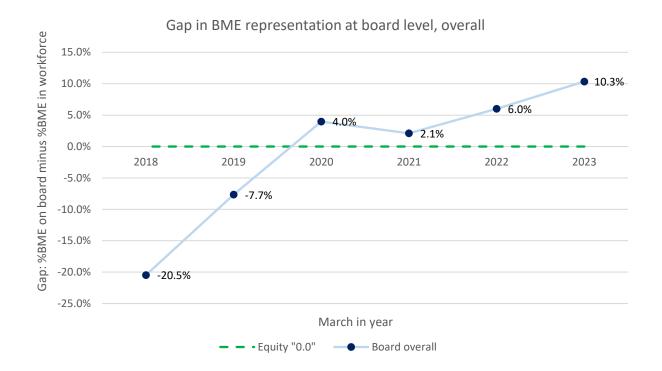
Heat map colour coding for the degree of poor outcome, relative to the benchmark

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Benchmark
Very high
High
Quite high
Similar to benchmark
Quite low
Low
Very low

SUPP = Suppressed (percentages based on 10 or fewer respondents have been suppressed)

Overall board membership

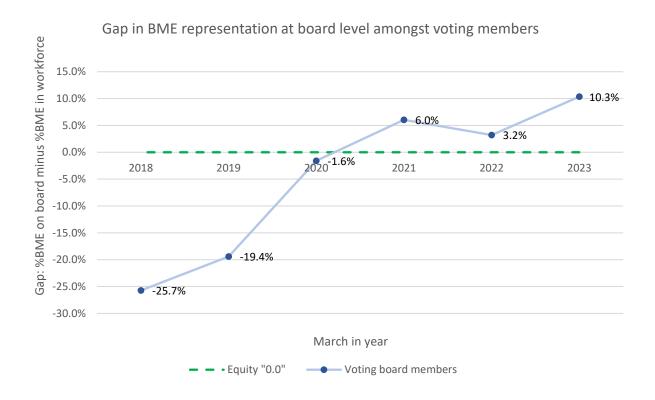
At March 2023, the difference between BME representation on the board and in the worforce was +10.3%. BME members were at least proportionately represented on the board in terms of a headcount. The Trust performed better than 49% of Trusts and worse than 51% of Trusts.



The board representation indicator is calculated by deducting the percentage of BME staff in the workforce from the percentage of BME members on the board of directors. A value of "0.0" means that the percentage of BME members on the board of directors is exactly the same as the percentage of BME staff in the workforce. A positive value means that the percentage of BME members on the board of directors is higher than in the workforce, and a negative value means that the percentage of BME members on the board of directors is lower than in the workforce. These calculations are made for all board members considered together, as well as for voting members and executive members considered separately.

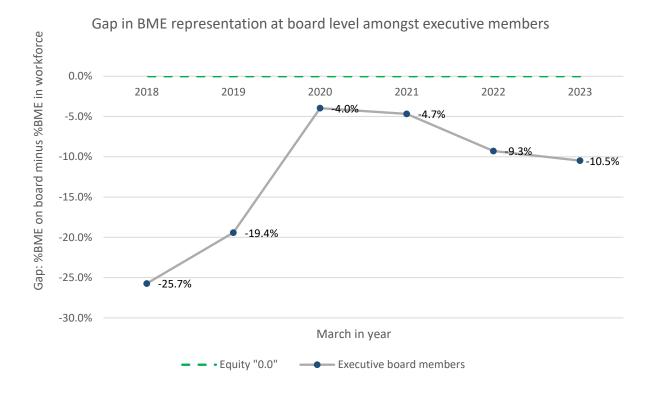
Voting board membership

At March 2023, the difference between BME representation on the board and in the worforce was +10.3% amongst voting members. BME members were at least proportionately represented on the board in terms of a headcount of voting members. The Trust performed better than 58% of Trusts and worse than 42% of Trusts.



Executive board membership

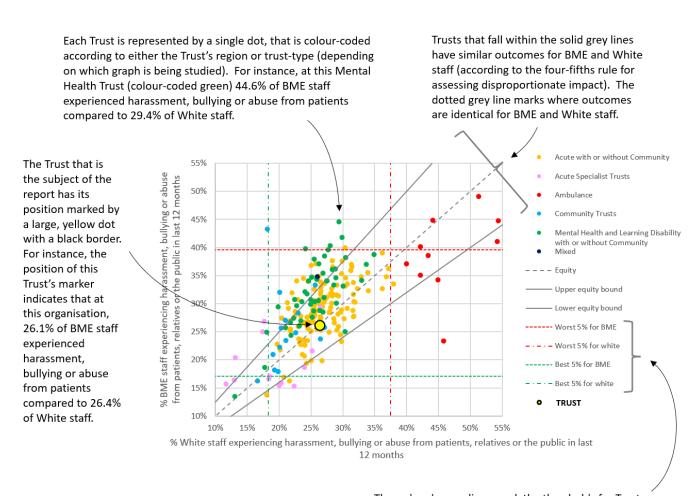
At March 2023, the difference between BME representation on the board and in the worforce was -10.5% amongst executive members. BME members were underrepresented on the board by one executive member in terms of a headcount. The Trust performed better than 66% of Trusts and worse than 34% of Trusts.



Appendix: Scatter Graphs and Frequency Distributions

How to interpret scatter graphs

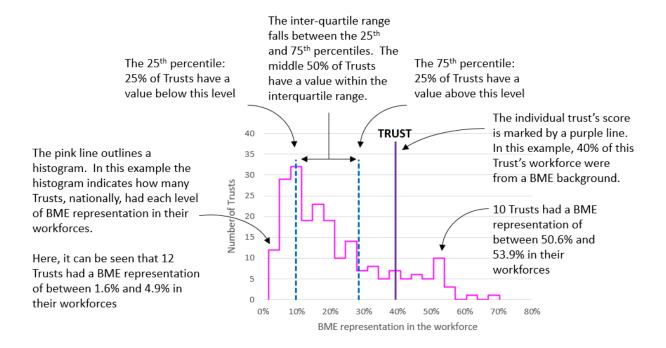
Scatter graphs can show how two or more variables are related. Consequently, in this report, scatter graphs are used to show how each Trust performed on the staff survey-based WRES metrics (indicators 5 to 8) for BME staff compared to White staff. In the example below, each Trust is represented by a dot. The position of the Trust in terms of its x and y co-ordinates on the graph is determined by the percentage of White staff at that Trust who experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from patients (horizontal x-axis) and the percentage of BME staff at that Trust who experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from patients (vertical y-axis). In this graph there is a tendency for Trusts that have higher rates of abuse from patients against BME staff to also have higher rates of abuse from patients against White staff. The colour-coding in this graph denotes trust type. It can be seen that Ambulance Trusts, in red, tend to have high rates of abuse from patients against BME staff and especially high rates of abuse from patients against White staff.



The red and green lines mark the thresholds for Trusts that are performing especially well (best 5%, green) or poorly (worst 5%, red) for BME and/or White staff.

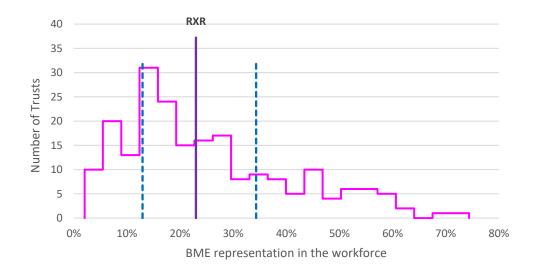
How to interpret frequency distributions

Frequency distributions are statistical charts. In the example below, the frequency distribution shows how many Trusts had various levels of BME representation in their workforces.

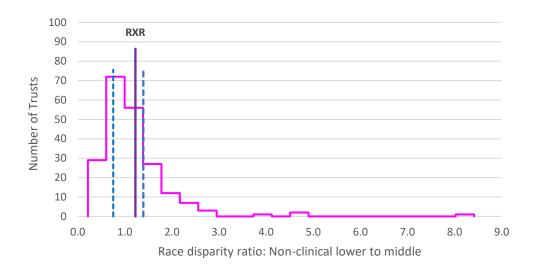


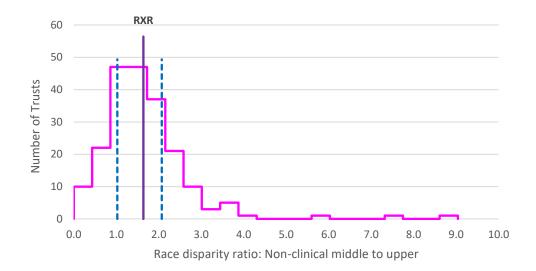
Frequency distributions and scatter graphs that illustrate the position of this Trust against the distribution of values for other Trusts, nationally, are presented below for each indicator.

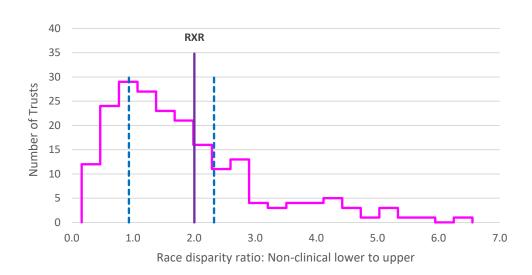
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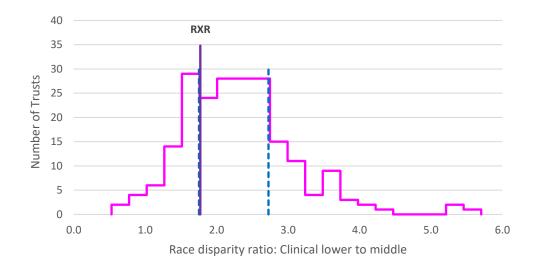
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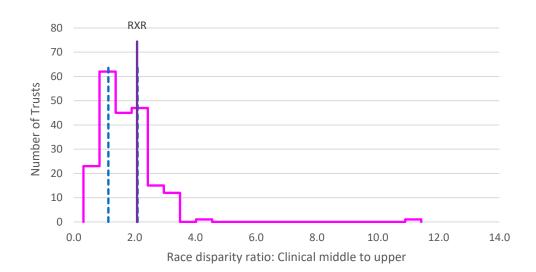


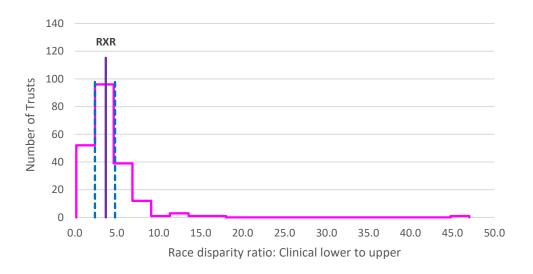




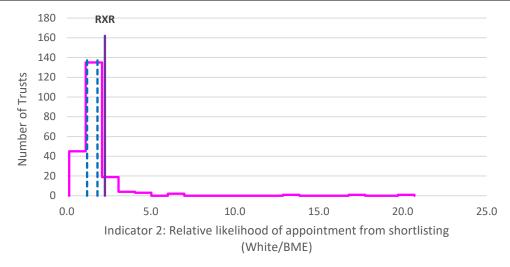
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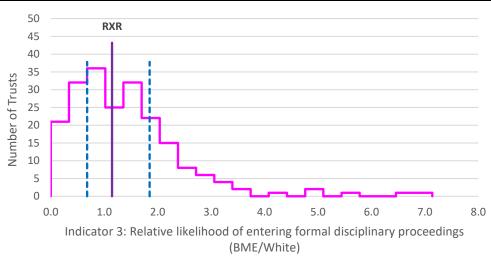




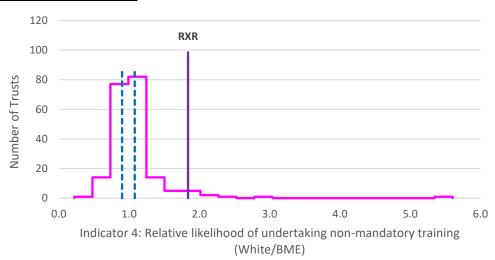
Indicator 2: The relative likelihood of white applicants being appointed from shortlisting compared to BME applicants



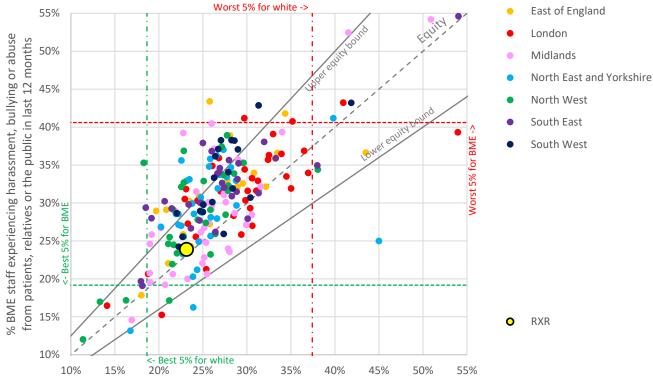
Indicator 3: The relative likelihood of BME staff entering the formal disciplinary process compared to white staff



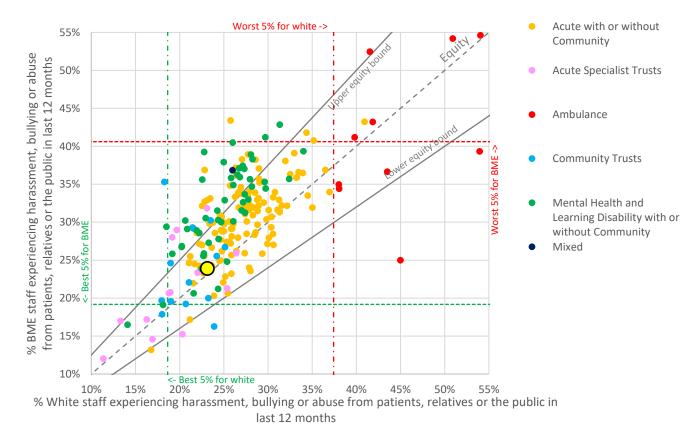
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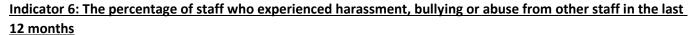


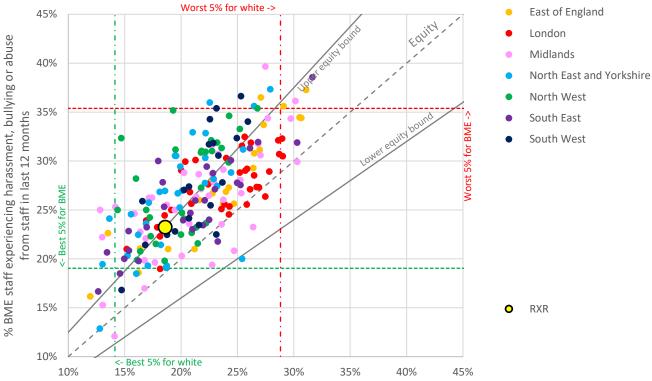
<u>Indicator 5: The percentage of staff experiencing harassment, bullying or abuse from patients, relatives or the public in last 12 months</u>



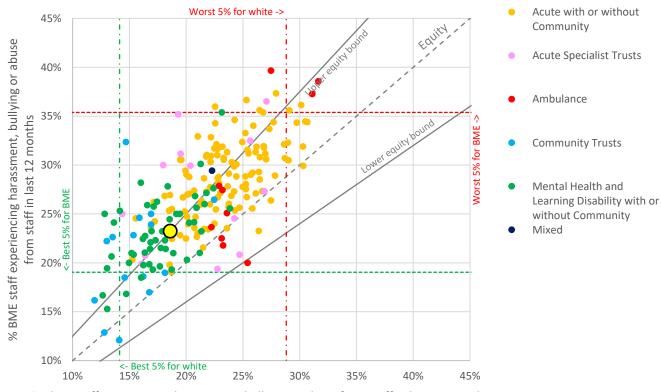
% White staff experiencing harassment, bullying or abuse from patients, relatives or the public in last 12 months





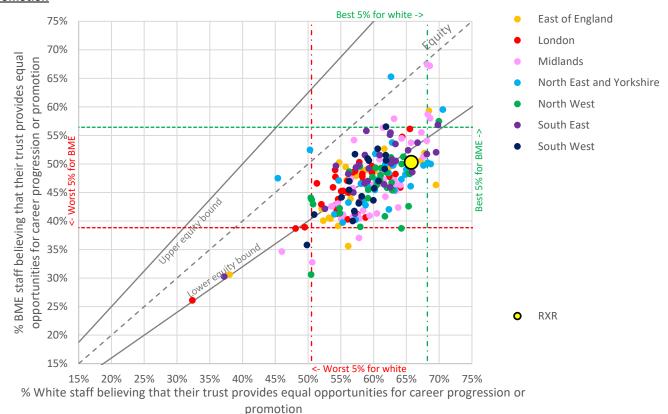


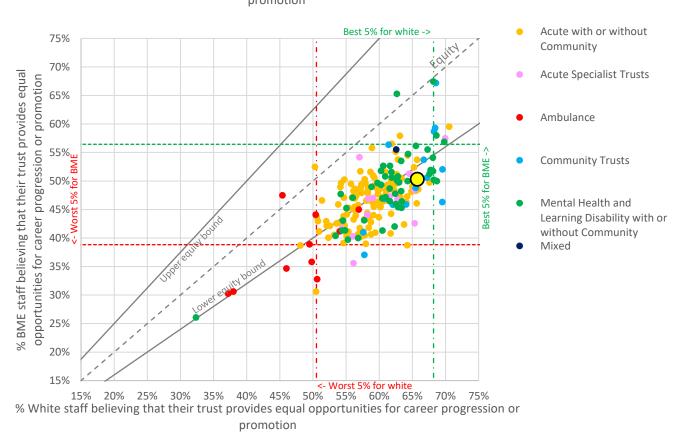




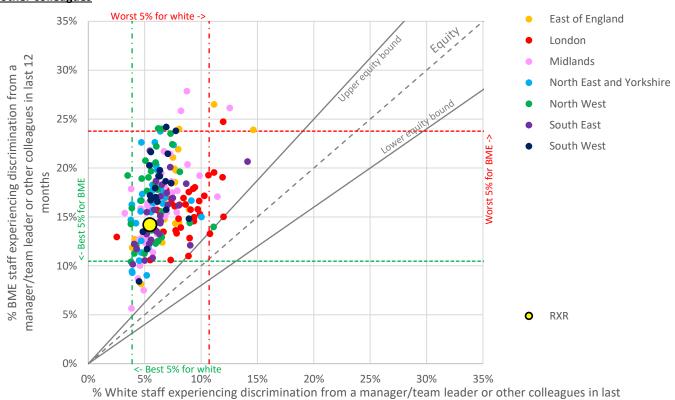
% White staff experiencing harassment, bullying or abuse from staff in last 12 months

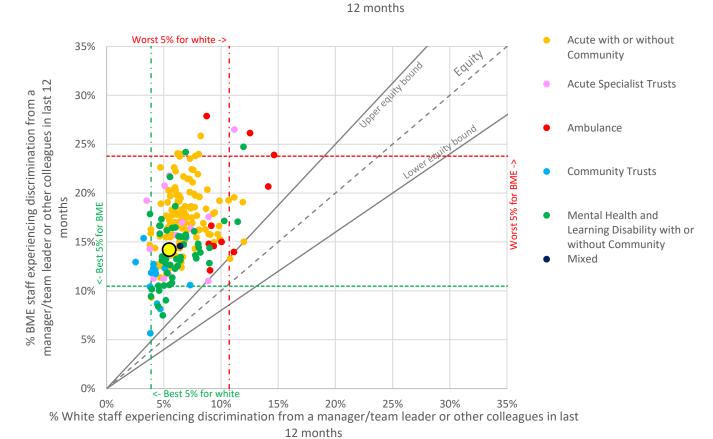
<u>Indicator 7: The percentage of staff who believed that the trust provided equal opportunities for career progression or promotion</u>



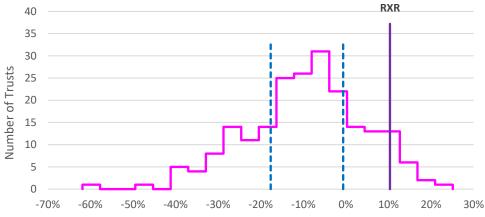


<u>Indicator 8: The percentage of staff who personally experienced discrimination at work from a manager, team leader or other colleagues</u>

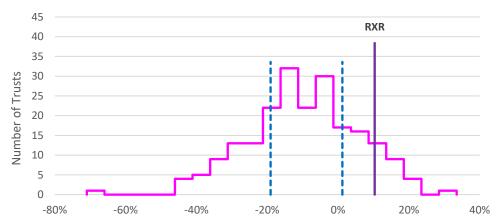




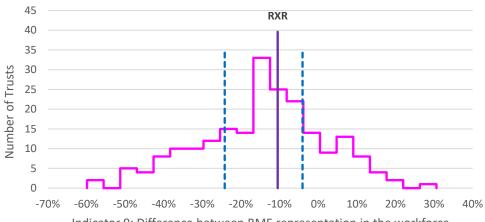
<u>Indicator 9: Board membership, the difference between BME representation on the board and BME representation in the workforce</u>



Indicator 9: Difference between BME representation in the workforce and on the board, overall



Indicator 9: Difference between BME representation in the workforce and amongst voting board members



Indicator 9: Difference between BME representation in the workforce and amongst executive board members