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Meeting:	Brighton and Sussex University Hospitals NHS Trust Board of Directors
Date:	27 October 2016
Board Sponsor:	Chief Financial Officer
Paper Author:	Local Counter Fraud Specialist & Compliance Manager
Subject:	Counter Fraud Board Paper

Executive summary

This report highlights the function of BSUH's Local Counter Fraud Specialist & Compliance Manager and describes the reactive and proactive work undertaken, which is reported to each meeting of the Audit Committee.

Action required by the Board

The Board is asked to discuss and note the report.

Links to corporate objectives	The work of the Local Counter Fraud Specialist & Compliance Manager is a key component of the Trust's corporate and financial governance arrangements.
Identified risks and risk management actions	Fraud and corruption carry a material and reputational risk for the Trust.
Resource implications	There are no resource implications of this paper.
Legal implications	Formal investigation of fraud cases can result in the prosecution of individuals.
Report history	The Local Counter Fraud Specialist & Compliance Manager reports to each meeting of the Audit Committee
Appendices	None