



NHS Wales Finance Academy Board STATEMENT OF AGREEMENT February 2020

“Once for Wales”

The NHS Wales Finance Academy has confirmed that all Directors of Finance will take a “once for Wales” approach to its improvement programmes, this includes Procurement to Payment (P2P), standardised Graduate Training Programme, digital strategy and many others. This is to ensure maximum benefits are derived through the application of a single, standardised approach both for the individual organisation and at an All Wales level.

Where a single approach is identified as best practice, benefits and risks should be clearly articulated and a case must be supported by sub-group members. All Directors of Finance will ensure compliance in their organisations or provide a clear justification to the other Directors at the Finance Academy Board as to why this should not apply to their organisation.

This statement is signed by the Director of Finance of Hywel Dda University Health Board as their commitment to a standardised approach and / or their commitment to providing justification to the Finance Academy Board where they believe this cannot be managed in their organisation.

Agreed by Huw Thomas

Director of Finance of Hywel Dda University Health Board

Date 4 February 2020