## HOW CAN WE HELP?

- We don't celebrate good practice PPO could emphasise positive work
- PPO should order recs in order of priority
- PPO should use influence re sentencing etc.
- Complaints could PPO approach a prison at outset of an investigation to see if the complaint can/should be resolved?
- Direct conversation with prison would help. Should SCCT have a different role?
- SPOC at SMT+ level (regular engagement with Prison Group Directors)
- Make Governors a bigger part of the process
- Facilitate joint engagement
- Encourage local ownership of reports/recs
- PPO should visit more prisons
- Review our role in influencing HMPPS policy and ministers. Do we use our voice effectively enough in big picture discussions?
- PPO can/should comment on why people are in custody in the first place. Comment that prisoners may be sat in prison with a range of needs that cannot be met by the prison
- Should healthcare recs be made to the commissioner not the head of healthcare. HoH may not have responsibility for mental health/drugs
- Refresh the proforma for required information post-incident for PPO
- Healthcare recommendations to Commissioner and copied to Governor
- Quality investigations = confidence in the report
- Can we produce more visual content to be shared at staff briefings? Build stories from PPO investigations into SASH training

