# **Croydon Pensions Admin Team**

Performance Report

October 2022



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## **Reference Key Table**

| Direction | of travel reference table                             |
|-----------|---|
| 1         | 100% achieved against target performance improved     |
|           | 100% achieved on target and performance static        |
|           | >90% achieved against target and performance improved |
|           | >90% achieved against target and performance static   |
| 1         | >90% achieved against target and performance declined |
| 1         | <90% achieved against target and performance improved |
| -         | <90% achieved against target and performance static   |
| 1         | <90% achieved against target and performance declined |

## **Legal Deadlines**

| Process   | Legal<br>Requirement  | Total<br>Number<br>Completed | % Achieved in legal deadline | Total<br>Number<br>Completed | % Achieved in legal deadline | Total<br>Number<br>Completed | % Achieved in legal deadline | Direction of Travel | Comments   |
|---|---|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| Send a<br>notification<br>of joining<br>the LGPS<br>to a<br>scheme<br>member                  | Two months from the date of joining the scheme or earlier if within one month of receiving jobholder information where the individual is being automatically enrolled/re-enrolled | June                         | 81%                          | July 2<br>58                 |                              | Augus<br>176                 |                              | 1                   | New starter cases increase at this time of year as a result of the end of year processes. New starters that employers have failed to inform us of through out the year are identified.   |
| Inform a<br>scheme<br>member of<br>their<br>calculated<br>benefits<br>(refund or<br>deferred) | As soon as practicable and no more than two months from the date of notification (from employer or scheme member)   | 303                          | 16%                          | 474                          | 16%                          | 428                          | 18%                          | 1                   | Historical backlog has now been passed to Hymans Robertson for processing. As old cases are processed this will impact on performance against target. Until the backlog is cleared 100% performance against this deadline will not be met. |

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|  |   | June                         | 2022                                  | July 2                       | 2022                                  | August                       | t 2022                                |                     |  |
| To process and pay a refund  | Two months from the date of request   | 22                           | 100%                                  | 32                           | 100%                                  | 13                           | 100%                                  | -                   |  |
| Obtain transfer details for transfer in, calculate and provide quotation to member | Two months from the date of request   | 1                            | 100%                                  | 1                            | 100%                                  | 5                            | 100%                                  | •                   |  |
| Notify the amount of retirement benefits   | One month from the date of retirement if on or after normal pension age or two months from the date of retirement if after normal pension age | 39                           | 100%                                  | 39                           | 100%                                  | 43                           | 100%                                  | -                   |  |
| Provide a retirement quotation on request  | As soon as practicable but no more than two months from the date of request unless there has already been a request in the last 12 months     | 61                           | 100%                                  | 75                           | 100%                                  | 91                           | 100%                                  | -                   | We have seen an increase in the number of estimate requests. |

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|  |   | June :                       | 2022                         | July 2                       | 2022                                  | August                       | t 2022                       |                     |          |
| Calculate and<br>notify<br>(dependent(s)<br>of amount of<br>death<br>benefits    | As soon as possible but in any event no more than two months from date of becoming aware of death or from date of request from a third party (e.g. personal representative) | 20                           | 100%                         | 17                           | 100%                                  | 22                           | 100%                         | •                   |          |
| Provide all active and deferred members with annual benefit statements each year | By 31 <sup>st</sup> August  |                              |                              |                              |                                       |                              |                              |                     |          |

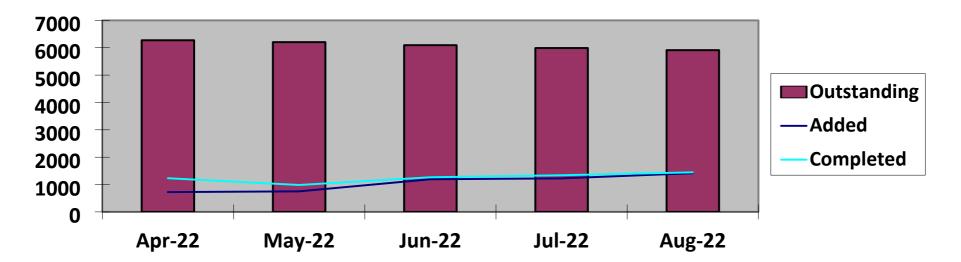
## **Team Performance Targets**

| Process   | Team<br>Target   | Total<br>Number<br>Completed | %<br>Achieved<br>against | Average days to process | Total<br>Number<br>Completed | %<br>Achieved<br>against | Average days to process | Total<br>Number<br>Completed | %<br>Achieved<br>against | Average days to process | Direction of Travel | Comments   |
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|   |  |                              | target<br>June 2022      |                         |                              | target<br>July 2022      |                         | ^                            | target<br>august 2022    |                         | OI IIavei           | Comments   |
| Send a<br>notification<br>of joining the<br>LGPS to a<br>scheme<br>member | 30 days<br>from date<br>of<br>notification<br>of joining<br>member         | 54                           | 69%                      | 28                      | 58                           | 88%                      | 27                      | 176                          | 99%                      | 1                       | 1                   | New starters that employers have not informed us about are being identified as part of the end of year process. The extra resources diverted to processing new starters has vastly improved KPIs in this area.   |
| Inform a scheme member of their calculated benefits (refund or deferred)  | 40 working days from date of notification (from employer or scheme member) | 303                          | 15%                      | 893                     | 474                          | 15%                      | 914                     | 428                          | 18%                      | 866                     |                     | Historical backlog has now been passed to Hymans Robertson for processing. As old cases are processed this will impact on performance against target. Until the backlog is cleared 100% performance against target will not be met.  The Pension Committee have requested a breakdown between backlog and current cases. It has not been possible to seaparte the current and historic cases in the reporting without signifigant changes of the report. As the backlog project is due to end in Sept/Oct a deciosn has been made to keep the KPI reporting as one |

|  |  |  |  |  |  | and add additional infomration on the |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  | backlog in the tables                 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | below.                                |

| Process  | Team<br>Target  | Total<br>Number<br>Completed | %<br>Achieved<br>against<br>target | Average days to process | Total<br>Number<br>Completed | %<br>Achieved<br>against<br>target | Average days to process | Total<br>Number<br>Completed | %<br>Achieved<br>against<br>target | Average days to process | Direction of Travel | Comments                        |
|--|---|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|
|  |   |                              | June 2022                          |                         |                              | July 2022                          |                         |                              | ugust 2022                         |                         |                     |                                 |
| To process<br>and pay a<br>refund  | 40 working days from the date of request                    | 22                           | 100%                               | 5                       | 32                           | 100%                               | 2                       | 13                           | 100%                               | 1                       | -                   |                                 |
| Obtain transfer details for transfer in, calculate and provide quotation to member | 40 working<br>days from<br>the date of<br>request           | 1                            | 100%                               | 0                       | 1                            | 100%                               | 1                       | 5                            | 100%                               | 1                       |                     |                                 |
| Notify the amount of retirement benefits   | 20 working<br>days from<br>date of<br>retirement            | 39                           | 100%                               | 2                       | 39                           | 100%                               | 3                       | 43                           | 100%                               | 2                       |                     |                                 |
| Provide a retirement quotation on request  | 15 working<br>days from<br>date of<br>request               | 61                           | 98%                                | 2                       | 75                           | 99%                                | 3                       | 91                           | 100%                               | 2                       | 1                   | One case missed target in July. |
| Calculate and notify (dependent(s) of amount of death benefits                     | 20 working<br>days from<br>receipt of<br>all<br>information | 20                           | 100%                               | 5                       | 17                           | 100%                               | 3                       | 22                           | 100%                               | 2                       | •                   |                                 |

#### Case levels



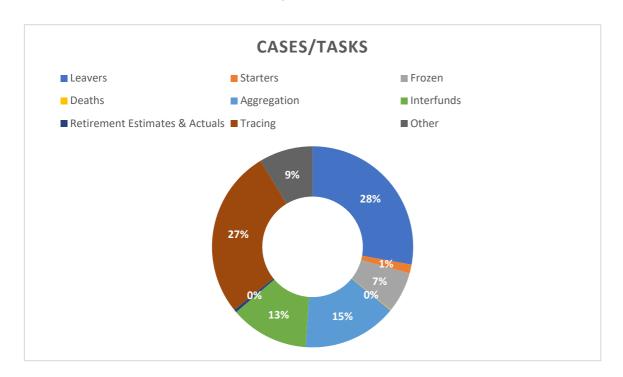
This chart details the number of cases and stand-alone tasks added and completed and the number of outstanding cases/tasks at the end of each period. The number of tasks and cases added and completed each month is also being tracked.

The figures used to compile this chart are taken from three separate reports using real time data. As a result there are some discrepancies between the reports and it has been necessary to remove the number of cases/tasks brought forward each month. The team is working to resolve these issues.

The majority of stand-alone tasks are generated automatically by the iConnect system and do not always result in a calculation case being created. The iConnect tasks are assessed by the Technical Team and appropriate action is taken. Although a task may not result in a calculation we have included them in the figures to show the volume of work processed by the team.

A stand-alone tracing task is setup once a backlog deferred case has been completed. Resources have been allocated to trace these members in October 2022. The number of tracing tasks amounts to 27.14% of outstanding cases/tasks as at 31 August 2022.

### Breakdown of case/task type



#### **Member self-service**

| Scheme members registered                 | 6010 (22.74%) |
|---|---------------|
| Number scheme members who accessed annual | 737           |
| benefit statement Q2 Apr 2022 – Jun 2022  |               |

#### **Contributions Monitoring**

| Contributions reconciled to schedules | % Completed |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| April 2022 to June 2022               | 97.57       |