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CHKS Quality of Care Award winner scoops prestigious HSJ Acute Organisation of the Year

Cambridge University Hospitals Foundation Trust has been named winner of the HSJ Acute Organisation of the Year category, sponsored by CHKS, at the prestigious HSJ Awards 2008. The award represents yet another accolade for the CHKS client trust which earlier this year won the CHKS Quality of Care Award for hospitals throughout the UK.

The trust was singled out for the HSJ award for its drive for transformation to raise standards in five priority areas that include improving care and safety, improving the patient experience and ensuring clinical excellence and effectiveness.

Paul Robinson, Head of Market Intelligence, CHKS, said: "We congratulate Cambridge University Hospitals Foundation Trust for winning this award, which is a hard-earned recognition of the trust's drive for excellence through innovation and leadership."

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Notes to editors:

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