

<b>Month</b>	<b>Outturn against 10 day payment target</b>
April 2013	95%
May 2013	93%
June 2013	93%
July 2013	93%
August 2013	91%
September 2013	92%
October 2013	93%
November 2013	90%
December 2013	92%
January 2014	86%
February 2014	90%
March 2014	96%

The government's objective is to pay all suppliers within five days. Monitor supports this objective, but as a small organisation with a finance team of three full-time and one part-time member of staff, it is not possible to achieve, as performance from month to month would be significantly affected by the working patterns of the individuals processing invoices. However, we are committed to striving to meet a 10-day payment target.