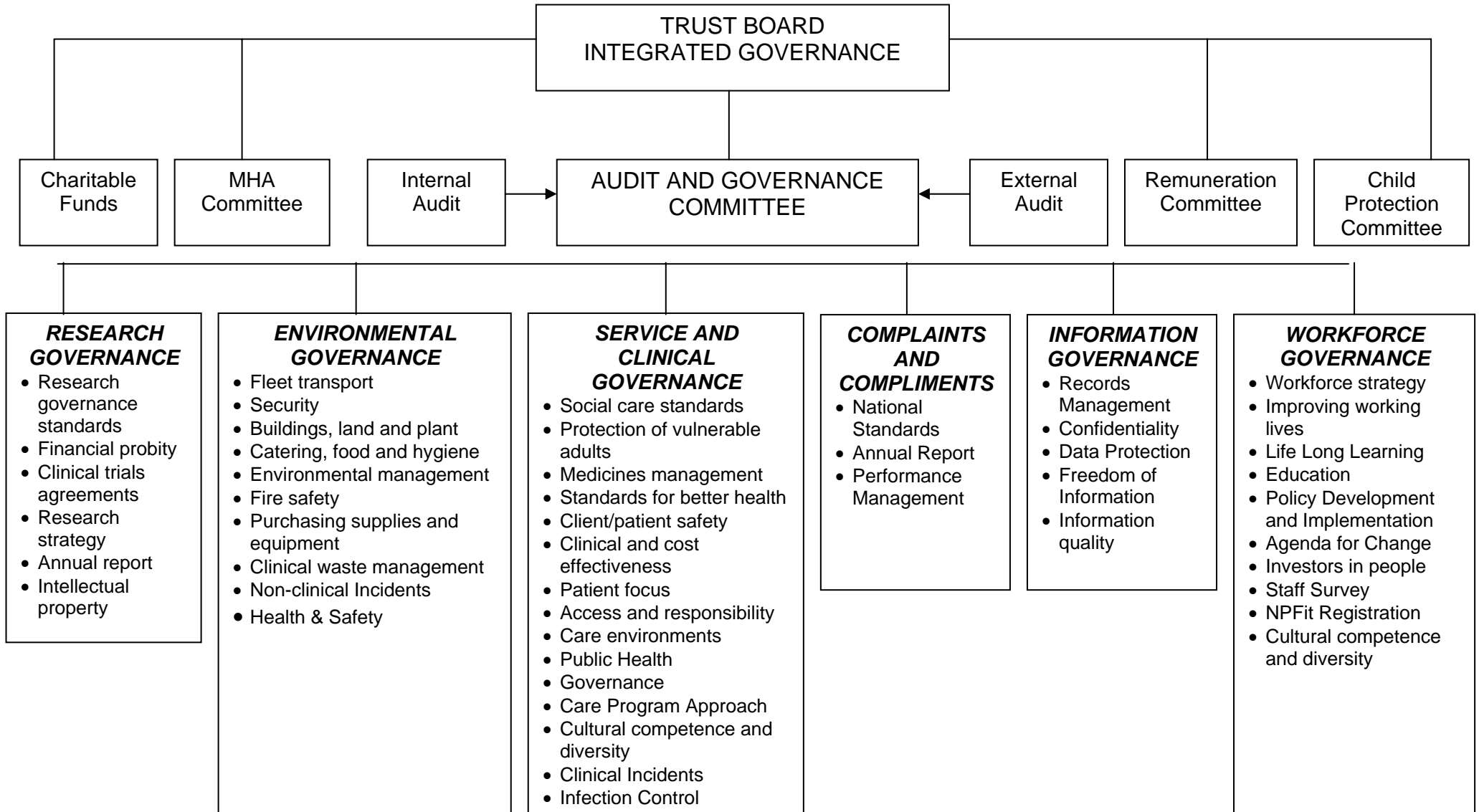


1. SMHP Governance Structure



Executive Team – The Executive team retains core executive responsibilities for both strategic and corporate objectives. This will include the approval of non-risk policies, business planning process, action plans related to star ratings and performance management, local delivery plan, organisation development and financial planning.

**SUBGROUPS ACCOUNTABLE/REPORTING TO THE SMHPT
GOVERNANCE SUBCOMMITTEES
AS AT OCTOBER 2005**

Research Governance	Environmental Governance	Clinical and service Governance	Complaints and Compliments	Information Governance	Workforce Governance
	Health and Safety Medical Devices Management Committee Estates and Environmental East Health and Safety Committee West Health and Safety Committee	Clinical Audit Clinical Policy Board Drugs and Therapeutics Infection Control Committee NICE implementation group Professional Nursing Advisory Group Clinical Management Teams CPA group		Records Management EPex working group	Improving Working Lives Education and training Joint working policy group Agenda for change