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Two highlights of the progress being made in the development of the Centre's programme over the period from November 2021 are:

- In anticipation of the funding of the two-year Preliminary Activity requested in an application to the UKRI Infrastructure Advisory Committee for the establishment of the Ion Therapy Research Facility (ITRF) served by the CCAP-led Laser-hybrid Accelerator for Radiobiological Applications (LhARA), CCAP personnel are in discussion with STFC to define the governance of the Preliminary Activity and the distribution of resource.
- The CCAP International Advisory Board has been established and had its first meeting on the 8th February 2022. The membership of the IAB is:
 - M.Lamont (Director for Accelerators and Technology, CERN, Chair)
 - P.Bolton (LMU, retired)
 - M.Baumann (Director, German Cancer Research Center, DKFZ)
 - B.Sorensen (Danish Centre for Particle Therapy, Aarhus University Hospital)

The IAB agreed to carry out a review of the proposal for the Preliminary and Preconstruction Phases of LhARA in the context of the ITRF.