

# SUPPLEMENT TO THE AGENDA FOR

# Health & Social Care Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Monday 19 January 2015

10.00 am

The Committee Room, Shire Hall, Hereford

### 7. ACCOUNTABILITY SESSION

17 - 30

**Pages** 

To hold a public accountability session for organisations within the health sector. This session shall focus on Herefordshire Clinical Commissioning Group and the Arden, Herefordshire and Worcestershire Area Team.



MEETING:	HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
MEETING DATE:	19 JANUARY 2015
TITLE OF REPORT:	ACCOUNTABILITY SESSION
REPORT BY:	DEMOCRATIC SERVICES OFFICER

### 1. Classification

Open

# 2. Key Decision

This is not an executive decision

### 3. Wards Affected

County-wide

# 4. Purpose

- 4.1 To hold a public accountability session to discuss the performance of organisations within the health sector in Herefordshire:
  - Herefordshire Clinical Commissioning Group
  - Arden, Herefordshire and Worcestershire Area Team

### 5. Recommendation

THAT: The Committee considers and discusses the presentations from the health sector organisations.

# 6. Alternative Options

There are no relevant alternative options.

### 7. Reasons for Recommendations

7.1 Accountability sessions are a concept that Staffordshire Council developed as a result of the Report of the Mid Staffordshire NHS Foundation Trust Public Inquiry. The intention is to get interconnected health bodies together with the public and Councillors in order to enable them to challenge and question the relevant organisations in a more joined up way.

Each body has provided a presentation that focuses on:

- the key work that the body has completed through the previous year
- any success throughout the previous year
- · any challenges throughout the previous year
- key areas of concentration for the coming year

- areas of risk for the coming year
- areas that might be beneficial of an input by scrutiny ie in task and finish groups.

# 8. Financial Implications

8.1 There are no financial implications to this report.

# 9. Legal Implications

9.1 There are no legal implications to this report.

# 10. Background Papers

10.1 None identified.

# **NHS Herefordshire CCG**

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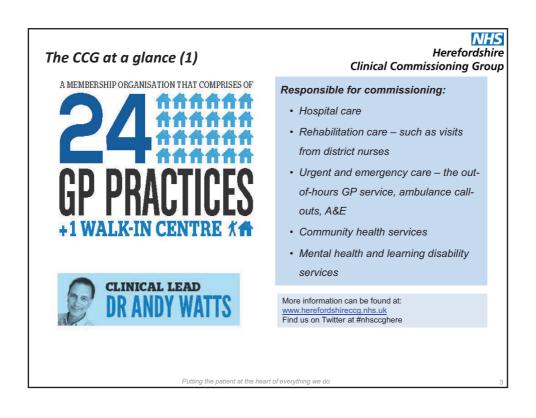
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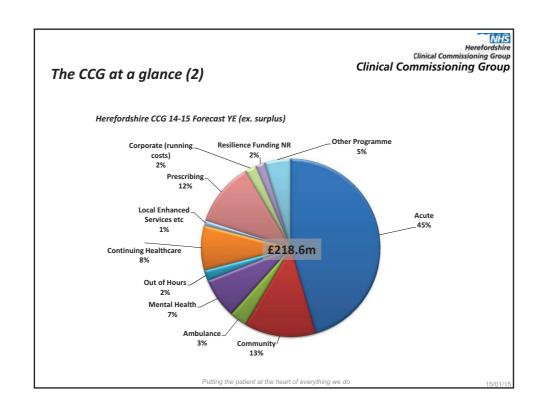
Herefordshire Clinical Commissioning Group

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  - Primary Care commissioning
  - NHS Planning process & 5 year forward view

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### **Our Vision**

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Our vision for Herefordshire Health and Care system is focused on seamless integrated services

By 2020 Herefordshire system partners will provide seamless integrated care and support designed around the needs of individuals, their carers and their families.

We want to be at the leading edge of seamless integration of care and support around individuals and their families. For patients, service users and their families this will mean that services "wrap around them", to provide co-ordinated consistent and high quality services across organisational

Primary care and practice populations will act as the focal point around which we will organise community health and wellbeing, social care and voluntary sector services. In this way we will:

- •Support patients, service users and their families to maximise their independence
- Promote proactive anticipatory care planning (Providing appropriate alternatives to hospital admission)
- Support self-management
- •Deliver effective re-ablement and integration back into people's usual place of residence and their communities
- Provide improved information, advice and care planning

This will ensure that the people of Herefordshire (adults, children and families) are at the heart of decision making about their health and wellbeing.

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# Challenges faced by our Health and Social **Care Economy**

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### Quality:

- Fragmented Services resulting in pathway barriers Increases in demand and lack of flexible capacity
- Provision of same standards of care at weekends as at week days
- Standards of care can be compromised at periods of high demand
- Poor data quality and lack of sharing of information
- High hospital mortality rates (HSMR/SHMI)
- Urgent Care under extreme pressure at times

### Demography:

- Ageing population 22% of the population 65yrs+ (compared to 17% national Average)
- Pockets of high levels of deprivation
- Scattered population across large geographical
- Increasing number of people with long term
- conditions (e.g. dementia)
  Increasing health effects from lifestyle behaviours (smoking, obesity, alcohol)

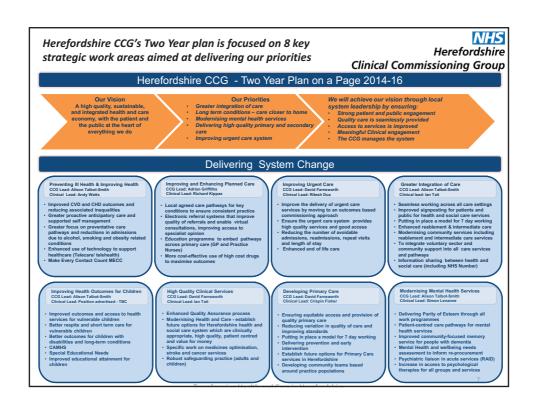
# The Challenges

### Financial & Demand Pressures:

- Our financial challenge for 15/16 could be £15m
- As at month 5, emergency activity is up by almost a quarter
- Delivery of constitutional targets is fragile

### Workforce issues:

- Significant proportion of GPs due to retire in the next 5 years
- Shortages in secondary care workforce
- Low turnover of staff due to geographical isolation (both a positive and a negative)



# Progress to date (1)

- A new outcome based approach to Urgent Care based on the experience and care that local people have told
  us they want to receive when they need an urgent response from the NHS
  - Extensive public engagement public 13/14
  - Integrated urgent care pathway from NHS 111to A&E with focus on outcomes important to patients and not input measures
  - Identified- WVT as our potential accountable lead provider
  - (specific item on agenda)
- Stroke a robust plan to secure sustainable improvements in the service that people in Herefordshire receive.
   Increased investment of £1.1m and clinical network with Gloucestershire to ensure access to the best expertise for our patients; improved local capacity and pathways. Delivery from 1st April 2015 designed to:
  - Improved access to TIA clinics to prevent strokes
  - $-\quad \text{move to earlier assessment and goal directed care planning in partnership with patients and carers}$
  - where possible Early Supported Discharge to enable rehabilitation in peoples own homes
  - focus on survivorship

# Progress to date (2)

- "Virtual Wards" identifying and supporting the most vulnerable patients to ensure that they receive the care
  they need to prevent deterioration and support to manage their own condition for the long term. Feedback
  from patient.
- "....I found the experience very rewarding, not only could I be in my own house but I received the expert care of these dedicated nurses. Every one of the nurses who came on the subsequent visits were so friendly and approachable, it made me feel so at ease. Not only were they very professional in their duty but they all were all willing to sit, chat and reassure me. In my opinion the Virtual Ward service is one of the best features of this local NHS service. And full credit goes to each and everyone of the nurses on this service...'
- "Hospital at Home" Supporting people in their own homes, to prevent the need for admission and also to
  ensure that they are discharged from hospital at the earliest appropriate point to support long term recovery
  and independence service. Evaluation undertaken in Summer 2014
  - 187 patients were able to leave hospital earlier than their predicted length of stay when supported by the Early Supported Discharge element of the Hospital at Home.
  - 301 patients were discharged from the Hospital at Home by the end of July 2014. Within 28 days of discharge 16 patients (5%) were readmitted to the virtual ward for additional treatment and 47 patients (16%) were admitted to hospital.
  - Qualitative interviews articulated overwhelmingly positive reports of the benefits of the care provided.

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# Progress to date (3)

- Falls response available 24 hours per day every day including Bank Holidays,
  - provides a response where no emergency informal contacts are available, and emergency services are not required but would have attended in the absence of alternative informal support services also
  - Provide assistance to get up following a fall using appropriate protocols, aids and equipment and light first aid provision.
  - Responding with welfare visits to no answer and incoherent calls preventing the default call out of emergency services.
  - Assessing risks in the home and signposting with consent to appropriate services, e.g. GP, Falls Prevention Team, Social Workers, and Handyman Service.

### Other

- CVD/Diabetes joint work with Herefordshire Councils Public Health Department
  - Putting patients in control programme listening to patient voice to design weight reduction services
  - Plan around improved management BP and working with patients to increase understanding of AF and need to take anticoagulants
- End of life care strategy so earlier identification to enable improved planning with patients and families
- Dementia new county-wide strategy to address the issue of the estimated 3,000 people in Herefordshire living with dementia, focus on puts earlier diagnosis, better post-diagnosis support and a more joined up approach between health and care providers
- Supported self-management
- Implementation of clinical assessment unit

# **Continued Patient Engagement**

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Engagement work over last 12months which we will build on......

- · Topic specific e.g.
  - Urgent Care
  - Assisted conception
  - Mental Health needs assessment
- · Individual groups e.g.
  - · Voice of the child
  - Stroke patients
  - Diabetes patients
  - Young Farmers on MH Needs assessment
  - Member of Civilian and military task group
- Going forward we will hold regular events for the Public and our members that are designed to
  engage but importantly also feedback to patients last event @ Kindle centre 10 December
- Will continue to hold public body meetings around County so far meetings in Ross, Ledbury & Leominster that include opportunity for Communities to ask have dialogue with CCG
- We will also be working gwith partners to have a joined up 'engagement gateway' to co-oridnate consultations and engagement activity



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# Current performance issues (1)

- CQC & WVT placement in special measures
  - WVT Patient Care Improvement Plan refresh to strengthen OD/cultural development
  - Combined programme of Assurance visits TSA/WVT/CCG
  - WVT mortality tracker on stream spring 2015
  - CCG membership of Quality Oversight group and WVT quality board
- Urgent Care pressures (inc A&E 4 hr wait)
  - Multi-agency System Resilience Group (SRG) and plan in place
  - Daily calls improved disciple in escalation
  - Investment in prevention (falls, practice review)
  - Rapid discharge (RAAC, link nurses)
  - Planning for future outcomes based approach to commissioning

# **Current performance issues (2)**

- Waiting times (referral to treatment times and diagnostics)
  - Pressures in general surgery, Trauma and Orthopaedics, Ear, Nose and Throat,
     Ophthalmology
  - SRG identifying areas for improved flows
  - Recovery plan implemented by WVT inc 'pod' from Nov
  - Optimising use of Nuffield
  - Review of Access policy
- Cancer long waiting times
  - Additional work with Worcs/gloucs on improved delivery
  - Investment in radiotherapy provision
  - Recruitment of breast radiologist
  - Direct access to diagnostics



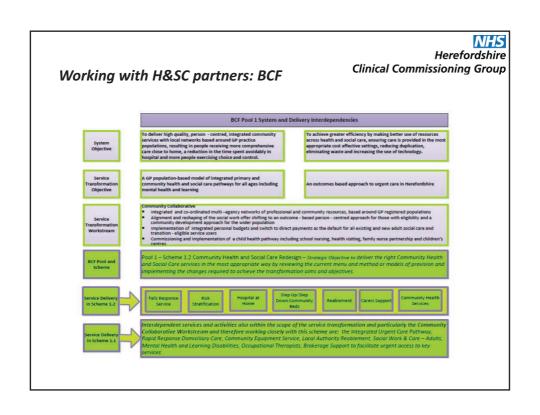
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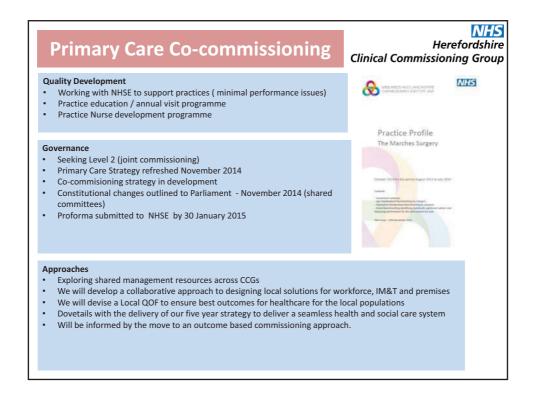
- Mental Health & dementia delivery against key national standards (inc access to psychological therapies & Dementia diagnosis rates )
  - Dementia care pathway developed in partnership with carers and local organisations
  - £600k investment to enhance memory clinic capacity
  - memory clinic nurses embedded in primary care
  - Targeted funding for dedicated IAPT service
  - Public awareness campaign
  - Promoting awareness of service with primary and secondary care

# Working with H&SC partners (3)

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- Health and Wellbeing Board revised terms of Reference increase the
  presence of CCG on the H&WB Board, reflecting our System Leadership role
  and our commitment to working together for the benefit of local people
- Better Care Fund our plans will sit at the centre of the delivery of System
  Transformation in Herefordshire. A pooled budget of £36-38m
- Joint Commissioning Board with delegated authority from the CCG and the Local Authority, ensuring the delivery of our joint strategies and aspirations for improved care.





# National NHS Planning Process

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### Annual Process

- All NHS bodies expected to submit refreshed 2 year operational plans
- Sets financial rules and planning assumptions
- Developed by NHSE, TDA and Monitor

### Content & expectations

- Outlines content and areas of focus
- Narrative refreshed and series of financial and performance templates
- · Assurance process by regional teams
- Interdependency/triangulation with contract process and negotiations
- Will build on existing plans e.g. BCF, transformation programme, 5 yr plan

### Timelines

- Guidance issued late December 2014
- Developed by NHSE, TDA and Monitor
- Intention refresh of 2 year plan building on 5 year plans
- Draft CCG narrative submitted mid February , final early April
- Underpinned by performance and finance templates
- · Assurance process by regional teams

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### Key elements of national guidance

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- Focus on (i) operational performance delivery, and (ii) how the NHS can begin to progress the Forward View.
- committed statutory NHS bodies to becoming more joined-up.
- Invites organisations to register their interest in various care models; and outline a intervention regime for systems in serious difficulty (Dalton review)
- sets out a plan to deliver a new deal for primary care
- describe next steps to implement the urgent and emergency care review, review maternity, mental health and cancer services
- Requirement to refresh plans for Improving Access to Psychological Therapies, dementia diagnosis, and services for people with learning disabilities
- introduction of new access standards for mental health as part of ambition to achieve a genuine parity of esteem between mental and physical health by 2020.

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# NHS England : Update for Herefordshire HOSC

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# **Background to the NHS England Changes**



- To ensure the organisation is clearer and focused on its core purpose and priority objectives.
- To build new capabilities for the organisation, which are critical for it to carry out its role as a commissioning organisation.
- To streamline and align the functions and structures which support the organisation to work more effectively across the national support centre, regions and area teams to minimise duplication and make more effective use of our resources.
- To revise the structures to deliver the necessary cost savings by April 2015, so NHS England can live within its budget for 2015/16.

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# Until April 2015 we are in a period of transition



- We now have four regional teams and these will operate on a single level
- The new 12 sub regions are now integrated into these new regional teams
- A central team replaces the National Support Centre



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