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Herefordshire Comprehensive Area Assessment preparation programme: January 2008 to December 2009

Objectives:

- To establish and begin to operate the essential infrastructure in 2008-09
- To be well-prepared for the full introduction of the new system from April 2009
- To be improving well/have promising prospects for improvement in the direction of travel assessment in 2009-10
- To be consistently above minimum requirements, performing well in the use of resources assessment in 2009-10

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The elements of the programme:

- 1 Understanding the area and its diverse communities, with particular emphasis on the disadvantaged
- 2 Engaging and empowering local citizens and service users, with particular emphasis on the disadvantaged
- 3 Using this understanding, engagement and empowerment as the basis for developing the Council's and the Herefordshire Partnership's shared vision, priorities, objectives and commissioning
- 4 Ensuring that the necessary capacity is in place, including the right skills, knowledge and behaviours, to achieve the vision, priorities and objectives
- 5 Ensuring that effective arrangements are in place to identify and manage the risks to achieving the vision, priorities and objectives
- 6 Ensuring that the Council, with its partners, is improving well/has promising prospects for improvement in the direction of travel assessment
- 7 Ensuring that the Council, with its partners, is consistently above minimum requirements, performing well in the use of resources assessment
- 8 Effective communication of the programme to members, staff, partners, stakeholders and the public

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1 Understanding the area and its diverse communities, with particular emphasis on the disadvantaged

ACTION	WHEN	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (and others with a major role)	RELEVANT PROGRAMMES/PROJE CTS & OTHER COMMENTS
1.1 Joint Strategic Needs Analysis (health and social care; statutory, comes into effect 1 April 2008) Scoping what exists/gaps, leading to a prioritised	Apr 08	In accordance with the Government	Director of Public Health, Director of Adult and Community Services, Director of Children's	Existing health and social care needs analyses, including the <i>Annual report of the Director of Public Health</i> and <i>The State of Herefordshire</i>
programme, particularly as regards the disadvantaged (likely focus in year one on making the best possible use of existing data sources)	·	guidance. Joint programme agreed by the Council and PCT Programme completed that provides a	(Other directors, Research, Heads of service and designated	Report
Carry out the initial programme	Mar 09	sound basis for setting health and social care priorities, objectives and targets, and for commissioning	managers in Children's Services and Adult Social Care; partner organisations)	

ACTION	WHEN	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (and others with a major role)	RELEVANT PROGRAMMES/PROJE CTS & OTHER COMMENTS
1.2 Needs analyses for other aspects Determine overall leadership Scoping what exists/gaps, leading to a prioritised programme, particularly as regards the disadvantaged (likely focus in year one on making the best possible use of existing data sources)	Feb 08 Apr 08	Clear leadership Joint programme agreed by the Council and PCT	Director of Adult and Community Services, Director of Corporate and Customer Services (Other directors;	Existing needs analyses, including <i>The State of Herefordshire Report</i> The <i>Sub-regional Economic Assessment</i>
Carry out the programme	Mar 09	Programme completed that provides a sound basis for setting priorities, objectives and targets, and for commissioning	Research; designated heads of service; partner organisations)	
1.3 Identify changes needed to data collection and analysis to provide reliable, regular data, e.g. single, shared client data-bases, setting a prioritised timetable for each element	Apr 08 Mar 09	Prioritised timetable in place Desired data and analysis produced, providing a sound basis for setting priorities, objectives and targets, and for commissioning	Tony Geeson (Heads of service, performance improvement managers, Research)	Data Quality Action Plan

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1.4 Place-based mandatory satisfaction survey	Sep 08	In accordance with the statutory requirements	Tony Cramp	The Council's annual satisfaction and citizens' panel surveys, and its
			(Martin Heuter, heads of service)	Community Consultation Strategy
1.5 Equalities impact assessments		Provide a sound basis for setting priorities, objectives and targets, and	Carol Trachonitis	The various equalities action plans
Current round	Mar 08	for commissioning	(Heads of service;	
Next round	Mar 09		Research)	

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2 Engaging and empowering local citizens and service users, with particular emphasis on the disadvantaged

ACTION	WHEN	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (and others with a major role)	RELEVANT PROGRAMMES/PROJECTS & OTHER COMMENTS
2.1 Meeting the new statutory duty to involve local people in decisions (comes into effect on 1 April 2009), including amendments to the Council's Constitution, complaints process and handling of public petitions Scoping what exists, then and gap analysis, leading to prioritised programme, particularly in respect of the disadvantaged	Mar 08	Measurable improvements in services/outcomes, demonstrably related to local people's involvement Improved public perception ratings of the Council/PCT overall and individual services/factors Improved ratings in respect of the public's perception of involvement and influence	Jennifer Watkins, Martin Heuter, Alan McLaughlin (Research, heads of service, consultation staff elsewhere in the Council and in the PCT and partner organisations)	Community Involvement Strategy PACTs, LINks Public consultation team's review of involvement and consultation mechanisms in the county. Public consultation on the Local Development Framework
Able to meet statutory duty	Apr 09	Compliance with the statutory duty		

ACTION	WHEN	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (and others with a major role)	RELEVANT PROGRAMMES/PROJECTS & OTHER COMMENTS
2.2 Systematic collection and understanding of customer feedback and complaints		Measurable improvements in services/outcomes demonstrably related to feedback/complaints	Geoff Cole (Heads of service, performance improvement	Current review of Council customer standards
Council More generally	Mar 08 Dec 08		managers, PCT and other partner organisations)	
2.3 Establish stronger, more effective links with neighbourhoods and parishes	Dec 08	Measurable improvements in services/outcomes demonstrably related to local people's involvement Improved public perception ratings of the Council overall and individual.	Martin Heuter, Nina Bridges, Robert Blower (Heads of service,	Early wins from parish plan action plans already made available to services PACTs, LINks
		the Council overall and individual services/factors Improved ratings in respect of the public's perception of involvement and influence	Research, Environment)	

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3 Using this understanding, engagement and empowerment as the basis for the Council's and the Herefordshire Partnership's shared vision, priorities, objectives and commissioning

ACTION	WHEN	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (and others with a major role)	RELEVANT PROGRAMMES/PROJECTS & OTHER COMMENTS
3.1 New Local Area Agreement (LAA)	Jun 08	Agreed priorities, outcomes, objectives and targets for Herefordshire on which all partners are agreed and working together to achieve Ministerial approval Achievement of the LAA targets	Michael Hainge, Jennifer Watkins (Heads of service, performance improvement managers, Research, PCT and other partner organisations)	Council's Corporate Plan and the plans of the PCT and other partner organisations
3.2 Action plan for the Sustainable Community Strategy (SCS), including the new LAA	Mar 08	Addresses the main risks to achieving SCS objectives and LAA targets	Michael Hainge, Jennifer Watkins (Heads of service, performance improvement managers)	

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			others with a	& OTHER COMMENTS
2.2 Deview of the CCC in	A 00		major role)	The Charles of Hamadan dalahina
3.3 Review of the SCS in	Apr 09	SCS reviewed to reflect the findings of	Michael Hainge,	The State of Herefordshire
light of the needs analyses		the needs analyses	Jennifer Watkins	Report
and other actions under			(Heads of service,	
sections 1 and 2 above			performance	
			improvement	
			managers,	
			Research)	
3.4 Review and roll	Apr 09	LAA revised, as necessary, to reflect the	Michael Hainge,	
forward of the LAA in	•	findings of the needs analyses	Jennifer Watkins	
parallel with 3.3		,	(Heads of service,	
			performance	
			improvement	
			managers,	
			Research)	
3.5 Council's Corporate	Mar 08	Corporate Plan includes targets and key	, ,	
Plan 2008-11 to deliver its		actions to deliver the Council's lead	(Heads of service,	
lead elements of the		elements in the SCS and LAA	performance	
SCS/LAA		Cierrents in the ses and LAA	improvement	
3C3/LAA		Identification and successful	managers,	
			Andrew Rewell)	
		management of the risks to achieving	Andrew Rewell)	
		the targets and key actions		

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			OFFICER (and	PROGRAMMES/PROJECTS
			others with a	& OTHER COMMENTS
			major role)	
3.6 Council's Corporate	June/July	Corporate Plan includes targets and key	Steve Martin	Timetable to be
Plans 2010-13 to deliver	09 ?	actions to deliver the Council's lead	(Heads of service,	determined in the context
its lead elements of the		elements in the SCS and LAA	performance	of decisions on the
reviewed and rolled			improvement	performance improvement
forward SCS/LAA		Identification and successful	managers,	cycle 2008-09 (scheduled
		management of the risks to achieving	Andrew Rewell)	for SMC and Cabinet
		the targets and key actions		consideration in March 08)
3.7 Determine prioritised	Dec 08	Prioritised programme for	Director of	Procurement Plan
programme of		commissioning plans in place	Integrated	
commissioning plans			Commissioning	
parameter and present				
			(PCT, other	
			directors, heads	
			of service,	
			performance	
			improvement	
			managers)	
3.8 Commissioning plans	As agreed	Improved services and outcomes for	The designated	Procurement Plan
3.0 Commissioning plans	under 3.7	people; and improved value for money	head of service	1 Tocurement Flair
	diluci 5.7	people, and improved value for money	for each	
			commissioning	
			plan (to be	
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			agreed under	
			3.7)	

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4 Ensuring that the necessary capacity is in place to achieve the vision, priorities and objectives

ACTION	WHEN	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (and others with a major role)	RELEVANT PROGRAMMES/PROJECTS & OTHER COMMENTS
4.1 Integrated planning and performance improvement cycle between the Council, the PCT and the Herefordshire Partnership	April 08	Agreed cycle in place, operating efficiently and effectively Shared understanding across the Council and with partners of performance and the prioritised actions needed to deliver improvements	Tony Geeson (PCT and other partner organisations, Michael Hainge, Jennifer Watkins, Sonia Rees, David Powell, performance improvement managers, Research)	
4.2 Joint commissioning capacity established with the PCT, including compact principles	Dec 08	Joint Council and PCT commissioning capacity in place Measurable improvements in services and outcomes for users; and better value for money	Director of Integrated Commissioning (PCT, the head of service for each designated commissioning area, other partner organisations)	Areas to be determined and prioritised under 3.7 above

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4.3 Joint commissioning capacity developed across the Herefordshire	Mar 09?	Joint commissioning capacity in place across the Partnership (commissioning areas to be determined)	with a major role) Director of Integrated Commissioning	& OTHER COMMENTS
Partnership, including compact principles		Measurable improvements in services and outcomes for users; and better value for money	(Heads of service, partner organisations)	
4.4 Joint procurement capacity established with the PCT, including compact principles	Dec 08	Joint procurement capacity established Better value for money	Dean Hogan (PCT, Eleanor Brazil, other heads of service,	
4.5 Joint procurement capacity developed across	Mar 09?	Joint procurement capacity established	the Alliance) Dean Hogan	
the Herefordshire Partnership, including compact principles		Better value for money	(Partner organisations, heads of service)	
4.6 Review Council/PCT and Herefordshire Partnership organisational	Mar 08	Review completed and prioritised programme in place	Chris Bull, Gi Cheesman	Joint emergency planning team established
structures			(Other directors, PCT, other partner organisations, Tony Geeson, Jennifer Watkins)	Joint communications arrangements established Report on joint research capacity

ACTION	WHEN	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (and others with a major role)	RELEVANT PROGRAMMES/PROJECTS & OTHER COMMENTS
4.7 Implement new Council/PCT and Partnership organisational structures	To be determined under 4.6	New structures in place and operating effectively	Jane Jones, Gi Cheeseman	
		Integrated planning and performance management arrangements operating efficiently and effectively	(Other directors, PCT, other partner organisations, Tony Geeson, Jennifer Watkins)	
		Efficient and effective delivery of priorities, objectives and targets	,	
4.8 Review Herefordshire Partnership governance	Jun 08	Review completed and action agreed	Chris Bull, Jane Jones	
arrangements			(Partner organisations, Tony Geeson, Jennifer Watkins)	
4.9 Implement revised Herefordshire Partnership	Sep 08	New arrangements in place and operating effectively	Chris Bull, Jane Jones	
governance arrangements			(Partner organisations, Tony Geeson, Jennifer Watkins)	
4.10 Review ICT requirements to deliver this	May 08	Initial review completed, early priorities agreed	Head of ICT	Herefordshire Connects
programme			(Heads of service, performance	

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	Sep 08	Review finalised, longer-term priorities agreed	improvement managers, PCT, other partner organisations)	
4.11 Implement the ICT requirements	To be determined under 4.10	To be determined under 4.10	Head of ICT (Heads of service, performance improvement managers, PCT and other partner organisations)	Herefordshire Connects
4.12 Establish strengthened scrutiny arrangements that will make a major contribution to planning and performance management across the Council/PCT and the Herefordshire Partnership	Mar 08	Strengthened arrangements in place	Tony Geeson (Alan McLaughlin, Committee Services, PCT and other partner organisations)	The full scrutiny programme
4.13 Operate the strengthened scrutiny arrangements	Sep 08	Strengthened arrangements operating effectively	Tony Geeson (Alan McLaughlin, Committee Services, PCT and other partner organisations)	The full scrutiny programme

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4.14 Council and PCT workforce development strategy to deliver the	Mar 08	Initial joint actions agreed and being implemented	Gi Cheeseman	Corporate Plan and directorate/service plans
programme	Sep 08	Full joint strategy in place and being implemented		Investor in People accreditation
				Existing Council Pay and Workforce Strategy
				Joint heath and adult social care and children's workforce development strategy being developed
4.15 Annual training and development programme for the Council, PCT and partner organisations to help deliver the programme	Mar 08 Aug 08	Initial programme agreed and in place Medium-term programme agreed and in place (in light of SRD and other analysis)	Liz Wallace (PCT, other partner organisations)	Communications strategy and action plan (see section 8 below)
		Programmes delivered		
		Shared understanding of the Partnership vision, priorities and objectives		
		Shared understanding of each other's		

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		organisations, cultures and how to work effectively together to deliver the desired improved services and outcomes		
4.16 Corporate, directorate and service induction to include the core objectives and themes of the programme, relating them to each individual's role and responsibilities	Mar 08	Induction delivered successfully	Liz Wallace, heads of service (Managers, PCT, other partner organisations)	
4.17 Programme to develop understanding for the roll-out of the strategic risk identification and management process	Mar 08	Programme agreed and in place Identifies risks to the prospects for the area and the priority quality of life outcomes for all groups, particularly those who are vulnerable, disadvantaged or hard-to-hear Successful management of the identified risks Favourable joint annual risk assessments by the inspectorates	Andrew Rewell (Tony Geeson, PCT)	

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4.18 <i>Member Development Programme</i> to include what is needed to equip members	Mar 08	CAA elements included in the <i>Member Development Programme</i>	Alan McLaughlin (Tony Geeson, PCT,	Member Development Programme, taking account of the Crookall
to play a fully effective role in the CAA preparation	Dec 08	Programme implemented	other partner organisations))	Report
programme	Dec 08	Better mutual understanding between members, partners and stakeholders		
	Mar 09	Effective member contribution to CAA preparations		
4.19 Learning by means of members and senior managers participating in peer reviews under final stage of CPA	Mar 09	Some members and senior managers participate in peer reviews of other local authorities	Tony Geeson	

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5 Ensuring that effective arrangements are in place to identify and manage the risks to achieving the vision, priorities and objectives

ACTION	WHEN	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (and others with a major role)	RELEVANT PROGRAMMES/PROJECTS & OTHER COMMENTS
5.1 Establish shared strategic risk identification and management process for the Council, the PCT and their partners, integrated with performance management systems and reporting	Mar 08	Sound basis for the identification and successful management of risks to the prospects for the area and the priority quality of life outcomes for all groups, particularly those who are vulnerable, disadvantaged or hard-to-hear	Weny Huxley- Marko,Tony	Joint approach to risk assessment being developed for the Council and PCT by Andrew Rewell and Wendy Huxley-Marko
5.2 Documented corporate process, including named lead officers, in place and	Sep 08	Agreed process understood by key managers across the Council, PCT and principal partner organisations	Tony Geeson, Andrew Rewell, Wendy Huxley- Marko	Joint approach to risk assessment being developed for the Council and PCT by Andrew Rewell

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operating for the handing of the annual risk assessment and other inspections		Agreed process operating effectively Favourable joint annual risk assessments and other judgements by the inspectorates	(Policy and Performance, PCT, other partner organisations, Jennifer Watkins, heads of service, performance improvement managers)	and Wendy Huxley-Marko
5.3 Implement the shared strategic risk identification and management process for the Council, the PCT and their partners	Sep 08	Identifies risks to the prospects for the area and the priority quality of life outcomes for all groups, particularly those who are vulnerable, disadvantaged or hard-to-hear Successful management of the identified risks Favourable joint annual risk assessments by the inspectorates	Andrew Rewell, Wendy Huxley- Marko, Tony Geeson (Michael Hainge,	

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			performance improvement managers)	
5.4 Partnership working risks identified and managed	Dec 08	Risks identified in the Audit Commission's national report on partnership working managed successfully Annual audit letter confirms this	Andrew Rewell, Jennifer Watkins (Michael Hainge, Tony Geeson, PCT, other partner	Audit Commission summary report on public service trust risks (Nov 07)
		Favourable joint annual risk assessments by the inspectorates	organisations)	

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6 Ensuring that the Council, with its partners, is improving well/has promising prospects for improvement in the direction of travel assessment

ACTION	WHEN	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (and others with a major role)	RELEVANT PROGRAMMES/PROJECTS & OTHER COMMENTS
6.1 Identify priority areas for improvement against the mandatory national local authority indicators and other factors relevant to the Direction of Travel assessment	Mar 08	Priority areas identified	Kevin Lloyd (Directors, heads of service, performance improvement managers)	For 2007-08 PIs performance, which will be the prime factor in the February 2009 direction of travel assessment, regular reports to CMB until early April 2008. Corporate Plan 2008-11
6.2 Identify priority areas for improvement against partner organisations' indicators and other factors relevant to the Direction of Travel assessment	Mar 08	Priority areas identified	Chris Bucknell (Michael Hainge, other directors, Kevin Lloyd, heads of service, performance improvement managers, PCT, other partner	Herefordshire Sustainable Community Strategy The new Local Area Agreement

ACTION	WHEN	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (and others with a major role)	RELEVANT PROGRAMMES/PROJECTS & OTHER COMMENTS
			organisations)	
6.3 Action plan for prioritised improvements in local authority indicator performance and other	Mar 08	Action plan in place, with the relevant elements included in directorate/service plans	(Directors, heads of service,	For 2007-08 PIs performance, which will be the prime factor in the February 2009 direction of
factors relevant to the Direction of Travel	Mar 09	Action plan implemented	performance improvement	travel assessment, regular reports to CMB until early
assessment to improve the rating in February 2010	Mar 09	Improved performance against indicators	managers)	April 2008.
	Feb 10	Higher assessment rating		Corporate Plan 2008-11
6.4 Action plan for	Mar 08	Action plan in place	Chris Bucknell	Herefordshire Sustainable
prioritised improvements in partners' indicator performance and other	Mar 09	Action plan implemented	(Michael Hainge, other directors, Kevin Lloyd,	Community Strategy The new Local Area
factors relevant to the Direction of Travel assessment to improve the	Mar 09	Improved performance against indicators	heads of service, performance improvement	Agreement
rating in February 2010	Feb 10	Higher assessment rating	managers, PCT, other partner organisations)	

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7 Ensuring that the Council, with its partners, is consistently above minimum requirements, performing well in the use of resources assessment

ACTION	WHEN	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (and others with a major role)	RELEVANT PROGRAMMES/PROJECTS & OTHER COMMENTS
7.1 Identify priority areas for improvement against the proposed new use of	Mar 08	Priority areas identified and reflected in an updated action plan	Sonia Rees, David Powell	Medium Term Financial Management Strategy
resources assessment criteria, with particular			(Directors, Gi Cheeseman, Alan	Corporate Plan 2008-11
emphasis on improving value for money through			McLaughlin, other heads of service,	Action plan already in hand to improve
improved systems and procedures			performance improvement	performance in 2007-08; should improve the assessment in February
			managers)	2009; being updated in the light of the latest Audit
				Commission criteria and common themes in the
				Director of Resources's special report, the <i>Crookall</i>
				Report and feedback from the Investor in People
				informal assessment

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7.2 Action plan for prioritised improvements against the proposed new use of resources assessment criteria, including milestones that could improve the Council's rating	Mar 08 Mar 09 Feb 09 & Feb 10 Feb 09 & Feb 10	Action plan in place Action plan implemented Improved performance against the criteria Assessment rating of consistently above minimum requirements, performing well	Sonia Rees, David Powell (Directors, heads of service, performance improvement managers)	As for 7.1 above
7.3 Data quality policy, action plan and procedures	Mar 08	Meet a) the Audit Commission best practice criteria and b) ISO standards for data quality and security	Tony Geeson, John Pritchard (Heads of service, performance improvement managers, Anthony Sawyer)	Data sharing policy and procedures being developed by Anthony Sawyer
7.4 Rationalisation of back-office accommodation	Mar 08	Plan in place	Sonia Rees, Malcolm MacAskill	

ACTION	WHEN	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (and others with a major role)	RELEVANT PROGRAMMES/PROJECTS & OTHER COMMENTS
	Dec 10	Accommodation rationalised Measurable improvements in efficiency, effectiveness and value for money	(PCT, other partner organisations)	
7.5 Rationalisation of front and back-office functions	To be determined	Functions rationalised Measurable improvements in efficiency, effectiveness and value for money	Chris Bull	

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8 Effective communication of the programme to members, staff, partners, stakeholders and the public

ACTION	WHEN	SUCCESS CRITERIA	RESPONSIBLE OFFICER (and others with a major role)	RELEVANT PROGRAMMES/PROJECTS & OTHER COMMENTS
8.1 Communications strategy and action plan	Mar 08	Strategy and action plan in place	Robert Blower	The wider programme in respect of the Council's
designed and rolled out	Mar 08	The programme and its constituent parts are understood by the relevant audiences	(Tony Geeson, Steve Martin, heads of service, PCT, other	and the <i>Herefordshire Partnership's</i> reputation management
	Sep 08	Committed and motivated members, staff and partner organisations	partner organisations)	
	Dec 08	Stakeholders, including central government and the public, understand the programme and are impressed by what it is achieving		
	Mar 09	Improved public satisfaction rating for the Council overall		