

Agenda Item 09

Report to: (Board/Sub-Committee):	Primary Care Commissioning Committee
Date of Meeting:	29 th January 2019
Subject:	Primary Care Strategy Update and Impact of NHS Long Term Plan
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STATUS OF THE REPORT (auto check relevant box)

For Information

For Discussion

For Approval / Ratification

Report Exempt from Public Disclosure No Yes

PURPOSE OF REPORT:

The attached presentation has been prepared to provide an update to the Primary Care Commissioning Committee regarding the on-going work to develop a refreshed primary care strategy for North East Lincolnshire CCG, as well as identifying elements from the NHS Long Term Plan which impact on this strategy.

Following the update at the Committee on 6th November, further work on pulling together data pertinent to the strategy and engagement work has taken place. Engagement activities are planned throughout January, February and March.

The CCG has met with Healthwatch and identified that there is already a significant body of patient feedback that can be drawn upon; this will be analysed and included as part of the strategy work, rather than undertaking a further survey. However, general engagement with patients on the strategy will still take place.

The NHS Long Term Plan was published on 7th January 2019, and this has a significant impact on the primary care strategy, although the CCG's existing plans were already moving in the right direction.

Particular attention is drawn to the following areas:

- Specific data relating to activity and workforce, which is now available (slide 3)
- Contract changes for primary care, as set out within the NHS Long Term Plan (slide 6)
- Specific expectations regarding new professional roles within primary care networks (slide 8)
- NHS Long Term Plan expectations regarding Primary Care Networks, dissolving boundaries between primary and community services (slides 9 and 10)
- NHS Long Term Plan commitment 'over next 5 years all patients have right to access digital first GP services' and development of new national framework of digital providers (slide 12)
- New section on quality within primary care, including Long Term Plan signal to significantly amend QOF and include Quality Improvement element (slide 16)
- Requirement for minimum £1.50 per head of population CCG investment into primary care networks (slide 17)
- Requirement for STP wide primary care strategy, in line with timeline for developing local long term plans by Autumn 2019 (slide 18)

Recommendations:	<p>The Primary Care Commissioning Committee is asked to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • note the update regarding the primary care strategy and the impact of the NHS Long Term Plan on this strategy • note the differential timeline between CCG strategy completion and STP wide strategy and potential for amending our timeline, or completing as originally stated but with potential for amendments
Sub Committee Process and Assurance:	N/A
Implications:	
Risk Assurance Framework Implications:	There is a risk to continued effective and high quality primary care services if developments, as outlined within the existing GP Forward View plan and emerging strategy, do not take place.
Legal Implications:	N/A
Equality Impact Assessment implications:	<p>An Equality Impact Analysis/Assessment is not required for this report <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>An Equality Impact Analysis/Assessment has been completed and approved by the EIA Panel. As a result of performing the analysis/assessment there are no actions arising from the analysis/assessment <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>An Equality Impact Analysis/Assessment has been completed and there are actions arising from the analysis/assessment and these are included in section ____ of the enclosed report <input type="checkbox"/></p>
Finance Implications:	Additional investment is required as part of the NHS Long Term Plan. This will be factored in during the financial planning process.
Quality Implications:	<p>This report details a positive impact on quality. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The proposal put forwards, if agreed, would have a positive impact in terms of enabling providers to meet safe staffing targets. Retention and recruitment is forecast to be improved, which would have a positive impact on the safe delivery of local services.</p> <p>This report details a neutral impact on quality. <input type="checkbox"/> The report will not make any impact on experience, safety or effectiveness.</p> <p>This report details a negative impact on quality. <input type="checkbox"/> The report details the need for budgets to be significantly reduced. It is clear that the report summarises that quality will be negatively impacted by this as decisions to remove services/provide a lower level of provision to solely meet the 'must do's' of provision in terms of meeting people's needs has to be made. It is forecast that service user experience will be negatively impacted by this position.</p>
Procurement Decisions/Implications (Care Contracting Committee):	There may be a need for procurement of services, depending on the outcome of the strategy work and subsequent action planning.
Engagement Implications:	Stakeholder engagement on the development of the strategy is ongoing.

