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Joined Up Care Derbyshire Update - development of the Derbyshire Integrated Care System (ICS)

Purpose

1.1 This report provides an update from Joined Up Care Derbyshire (JUCD).

Recommendation

2.1 To note the update from JUCD.

Reason

3.1 To ensure that the Health and Wellbeing Board is informed of, and engaged with, JUCD, ensuring alignment and joint effort as necessary on shared priorities.

Supporting information

- 4.1 NHS England has published further guidance on the steps to be taken to develop Integrated Care Systems as statutory organisations. This builds on the Government's White Paper on Health and Care Reform published in February.
- 4.2 This guidance Integrated Care Systems: Design framework published in June, sets out the headlines for how NHS leaders and organisations will be asked to operate with their partners in Integrated Care Systems (ICSs) from April 2022 and guidance in respect of what the employment commitment is, its application in practice and how it affects people.
- 4.3 In summary the ICS Design Framework:
 - Sets out NHS England and NHS Improvement's (NHSEI) expectations for the next stage of system development.
 - Outlines the core features of integrated care systems (ICS) and the expectations/minimum standards NHSEI has in terms of membership of ICS bodies, their roles and accountabilities, governance and management arrangements, financial allocations, models for clinical and professional leadership, working with people and communities and managing data. It provides indicative outputs expected in every ICS over the course of the transition period in 2021/22.
 - Sets out the core features of every ICS, while emphasising the need for local flexibility and determination.

- Some aspects of system development including all content referring to new statutory arrangements and duties, and/or which is dependent on the implementation of such arrangements and duties – will depend on changes to the government's legislation on integration and its parliamentary process.
- In due course, NHSEI will provide further guidance on the membership and governance of ICS NHS bodies; the composition and operation of the board; how to support ICS NHS bodies to manage conflicting roles and interests of board members; provider collaboratives; provider governance; and supporting people transition planning and implementation.

A more detailed summary of the ICS Design Framework is attached for information.

- 4.4 In Derbyshire we have continued to make really good progress and this guidance has been broadly in line with our local thinking. This includes progress in the development of governance and structure including the required NHS ICS Body and ICS Partnership.
- 4.5 A key component of the developing ICS is its Strategic Intent. Strategic Intent will set the strategic direction and priorities of the ICS for making improvements to population life expectancy, healthy life expectancy and reduce the health inequalities that are driving these differences.
- 4.6 The existing commissioning functions of the Clinical Commissioning Group will be disseminated in April 2022 to one of either regional, ICS or Place/Primary Care Network (PCN) level. For those responsibilities at ICS level, there will be a requirement for a strategic commissioning function under new statutory powers in April 2022

Public/stakeholder engagement

- 5.1 The JUCD Board is held in public.
- 5.2 JUCD is committed to public and stakeholder engagement both within its strategic planning and operational delivery and has a range of mechanisms to support this including a Citizen's Panel, Patient Participation Group (PPC) Network and Engagement Committee.
- 5.3 Discussion and engagement with this item by the Health and Wellbeing Board continues the engagement process of determining the strategic direction and next steps of JUCD.

Other options

6.1 None.

Financial and value for money issues

7.1 The efficient and effective use of resources is a primary objective of JUCD.

Legal implications

8.1 Establishment of Integrated Care Systems as statutory organisations; subject to parliamentary approval.

Climate implications

9.1 None.

Other significant implications

10.1 None.

This report has been approved by the following people:

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