



HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD 29 MARCH 2022

Integration Update
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A partnership of organisations working together
to deliver joined up care in County Durham



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Purpose

- To give information about and discuss the Integration White Paper published on 9 February 2022 “Health and social care integration : joining up care for people, places and populations”
- To give information about initial work on place based governance in County Durham
- To update on progress with the Integration Programme
- To answer questions



Background 1

- CCGs to be stood down from July 2022
- New Integrated Care Board across North East and North Cumbria created
- Chair and new Chief Executive of the ICB in place
- Recruitment to senior posts underway
- ICB operating model and governance handbook in development and discussed with the Board on 15 March 2022
- Key question about what is done regionally, sub-regionally and at place
- Strong integration in County Durham already



Youth Council

County Durham Partnership

Wider Partnership Relationships:

- Safe Durham Partnership
- Environment & Climate Change Partnership
- Economic Partnership
- County Durham Together

Health and Wellbeing Board (Local Outbreak Engagement Board)

Chair: Cllr Paul Sexton

Reporting relationships:

- Local A&E Delivery Board
- Durham Safeguarding Adults Partnership
- Durham Safeguarding Children Partnership
- Adults Wellbeing and Health Overview & Scrutiny Committee
- Alcohol and Drug Harm Reduction Group

Health Protection Assurance and Development Group

Chair: Amanda Healy

COVID-19 Local Health Protection Assurance Board

Chair: Jane Robinson

Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment Steering Group

Chair: Glen Wilson

Special Educational Needs & Disabilities (SEND)

Chair: Martyn Stenton

County Durham Care Partnership Executive

Chair: Neil O'Brien

Mental Health Strategic Partnership (under review)

Chair: Mike Brierley

JSNA Strategic Group

Chair: Amanda Healy

Population Health: Physical Activity Strategy Committee

Chair: David Shipman

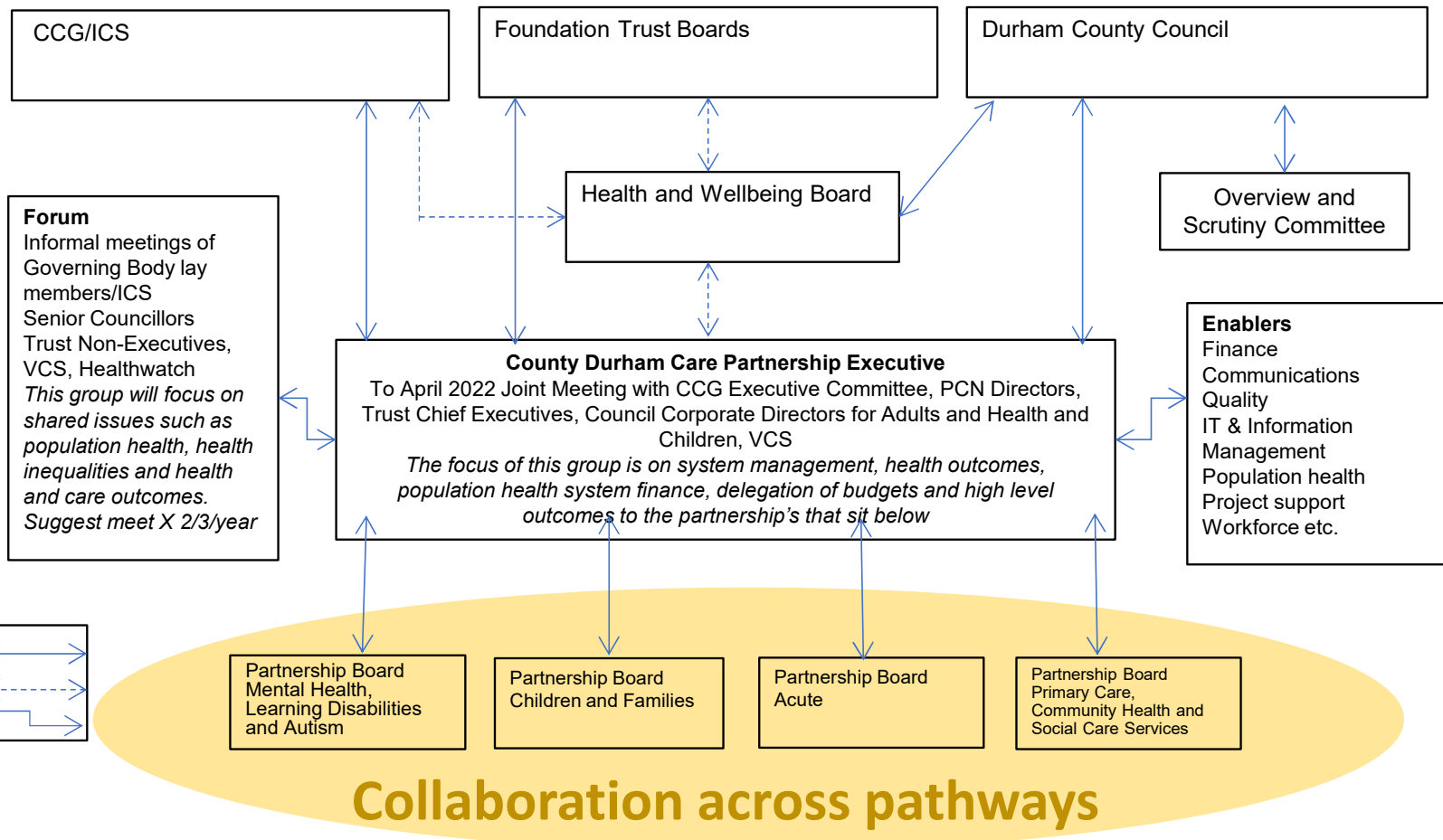
Healthy Weight Alliance




Chair: TBC

Tobacco Control Alliance

Chair: Jane Sunter

GOVERNANCE STRUCTURE ACROSS COUNTY DURHAM (April 2021)



Key:
 Direct report
 Information sharing
 Consultative



Integration White Paper 1

- Part of the implementation of the Health and Care Bill currently in Parliament
- One of a number of documents
- Guidance on the development of place based partnerships September 2021 NHS/LGA
- Social Care White Paper 14 December 2021 “People at the Heart of Care”
- Review of Health and Social Care Leadership November 2021 NHS
- Cavendish Review 2022 February 2022 NHS
- ICB Governance Handbook and Operating Model in development



Integration White Paper 2

- Emphasises the role of “place” defined as the upper tier Councils such as Durham County Council
- Promotes the creation of “place board model” based on 5 options including a Joint Committee by April 2023
- “Place board model” should “build on existing structures”
- To be negotiated between the County Council and the ICB
- County Council and ICB to agree a named person to lead the delivery of some “shared outcomes”
- CQC role in assuring integration and the delivery of shared outcomes



Integration White Paper 3 – Place Board Model Options

- Consultative Forum
- Delegation to individual ICB Executives or staff
- Committee of the ICB with delegated decision making
- Joint Committee of statutory bodies with delegated decision making. This is Durham's preferred option to be discussed with the ICB
- Lead Provider with a contract with the ICB to manage resources and deliver outcomes

Integration White Paper 4

- Encouraged to shared and align budgets and some new rules likely to follow
- Better Care Fund to continue
- Looking at how we share the health and social care workforce – integrated skills passport, changes to regulations
- Children’s services where possible should be part of the integrated arrangements
- Recognises role of mental health and learning disabilities services

Joint Committee Proposal

- Since mid 2021 County Durham Care Partnership has been discussing what we might want in Durham in April 2023
- Preferred option a Joint Committee for County Durham
- This is a negotiation with the ICB
- Everything in principle
- Everyone in principle
- Timetable leading up to April 2023



Integration Programme Vision



Our shared vision across the Partnership is
“To bring together health and social care as well as voluntary organisations to achieve improved health and wellbeing for the people of County Durham”



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Integration Programme Principles

- Put the patient and service user first
- The right person in the right place at the right time delivering care to reduce handoffs, delays, and duplication
- Promote integration between Primary, Community and Social Care
- Deliver care closer to home
- Engage, share, and develop our workforce together
- Share the benefits and successes
- Encourage leadership at all levels
- Get the best value from the resources available
- Innovate and make the most of opportunities together
- Respect our difference and create a culture of integrated working.

Integration Programme

- Working in 11 areas of practical integration to improve customer experiences
- Strong focus on operational improvement
- Work-streams include NHS and social care partners
- Use Project Management and benefit realisation
- Secured funding for improvements
- Good time to “re-set” and streamline
- Status quo not an option because of demand, resources and customer expectations



Integration Programme - Work-streams

- Hospital Discharge
- 2 Hour Urgent Community Response
- Digital Integration
- Frailty – Care Homes and Anticipatory Care
- Therapies
- Customer Contact
- Teams Around Patients
- Pathways
- Culture and Change Management