Appendix 3 - Guidance for Health and Wellbeing Boards: leading a local response to Winterbourne View

Response to Questions

1. Does the board know how many local people in the vulnerable group are currently in hospital, within the local area and outside it; and does this number equate with the latest data available from NHS England?

Yes

2. Is the board aware of the planned discharge date for all vulnerable individuals, so as to ensure the required support is in place for their return to the local area?

Designated officers are working to ensure that clear plans are put in place for each individual.

3. Is the board working in a proactive, co-productive and collaborative way with individuals and their families, carers and advocates to identify and understand their assets, needs and priorities?

Yes

4. Will there be effective commissioning procedures and processes in place by June 2014 that will lead to a permanent reduction in the number of local vulnerable people in secure hospitals or assessment and treatment settings?

The work will be taken forward under Transforming Care – Next Steps.

5. Will any individual on discharge from inpatient care be appropriately supported in a local, personalised, community-based setting?

Yes

6. Is the board exploring all possible integration and joint commissioning options to best deliver expanded and improved person-centred community provision?

Yes

7. Is there effective partnership working across the whole local system, including with providers, to provide appropriate local services to meet the identified needs and future anticipated needs of any local people in the vulnerable group?

Work is underway to achieve this

8. Are appropriate services in place for prevention and early intervention for children, young people and families, including well targeted support for individuals at early risk?

Work is underway to achieve this

9. Has the joint strategic plan been assimilated into the JSNA and JHWS process to enable a more strategic approach to commissioning services for children and adults in this vulnerable group?

Yes

10. Are there well developed, suitable and effective safeguarding procedures and processes in place locally, used appropriately?

Yes

11. Is the board clearly communicating what is being done to change how health and wellbeing services are designed and delivered?

Yes