
Integration Joint Board
18th January 2018
Agenda Item 6

Subject: **Director's Report**

Purpose: To advise members of the North Ayrshire Integration Joint Board (IJB) of developments within the North Ayrshire Health and Social Care Partnership (NAHSCP).

Recommendation: That members of the IJB note progress made to date.

Glossary of Terms	
IJB	Integration Joint Board
PSMT	Partnership Senior Management Team
HSCP	Health and Social Care Partnership
LGBTI	Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Intersex

1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 1.1 This report informs members of the Integration Joint Board (IJB) of the work undertaken within the North Ayrshire Health and Social Care Partnership (NAHSCP) nationally, locally and Ayrshire wide.

2. CURRENT POSITION

2.1 National Developments

Health and Social Care Development Day – 4th December 2017

Members of the HSCP attended a national Health and Social Care Development workshop on 4th December 2017. There was good representation across the partnerships with over 100 attendees. David Williams, Chief Officer, Glasgow HSCP led the session and highlighted good collaboration between HSCPs.

HSCP shared their experiences of barriers to integration, but also highlighted opportunities for joint strategic commissioning across partnerships and the ability to influence national policy through a joined up approach.

The session highlighted :-

- A commitment for services to be designed and delivered at local level;
- Improved interaction with acute services across partnerships;

- Build on SPSP which could provide a consistent framework across different service areas, which is recognised and could be tailored to fit individual services.

HSCPs identified 5/6 areas for collaboration and a further workshop is planned early in the new year.

Meeting with Cabinet Secretary – 7th December 2017

On the 7th of December, I attended the Scottish Parliament with the Chief Executive of NHS Ayrshire and Arran and other Directors. This meeting was primarily to discuss with the Cabinet Secretary our local preparedness for winter and our planning for the anticipated rise in demand through our hospitals. The meeting was a very positive one and the Cabinet Secretary was left with a degree of confidence in our ability as a Health and Social Care System to manage the anticipated demands over the coming months.

Ayrshire Developments

Session with Chief Executives, Leaders and IJB Chief Officers – 19th December

Following the recent reviews of the Integration Schemes conducted across North and East Ayrshire, a meeting took place just before Christmas involving the IJB Chairs and Chief Officers, the Chief Executives of the three Ayrshire Councils and the NHS, the Chair of the NHS Board and the Leaders of the three Councils. This meeting allowed us to look at what success has been achieved to date through Integration and to explore some of the areas for further development and improvement moving forward.

North Ayrshire Developments

Reflection on 2017

For this Director's Report, I wanted to reflect on some of the achievements and developments of the partnership during 2017. Below is just some of the activity in the partnership during the last year.

- Cafe Solace opened a third community recovery cafe in Kilbirnie, building on the success of the two existing cafes in Irvine and Ardrossan.
- Weekly parent and baby cafes are now open in Saltcoats and Kilbirnie
- There are too many awards, finalists and exhibitors to mention - the innovative work of North Ayrshire Health and Social Care Partnership is being recognised across Scotland, the UK and further flung corners of the world
- Dirrans Centre gained Investors in People Platinum award, along with Care Inspectorate 'excellent' across all categories
- Award-winning Community Mental Health Hospital Woodland View was officially opened. The quality of care and environment continues to be highly praised by patients, staff and visitors
- We launched our Learning Disability Strategy and we signed up to the Charter for Involvement (National Involvement Network) which sets out how supported people want to be involved in the support that they get, in the organisations that provide their services, in the wider community

- We asked 2500 people, **What Matters to You?** about health and social care services in North Ayrshire - another building block of changes and improvement to services for our new draft strategic plan
- Our first Partnership Staff Awards event 'Breakfast for Champions' celebrated integrated partnership working across our stakeholders and our teams
- Mental health innovation funding meant that we able to develop an Ayrshire-wide CAMHS intensive support service and police triage for people in distress
- Veterans 1st Point was launched in Irvine town centre - a unique peer-led model with psychology in a community one stop shop providing veterans with early intervention and prevention services
- Arran and Cumbrae teams undertook extensive engagement with people on the islands to find out how 21st century on-island services should change to better meet people's needs
- Justice Services are continuing to have a positive impact on local communities with gardening, house painting and ongoing Foodbank support
- Our Children's Challenge Team is 'thinking and doing things differently' to improve the outcomes for some of our most vulnerable children and young people.

Looking Ahead 2018

Following further amendments and iterations, draft 3 of our Strategic Plan 2018-2021 will go out to public consultation on 3rd January 2018. The consultation will include distribution of the plan and associated survey to a wide range of partners and stakeholders. In addition, two large community events are being planned for early in the new year to invite individuals and communities to discuss the plan and the contribution they can make to improve their health and the health of their families, friends and neighbours. We will be making direct contact with a range of groups of people who have traditionally been neglected in conversations such as this. These include LGBTI, those engaged with Justice Services, asylum seekers and people living with disabilities.

The public consultation will end on 11th February 2018. The findings emerging from the consultation will be presented to the IJB at its meeting on 15th February 2018, with the final draft of the plan coming to the IJB's March meeting for approval.

We will notify IJB members of consultation events being held throughout January and February 2018.

Finally, 2018 is now here and for those who may not yet know, it will be the Year of the Young Person. A variety of events and campaigns is being planned locally and nationally to celebrate the unique contribution that young people make and the skills, talents and insights that they are able to bring to their schools, communities and society. A report detailing the local plans will be brought to the February IJB and members of the Board will be encouraged to get involved as much as possible over the year.

4. IMPLICATIONS

Financial :	None
Human Resources :	None
Legal :	None
Equality :	None
Environmental & Sustainability :	None
Key Priorities :	N/A
Risk Implications :	N/A
Community Benefits :	N/A

Direction Required to Council, Health Board or Both	Direction to :-	
	1. No Direction Required	√
	2. North Ayrshire Council	
	3. NHS Ayrshire & Arran	
	4. North Ayrshire Council and NHS Ayrshire & Arran	

4. CONSULTATION

- 4.1 No specific consultation was required for this post. User and public involvement is key for the partnership and all significant proposals will be subject to an appropriate level of consultation.

5. CONCLUSION

- 5.1 Members of the IJB are asked to note the ongoing developments within the North Ayrshire Health and Social Care Partnership.

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