

5 January 2015**Agenda Item: 9****REPORT OF THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF ADULT SOCIAL CARE, HEALTH
AND PUBLIC PROTECTION****INTEGRATED CARE PIONEERS – WAVE TWO APPLICATIONS****Purpose of the Report**

1. To provide information on the Wave Two Integrated Care Pioneer application process.

Information and Advice

2. The Integrated Care Pioneer scheme is a NHS England programme with the aim of supporting health and social care services to work together to provide better support at home and earlier treatment in the community to prevent people needing urgent care in hospital or in care homes, with a focus on innovative and transformational approaches to care delivery.
3. In June 2013 there was a national call for applicants to join the Wave One Integrated Care Pioneer scheme resulting in 14 areas being given pioneer status following a selection process undertaken by a panel of national and international experts.
4. Nottinghamshire County submitted an application in Wave One but unfortunately was unsuccessful at the time with concerns raised about how integration would take place at scale across the partnership.
5. Since the application, considerable integration work has been planned and undertaken across the County, and the Nottinghamshire Better Care Fund (BCF) plan was one of five national exemplar plans to have its application fast-tracked. The BCF plan now has full approval, recognising the work we have undertaken in developing our plans and the engagement we have achieved across the partnership.
6. NHS England wrote to all Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs) on 20 November requesting applications from areas interested in becoming Wave Two Integrated pioneers, with up to ten areas joining the existing pioneers, providing the opportunity to be at the forefront of delivering integrated care for the population using innovative models of commissioning and service delivery and receiving tailored support from among forty partner organisations to help us deliver our plans.
7. An application setting out the County wide plans for integration was required to be submitted by 10 December 2014, with a table top review of applications to take place in late December, discretionary interviews in early January and final recommendations by 2 January with a formal announcement on 27 January.

8. Five CCGs support the application, covering the planning units of Mid and South Nottinghamshire.

Reason/s for Recommendation/s

9. To note that a joint bid has been submitted by Nottinghamshire County Council, the Mid Nottinghamshire CCGs and the South Nottinghamshire CCGs.

Statutory and Policy Implications

10. This report has been compiled after consideration of implications in respect of crime and disorder, finance, human resources, human rights, the NHS Constitution, the public sector equality duty, safeguarding of children and vulnerable adults, service users, sustainability and the environment and ways of working and where such implications are material they are described below. Appropriate consultation has been undertaken and advice sought on these issues as required.

Implications for Service Users

11. The intention of the work is to encourage improved integration and the removal of barriers for the benefit of patients, service users and local communities.

RECOMMENDATION/S

- 1) It is recommended that committee notes the Wave Two Integrated Care Pioneer bid.

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Constitutional Comments

12. As this report is for noting only, no constitutional comments are required.

Financial Comments (KAS 20/12/14)

13. There are no financial implications contained within the report.

Background Papers and Published Documents

Except for previously published documents, which will be available elsewhere, the documents listed here will be available for inspection in accordance with Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972.

- Letter inviting applications of interest for Health and Social Care Integration Pioneers.

- Notts Integrated Care Pioneer Narrative
- Notts Wave Two Integrated Care Pioneer Supporting Evidence

Electoral Division(s) and Member(s) Affected

- All.

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