

# Report to Adult Social Care and Public Health Committee

8 July 2019

Agenda Item: 6

REPORT OF THE TRANSFORMATION DIRECTOR AND THE DIRECTOR OF COMMUNICATIONS AND ENGAGEMENT, NOTTINGHAM AND NOTTINGHAMSHIRE INTEGRATED CARE SYSTEM AND CLINICAL COMMISSIONING GROUPS

DEVELOPMENT OF A LOCAL SYSTEM PLAN IN RESPONSE TO THE NHS LONG TERM PLAN, NOTTINGHAM AND NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

# **Purpose of the Report**

- 1. To ensure that members of the Adult Social Care and Public Health Committee are fully involved and engaged in the development of the local system plans for health and care which are due for publication in the autumn of this year.
- 2. To ensure that members of the Adult Social Care and Public Health Committee are able to consider opportunities to engage patients, members of the public and staff in the development of these local system plans.
- 3. To ensure that members of the Adult Social Care and Public Health Committee have an opportunity to consider priorities for the local system plan.

## Information

- 4. As noted at the meeting of the Committee on 7<sup>th</sup> March 2019, on 7th January 2019 the Government and NHS leaders published the Long Term Plan for the NHS.
- 5. The Long Term Plan (LTP) sets out the strategy for the NHS for the next ten years and was requested by the Government in response to the announcement of additional funding for the NHS in June 2018.
- 6. The LTP was drawn up by people who know health and care the best: frontline staff, patients' groups, and national experts. A summary of the Long Term Plan is attached as **Appendix 1** to this report.
- 7. Following the publication of the LTP, each local area, led by its Integrated Care System (ICS) has been asked to draw up a local system plan, reflecting the local priorities and focus

areas, in order to implement the national plans. These local strategies are due for submission in the autumn.

- 8. In Bassetlaw, there is a Bassetlaw Place Plan and this plan was commented on by Adult Social Care and Public Health Committee on 4<sup>th</sup> February 2019.
- 9. In Nottingham and Nottinghamshire, the ICS is developing a new local system strategy plan. It builds upon good progress made through the original Sustainability and Transformation Plan.
- 10. The development of the new local strategy plan is being informed by engagement with the public. Through a range of engagement events the public has been asked to identify what are the priorities for the health and social care system.
  - The engagement activities regarding the LTP commenced on 29 March 2019 and so far, have included:
    - the launch of a new microsite website at <a href="https://nottswhatmatterstoyou.co.uk/">https://nottswhatmatterstoyou.co.uk/</a> which introduces the Long Term Plan to a local audience and asks them to contribute to the development of the local system response through completing a short survey.
    - o promotion of this website through the system's social media channels (Twitter and Facebook) and the Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) websites.
    - o close working with Healthwatch as they also engage with the public to align activities and ensure that the same questions are used.
    - sharing of the promotional materials with system partners (NHS, Local Authority (including Councillors), Voluntary & Community Sector (VCS) and others) for amplification through their own channels.
    - sharing of information about this activity with the Nottinghamshire Members of Parliament and holding a briefing and discussion in Westminster on 14<sup>th</sup> May 2019.
    - o promotion of the activity through press release and other media activity.
    - o significant levels of face-to-face engagement with the public delivered by the inhouse and Healthwatch teams, including:
      - Large local employers including Experian and EoN.
      - Blood glucose testing of public for Diabetes Awareness Week including promotion of the survey.
      - Meeting with social groups including local "Community Gardens"
      - Discussions and promotions of survey at health interest groups and public forums across Nottinghamshire including: Hucknall Carers, Arnold Mental Health Drop-In, The Hive in Mansfield, outBurst in Nottingham and many others.
    - detailed market research by social research company Britain Thinks including indepth at-home discussions and focus groups with patients to measure their attitude to and experience of the services provided in Nottinghamshire.
  - further details can be found in the background papers.
- 11. To date (as of 7<sup>th</sup> June 2019) there have been 374 individual responses and these initial views are shaping the emerging system priorities.

- 12. The emerging system priorities from ICS Leaders are receiving strong support from the public and are as follows:
  - redesign the urgent and emergency care system, including integrated primary care models, to ensure timely care in the most appropriate setting (97% of respondents in the public engagement rated as Important or Very Important in initial engagement responses)
  - improve the care of people with single and multiple long term conditions through greater proactive management and self-management to reduce crises (100% rated as Important or Very Important)
  - improve the response to people with mental health needs (94% rated as Important or Very Important)
  - reduce waste and improve efficiency and value across the system (including estates) (80% rated as Important or Very Important)
  - more action on and improvements in the upstream prevention of avoidable illness (95% rated as Important or Very Important).
- 13. To support these priorities, it is recognised there needs to be a focus on the following system enablers:
  - Workforce
  - Digitalisation, Information Management & Technology (IM&T) and analytics
  - System financial management and innovative payment models
  - System governance and oversight (including programme delivery).
- 14. Detailed discussions with ICS Leaders have started on the emerging themes. Specifically, it is a high priority to improve urgent and emergency care. In terms of ambition there was broad recognition that attendance at A&E and reduced admissions needed to happen at pace.
- 15. It has also been discussed by ICS Leaders that the local health and care system is faced with an ever growing proportion of the population experiencing a preventable or treatable long term condition. It was agreed there needs to be a greater 'up-stream' focus on prevention and for those living with such conditions, individuals need to be supported to be as independent as possible, ensuring they feel equipped to manage their condition.
- 16. There was strong support for a greater focus on the proactive, coordinated care of specific groups of the population at risk of needing costly and long term health and social care. It was recognised people need as much control and quality to their life as possible by ensuring they are supported by a personalised care plan. The role of multidisciplinary teams working across health and social care (including the voluntary sector) was seen as key to keeping people well and independent and ultimately avoid crisis.
- 17. Groups of people identified as currently not being as well served as they could be included people with joint physical and mental health conditions, long term conditions, frailty, people living in care homes and those at end of life. Better management of data, case finding, joining up health and social care and utilising technology were all seen as key to improving care and support.

- 18. Further detail on these discussions can be found in in the report to the Integrated Care System Board as referenced below.
- 19. It is intended that the new local strategic plan is submitted to NHS England in the autumn.

# **Other Options Considered**

20. No other options were considered. In order to ensure that members of the Committee are fully engaged with the development of the local system plans, it was considered essential to bring this report to the Committee.

#### Reason/s for Recommendation/s

21. To ensure that the Committee has an opportunity to consider priorities for the local strategic plan and to consider any further ways in which staff, patients and the public can be engaged in its development.

# **Statutory and Policy Implications**

22. This report has been compiled after consideration of implications in respect of crime and disorder, data protection and information governance, finance, human resources, human rights, the NHS Constitution (public health services), the public sector equality duty, safeguarding of children and adults at risk, service users, smarter working, sustainability and the environment and where such implications are material they are described below. Appropriate consultation has been undertaken and advice sought on these issues as required.

#### **Financial Implications**

23. As part of the development of the local plans for health and care, one of the priorities of the strategy will be to reduce waste and improve efficiency.

#### **RECOMMENDATION/S**

That the Committee:

- 1) considers whether there are any priorities that would benefit from a particular focus in the emerging local plan for Nottingham and Nottinghamshire.
- 2) considers whether there are any further opportunities to engage with staff, patients and the public to build confidence in the local plan ahead of its publication in the autumn.
- 3) considers health and social care priorities for the local plan.

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# **Constitutional Comments (LW 26/06/19)**

24. Adult Social Care and Public Health Committee is the appropriate body to consider the content of the report.

### Financial Comments (DG 26/06/19)

25. There are no specific financial implications arising from this 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.

The NHS Long Term Plan: <a href="https://www.longtermplan.nhs.uk/">https://www.longtermplan.nhs.uk/</a>

June 2018 Funding announcement for the NHS: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/government/news/prime-minister-sets-out-5-year-nhs-funding-plan">https://www.gov.uk/government/news/prime-minister-sets-out-5-year-nhs-funding-plan</a>

Report to the Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Integrated Care System re Engagement on the Long Term Plan, Item

7: http://www.stpnotts.org.uk/media/1737342/icsboardagendapapers20190509.pdf

Report to the Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Integrated Care System re the emerging strategy for the local area. Item

9: http://www.stpnotts.org.uk/media/1737342/icsboardagendapapers20190509.pdf

#### **Electoral Division(s) and Member(s) Affected**

All.

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