Integrated care systems (ICSs)

Key planning and partnership bodies from April 2022

NHS England

Performance manages and supports the NHS bodies working with and through the ICS

Care Quality Commission

Independently reviews and rates the ICS

Statutory ICS

Integrated care board (ICB)

Membership: independent chair; non-executive directors; members selected from nominations made by NHS trusts/foundation trusts, local authorities and general practice

Role: allocates NHS budget and commissions services; produces five-year system plan for health services

Influence

Cross-body membership, influence and alignment

Integrated care partnership (ICP)

Membership: representatives from local authorities, ICB, Healthwatch and other partners

Role: planning to meet wider health, public health and social care needs; develops and leads integrated care strategy but does not commission services



Partnership and delivery structures Geographical Name **Participating organisations** footprint **Provider collaboratives** System NHS trusts (including acute, specialist and mental health) and as appropriate voluntary, community and social enterprise (VCSE) organisations and the independent sector; Usually covers a population can also operate at place level of 1-2 million Health and wellbeing boards Place ICS, Healthwatch, local authorities, and wider membership as appropriate; can also operate at system level Usually covers a population of 250-500,000 Place-based partnerships Can include ICB members, local authorities, VCSE organisations, NHS trusts (including acute, mental health and community services), Healthwatch and primary care Neighbourhood Primary care networks General practice, community pharmacy, dentistry, opticians Usually covers a population of 30-50,000

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