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3	Commissioning Priority	Actions/ Outcomes	Milestones	Commissioning Leads	Related Strategies and Local Plans	Outcome domain	Review Dec 2014	Comments
4	Disability and SEN	Children and young people with disabilities will have equitable access to a range of appropriate services and interventions	We will ensure increasing numbers of families with disabled children access Children Centre provision. We will monitor uptake of Children Centre provision by disabled children and their families annually.	Justine Gibling	Early Intervention Strategy 2011-14	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	This is monitored by the Children's Centres contract	Reporting was provided to the ICG. Issues with collating accurate data.
5			We will review transport funding arrangements and jointly develop criteria for transport needs by July 2012.	Fran Arnold (chair of Transport Group)	NCC Home to School Transport Policy	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Commissioned an external review of transport arrangements.	De-commission the current transport department and re-commission a CYP/adults SEND travel Hub by April 15
6			We will ensure equitable provision of health services by working with schools and health providers to redistribute health resource to ensure services meet identified needs by April 2013. With a view to reviewing therapy input in 2013/14.	Sarah Everest	Healthy Child Programme DH 2009, Managing Medicines in Schools DfE 2011	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Re-commissioned integrated health service by April 2016	NCC service in scope TBA
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11			We will support universal services to become DDA compliant by undertaking a review with children, young people and parents and carers by March 2013.	Sarah Everest		Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Completed in 2013	Undertaken by APTCOO
12			We will develop a multi-agency ASD pathway for 0-19 year olds by June 2012 with implementation in 2012/13. Followed by the development of an ADHD pathway by March 2013.	Sally Handley	CAMHS Joint Commissioning Strategy 2011-13	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	ASD pathway was completed in April 13. Concerning behaviours pathway developed and implemented in 2014	Evaluation of the pathway has commenced.
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15		We will Evaluate the Integrated CNN and Rapid Response Physiotherapy Pilot within the NHS Nottinghamshire County area and develop a range of options for an integrated countywide service by March 2013.	Sarah Everest & Sue Gill	Healthy Child Programme DH 2009,	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Completed now recurrently commissioned service	To become part of the Integrated service in April 2016	
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18		Children, young people and families will be enabled to access specialist equipment with greater ease	We will review access to specialist equipment for children and young people for use in the home, community and school, with a view to develop an integrated approach to commissioning equipment for children and young people (taking account of ICES criteria for provision). This will be completed by April 2013.	Fran Arnold	DH (2010) Models and Options for Children's Equipment and Related Services, National Service Framework for Children, Standard Eight	Promoting personalisation and enhancing quality of life for people	Complete - re-commissioned equipment contract with ICELS. Work underway to consider bringing education and special schools into the joint equipment arrangement.	
20		We will improve outcomes for children, young people and their families by working together to use multi-agency single assessment processes, which ensure the holistic needs of children are met through a single multi-agency plan	We will implement Nottinghamshire's SEN and Disability pathfinder which aims to develop a single planning and assessment process (The mechanism for piloting this approach will be the One Project) by March 2013.	Chris Harrison & Sarah Everest	'Support & Aspiration - a new approach to special educational needs and disability' 2010 (DfE),	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Complete. The EHCP Pathway is in place to meet the implementation of the SEND Reforms	Continues to develop. Further work required to ensure statutory duties are met for joint commissioning i.e. decision making processes, structures and governance
21			We will improve outcomes, reduce duplication and ensure that consistent and multi-agency processes are in place by March 2013.	Chris Harrison	'Support & Aspiration - a new approach to special educational needs and disability' 2010 (DfE),	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Complete. As above	
22			We will co-ordinate strategies for using resources to make joint decisions about the needs of the population and how they should be met by March 2013.	Chris Harrison	'Support & Aspiration - a new approach to special educational needs and disability' 2010 (DfE),	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	SEND Hub in place. EHCP decisions are multi-agency	
23			We will ensure that support services will continue with their specialist interventions, underpinned by a single plan, written by a multi-agency team, overseen by a lead professional by March 2013	Chris Harrison	'Support & Aspiration - a new approach to special educational needs and disability' 2010 (DfE),	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	As above	
24			We will establish links with the existing Disabled Children's Access to Childcare (DCATCH) project to facilitate access for disabled children to named leisure activities with their carers by March 2013.	Chris Harrison	'Support & Aspiration - a new approach to special educational needs and disability' 2010 (DfE),	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support		
25			We will develop processes for the use of personal budgets by March 2013.	Fran Arnold		Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	GEM CSU are the lead for PHB. Social care PB well established and work underway to join health, care and education personal budgets	Introducing transport PB. PHB available from 1/10/14

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26			We will engage children, young people and parents and the voluntary and community sector in the development and evaluation of the pathfinder by March 2013.	Chris Harrison	'Support & Aspiration - a new approach to special educational needs and disability' 2010 (DfE),	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Complete. Nottinghamshire Participation Hub established as the local parent/carer forum. Interface between NPH and commissioners is being reviewed to ensure that there is a formal route for parent/carers to contribute to the commissioning cycle	Continued to develop young people's engagement. Need to include feedback on the Local Offer.
27			We will evaluate each cohort involved in the pathfinder at 6 monthly intervals, throughout the duration of the pilot.	Chris Harrison		Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Complete.	Undertaken an evaluation with parent/carers and the findings have informed further developments of the EHCP pathway.
28			A full evaluation of the pathfinder will be completed by April 2013	Chris Harrison		Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Complete	Internal and external evaluations complete and we are now a 'National Champion'
29		Children, young people and families will be supported effectively during key transition stages	We will ensure the transitions pathway is supported by a multi-agency protocol and is reviewed to ensure it meets the needs of all children and young people transitioning into Adult Services by December 2012.	Fran Arnold & Wendy Adcock		Promoting personalisation and enhancing quality of life for people	In-complete. JSNA complete for transitions 2014	A priority in the 2015-17 SEND commissioning strategy
30			We will identify and track children and young people in out of authority placements and ensure that reviews and transition plans are in place. Reviews will take place every 6 months through multi-agency meetings	Rachel Coombs & Wendy Adcock	Nottinghamshire Transition's Protocol,	Promoting personalisation and enhancing quality of life for people	Removed - this was agreed to be included in the LAC strategy	
31		Children, young people and families will have clearer access to Occupational Therapy to meet needs	We will review NHS and LA led Occupational Therapy with a view to develop a joint commissioning strategy for Occupational Therapy for children and young people in Nottinghamshire by March 2014.	Sarah Everest & Chris Harrison	National Service Framework for Children, Standard Eight	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Part of the integrated service for April 2016	Decision by NCC for OT to be part of the integrated service TBD in Dec 14
33		Children and young people with Special Educational Needs will have improved educational attainment	We will contribute to the Closing the Gap Strategy by improving the attainment of SEN children and young people at all key stages in particular Key Stage 4. This will be reviewed annually.	Chris Harrison	Nottinghamshire, Closing the Gap Strategy, Nott's Child Poverty Strategy	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Well established in Newark and new phase developed in Worksop	Own governance and monitoring arrangements in place
35			We will review the findings from the pilot in Newark and Sherwood by April 2013 and share learning.	Chris Harrison	Closing the Gap Strategy	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	As above	
36		Young people are effectively supported in Post 16 placements	We will work with post-16 educational providers to ensure that a broad and inclusive curriculum offer is available for young people with a range of learning difficulties and/or disabilities and will encourage collaborative working between educational institutions and with voluntary and community partners. Curriculum review by October 2012, collaborative partnerships on-going	Louise Benson	Support and Aspiration – a new approach to Special Educational Needs and Disability (DfE 2010), YPLA Statutory Funding Guidance 2012/13 YPLA Guidance on Addressing Gaps in Provision	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Work in progress in particular with Portland College in employability	

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37			If the needs analysis identifies significant gaps in educational provision, we will work with existing providers to develop new provision or explore the possibilities of bringing new providers to market. We will evaluate the current pilot to support a small cohort of young people with particularly complex learning and behavioural challenges to transition to mainstream provision post-16. Pilot evaluation completed by April 2012. If appropriate, second cohort identified by June 2012	Louise Benson		Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Significantly developed post 16 market and extended this provision where appropriate to young people in year 12. Working with a small number of QA providers with all study programmes having a clear transition outcome	
38			We will work in partnership with the National Apprenticeship Service and other agencies to increase the number of young people with learning difficulties and/or disabilities securing employment with training through the apprenticeship programme or other pathways. Working group and terms of reference agreed by September 2012; Action Plan agreed by January 2013.	Louise Benson		Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Full apprenticeship is too challenging for many YP. Developed a be-spoke internship model, initially piloted with Linney group and now being extended through regional partnerships in a number of areas across the county. Supported by the economic development department in NCC	
39		Children and young people with Complex Health and /or Palliative Care needs are assessed and supported appropriately	CYP who thought to be appropriate for Continuing Healthcare will be assessed in line with National DH Framework and decisions to be made in a multi-agency forum. This will be assessed by the joint commissioning group on an annual basis.	Diane Kelly & Sue Gill	National Framework for Children and Young People's Continuing Care DH 2010	Promoting personalisation and enhancing quality of life for people		

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40			We will ensure consistent provision of therapy services for children and young people with prompt referrals to community based services, increasing the availability of specialist support and key working. This will be achieved by March 2014.	Kate Allen & Sue Gill	National Framework for Children and Young People's Continuing Care DH 2010	Promoting personalisation and enhancing quality of life for people	Part of the integrated service for April 2016		
41			We will review and further develop the existing integrated pathway for children with life threatening or life limiting .conditions by March 2013	Fran Arnold & Sarah Everest	National Framework for Children and Young People's Continuing Care DH 2010	Promoting personalisation and enhancing quality of life for people	Complete Dec 13 (ICCYPH scoping report phase one)		
42			We will endeavour to develop an integrated service with a multi-skilled workforce that is county-wide, offering a range of services, including 24 hour on call, seven days a week support at end of life, this will be developed by March 2014.	Sarah Everest & Sue Gill			Promoting personalisation and enhancing quality of life for people	Part of the integrated service for April 2016	
43		Children, young people and families will be have equitable access to short breaks	We will ensure a range of provision is available in accordance with the Short Breaks Duty 2011, through the development of Short Breaks e.g. flexible short breaks scheme, to provide choice for families and ensure disabled children and young people receive the appropriate short breaks services. This will be evidenced by increasing numbers accessing short breaks annually and feedback from children, young people and parents and carers.	Fran Arnold/ Sarah Everest	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	'Support & Aspiration - a new approach to special educational needs and disability' 2010 (DfE),	Complete		
44		Children and families will have access to good quality up to date Information, Advice and Guidance	We will collectively review and work to consolidate information, advice and guidance for parents and carers by September 2012.	Chris Harrison (as chair of IAG Task and Finish Group)	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	'Support & Aspiration - a new approach to special educational needs and disability' 2010 (DfE),	The Local Offer is in place. Review of Information and Support Services has taken place in 2014. An independent advice and information service will be commissioned April 2015	Parent Partnership will be known as Independent Advice and Information Service	
45		Looked After children and young people will, where possible, be placed closer to home	We will establish/review our provider framework contract for local specialist services to enable increased local choice in placements available by July 2012. This will incorporate residential special school placements which will be reviewed regularly.	Rachel Coombs & Chris Harrison	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support	Nottinghamshire Children Looked After Strategy 2012. Social Care Transformation Strategy	Agreed to move to LAC Strategy		
46			We will implement a recruitment programme for foster carers for children and young people with disabilities	Rachel Coombs	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support		As above		

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47			We will review our existing joint protocols relating to multi-agency panels, joint commissioning processes, review and performance management for out of authority residential placements for children and young people unable to live at home with parents, incorporating activity with NHS Continuing Healthcare by March 2013.	Rachel Coombs & Diane Kelly	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support		Currently considering EHCP, Continuing Healthcare and SIRP process to ensure they are aligned/integrated	
48			We will gain a greater understanding of what therapy provision is required to meet needs of local children and young people with a view that needs are met locally reducing the need for residential therapeutic placements. We will also support children and young people currently in residential placements who require therapy to improve outcomes. This work will be reviewed annually.	Rachel Coombs & Norman Chessman	Ensuring a positive experience of care and support		In-complete.	Links to joint commissioning of therapy services