

# North Tyneside Health & Wellbeing Board Report Date: 22 August 2023

Title: North East and  
North Cumbria NHS Joint  
Forward Plan 2023/24 -  
2028/29

Report from : North Tyneside Council – Governance Service

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Relevant Partnership Board: n/a

## 1. Purpose:

This report presents details of the draft North East and North Cumbria NHS Joint Forward Plan 2023/24 - 2028/29 and invites the Board to provide feedback to the North East and North Cumbria NHS.

## 2. Recommendation(s):

The Board is recommended to:-

- a) form an opinion on whether the draft North East and North Cumbria NHS Joint Forward Plan 2023/24 - 2028/29 takes proper account of the joint local health and wellbeing strategy "Equally Well: A healthier, fairer future for North Tyneside 2021- 2025; and
- b) consider whether it wishes to provide feedback to the North East and North Cumbria NHS on the plan more generally by the deadline on 31 August 2023.

## 3. Policy Framework

This item relates to the extent to which the draft North East and North Cumbria NHS Joint Forward Plan 2023/24 - 2028/29 takes account of the Joint Local Health and Wellbeing Strategy (JLHWS), "Equally Well: A healthier, fairer future for North Tyneside 2021- 2025".

#### **4. Information:**

Under the terms of the Health & Social Care Act 2022, the North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care Board (ICB) and its partner NHS trusts and NHS foundation trusts must, before the start of each financial year, prepare a joint forward plan setting out how they propose to exercise their functions in the next five years. The ICB must provide the Health & Wellbeing Board with a draft of the forward plan and consult the Board on whether the draft takes proper account of its joint local health and wellbeing strategy.

On 5 July 2023, the Chief Executive of the North East and North Cumbria NHS (Integrated Care Board) wrote to the Health & Wellbeing Board inviting comments on its draft Joint Forward Plan 2023/24 – 2028/29. The letter is attached as Appendix A and the Forward Plan is attached as Appendix B.

Peter Rooney, the Director of Strategy and Planning at the North East and North Cumbria NHS, has accepted an invitation to attend today's meeting to present details of the Plan and answer any questions from members of the Board.

#### **5. Decision options:**

The Board must respond with its opinion on whether the draft takes proper account of its joint local health and wellbeing strategy and the Board may wish to provide feedback on the plan more generally by the deadline on 31 August 2023.

#### **6. Appendices:**

Appendix A – Letter from Samantha Allen, Chief Executive North East and North Cumbria NHS

Appendix B – Draft North East and North Cumbria NHS Joint Forward Plan 2023/24 – 2028/29

#### **7. Contact officers:**

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## **8. Background information:**

The following background documents have been used in the compilation of this report and are available from the author:-

- Health & Wellbeing Board Work Programme 2023–24
- Health & Social Care Act 2022
- Letter from Samantha Allen, Chief Executive, North East and North Cumbria NHS

## **COMPLIANCE WITH PRINCIPLES OF DECISION MAKING**

### **9 Finance and other resources**

There are no known financial implications for the Board to consider.

### **10 Legal**

Section 14Z52 of the National Health Service Act 2006 states that before the start of each financial year, an integrated care board and its partner NHS trusts and NHS foundation trusts must prepare a plan setting out how they propose to exercise their functions in the next five years. The integrated care board and its partner NHS trusts and NHS foundation trusts must give a copy of the plan to each relevant Health and Wellbeing Board.

Section 14Z54 of the National Health Service Act 2006 states that the integrated care board must give each relevant Health and Wellbeing Board a draft of the plan and consult each relevant Health and Wellbeing Board on whether the draft takes proper account of each joint local health and wellbeing strategy published by it which relates to the period. Where a Health and Wellbeing Board is consulted under it must respond with its opinion on the matter and it may also give that opinion to NHS England.

### **11 Consultation/community engagement**

The North East and North Cumbria NHS are consulting the Board in accordance with the legislation set out above.

### **12 Human rights**

There are no human rights implications for the Board directly arising from this report.

**13 Equalities and diversity**

There are no equalities and diversity implications for the Board directly arising from this report. The

**14 Risk management**

A risk assessment has not been undertaken on behalf of the Board in relation to this item.

**15 Crime and disorder**

There are no crime and disorder implications for the Board directly arising from this report.