

Board of Directors

4th May, 2023

Report Title:	Board briefing- Integrated Care Partnership, April 2023
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Executive summary		
The Integrated Care Partnership met on 14 th April, 2023. This briefing informs the Board about the matters that were due to be considered at that meeting, from the papers published.		
Action requested of the Board		
The Board is invited to note the matters scheduled for consideration by the Integrated Care Partnership in April 2023.		
Link to Strategic Objectives (SO)		Please tick
SO1	Keep people in control of their health	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SO2	Lead the integration of care	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SO3	Develop our centres of excellence	<input type="checkbox"/>
SO4	Support and develop our staff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
SO5	Drive technology enabled care	<input type="checkbox"/>
Risk Implications for the Trust <i>(including any clinical and financial consequences)</i>	N/A	
Trust Risk Appetite	N/A	
Legal and regulatory implications <i>(including links to CQC outcomes, Monitor, inspections, audits, etc.)</i>	N/A	
Financial Implications	N/A	
Equality and Diversity	The Partnership considered a system-wide statement on equality, diversity and inclusion matters.	

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The key items considered at the meeting were-

- The Partnership were updated on expressions of interest in the 'Break the Mould' course for leading for system change across the Integrated Care System. 46 people had been put forward for the course, across NHS, local government and third sector partners.
- There was an update on arrangements for the task-and-finish group related to the Community Ambition programme, which had been agreed at the previous meeting.
- The Partnership received, for approval, proposed metrics to assess performance across the seven Live Well domains set out in the Strategic Plan. These are based on an outcomes-based approach, with the aim of indicating whether change is being achieved for populations through reducing health inequalities. The measures would be incorporated as a dashboard in each section of the strategic plan.
- A paper was presented benchmarking system performance in the palliative and end-of-life area against recent report recommendation, reflecting the statutory duty on the ICB to commission appropriate services for this area. The recent report from the King's Fund recognised (as the only example) good practice within the system.
The report also noted that clinicians would need to recognise end-of-life requirements earlier and take a holistic view about needs and preferences.
- The Partnership were invited to endorse a mental health strategy covering the County of Essex, produced following community engagement and supported by Tricordant.
- A presentation was given of the strategic plan being developed by Essex Partnership University NHS FT, cover 2023 to 2028. This would impact on North-East Essex residents particularly, where EPUT provides services.
- An update on the position of Norfolk and Suffolk NHS FT, following recent CQC inspection and the rating being lifted to 'Requires Improvement', was provided to the Partnership.
- The Partnership was advised on the creation of the Suffolk Mental Health Collaborative, as a formal committee of the Integrated Care Board and the key forum within the Suffolk system.