



To: Health and Social Care Scrutiny Board (5)

7th December, 2016

From: Gail Quinton, Executive Director People

Subject: Coventry and Warwickshire Sustainability and Transformation Plan (STP)

1 Purpose of the Note

- 1.1 The Coventry & Warwickshire STP was submitted to NHS England in October 2016 and will be released publicly on 7th December 2016. This report presents Health and Social Care Scrutiny Board with the background to the development of the STP; the actual STP submission (once published); and the next steps in terms of further development and engagement.

2 Recommendations

Health and Social Care Scrutiny Board 5 is recommended to:

- 2.1 Note the current position and progress of the Coventry and Warwickshire Sustainability and Transformation Plan;
- 2.2 Use the meeting as a first opportunity to consider the content of the plan to feedback to the STP programme lead; and
- 2.3 Consider whether there are any comments/recommendations that they wish to make to Cabinet.

3 Information/Background

- 3.1 The Chancellor announced, as part of the Spending Review and Autumn Statement, that every part of the country is required to have a locally led plan for Health and Social Care integration in place by 2017 which should be implemented by 2020. This needs to be seen in the context of substantial financial challenges for the health and social care system across Coventry and Warwickshire.
- 3.2 NHS England produced guidance called “Delivering the Forward View: NHS planning guidance 2016/17 – 2020/21” in December 2015. This includes addressing three ‘gaps’:
- The health and wellbeing gap – the pressing need to reduce demand on the NHS by shifting the focus towards prevention and addressing health inequalities
 - The care and quality gap – to harness technology and innovation to reduce variations in the quality, safety and outcomes in care
 - The funding and efficiency gap – to ensure that additional funding for the NHS is used to improve efficiencies, transform services and achieve financial sustainability
- 3.3 This required those organisations that play a lead role in Health and Social Care provision in an area, including Clinical Commissioning Groups, Local Authorities and Hospital Trusts,

to work together to address place based problems and work for local populations and produce a Sustainability and Transformation Plan (STP). To do this, local health and care systems have had to declare which STP 'footprints' (geographical areas) they will work within. There are 44 footprints, which collectively cover the whole of England and we have agreed to be the Coventry and Warwickshire footprint.

4 Coventry and Warwickshire Sustainability and Transformation Plan

4.1 The vision for the Coventry & Warwickshire STP is:

"To work together to deliver high quality care which supports our communities to live well, stay independent and enjoy life"

4.2 A commitment to both prevention and integration lies at the heart of the STP development. In Coventry & Warwickshire this intent is supported by the Coventry & Warwickshire HWB Alliance Concordat signed by both Health & Wellbeing Boards in October 2016 (Appendix 1).

4.3 The Coventry and Warwickshire STP is led by the NHS and directly involves the following partner organisations:

- Coventry City Council
- Coventry and Rugby Clinical Commissioning Group
- Coventry and Warwickshire Partnership NHS Trust
- George Eliot Hospital NHS Trust
- South Warwickshire Clinical Commissioning Group
- South Warwickshire NHS Foundation Trust
- University Hospitals Coventry and Warwickshire NHS Trust
- Warwickshire North Clinical Commissioning Group
- Warwickshire County Council

4.4 Each of the above organisations is represented on the STP Board which is chaired by Andy Hardy, CEO for UHCW and is responsible for developing the STP.

4.5 The draft Coventry and Warwickshire STP was submitted to NHS England for assurance in October 2016. All STPs will collectively be made public on the 7th December 2016, in line with NHS England requirements, which has meant the STP will not be circulated in advance of the meeting. However, it is noted that in a few areas, local programme leads have made the decision to release plans contrary to NHS guidance.

4.6 The publication of the STP forms the start of the engagement process and discussion on the content and direction of the STP. In order to ensure that the STP is developed with, and based upon, the needs of local residents, patients and communities and engages with key stakeholders, including clinicians, partners agencies, a draft Engagement Plan has been developed, and is on the agenda for the meeting. Appendix 2 sets out the timeline for communicating the STP to key stakeholders, including Cabinet/Council. Scrutiny Board are invited to note the progress against the STP so far, and consider what comments/recommendations they would like to make to Cabinet.

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