

Working together for a healthier Torbay

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1. Co-commissioning of Primary Care

Co-commissioning of Primary Care will give CCGs the option of having increased control of the NHS budget for primary care. It is seen as potential key enabler in developing seamless, integrated out-of-hospital services based around the diverse needs of local populations, and offers an opportunity to develop more affordable services through efficiencies gained by better aligning primary, community and secondary care commissioning. It can also enable the development of new models of care such as multispecialty community-centred providers, and complete primary-to-acute care systems.

Three primary care co-commissioning models are available:

- i. Greater involvement in primary care decision-making (building on existing practice)
- ii. Joint commissioning arrangements (sharing responsibility and associated risks)
- iii. Delegated commissioning arrangements

Ongoing assurance of co-commissioning arrangements would form part of the established CCG assurance process. It is well recognised that conflicts of interest will need to be carefully managed and specific guidance in this regard is expected in December 2014.

2. NHS Five Year Forward View

Simon Stevens, Chief Executive of NHS England, published the 5 Year Forward View in October, which sets out his thinking on the future of the NHS. The report details the need for new models of care, with more emphasis on prevention and self-care, technology and a joined-up integrated health and care system, all of which we have been working towards in line with our Plan on a Page. It also acknowledges that the NHS needs more investment and resource.

The report also suggests one option could be forming Accountable Care Organisations (ACOs) where all services are joined up and provided as one whole system, but Simon Stevens says it is up to local areas to decide on which of the suggested models to pursue.





3. Community Services Engagement

From 1 December, consultation is open within the CCG's coastal locality on proposals for community services in the Dawlish and Teignmouth area. The consultation is for twelve weeks – breaking for two weeks over Christmas, and picking up again in the New Year.

The preferred proposed option is to use Dawlish Community Hospital as an urgent care centre for medical / sub-acute beds, with an 8am-8pm MIU supported by imaging (x-ray)seven days a week. Teignmouth Community Hospital would focus on health and wellbeing with therapy-led beds for rehabilitation, day surgery and a community hub, with an emphasis on multi-agency working. Teignmouth will have a wide range of outpatient clinics. Both hospitals would continue to offer community outpatient services such as dressings, as frequent travel would become burdensome for these patients.

The consultation is being conducted mainly as discussions with local community groups and organisations, but will include the following public meetings:

- Wednesday 14 January, 1pm-3pm, the Strand Centre, Dawlish
- Thursday 15 January, 6pm-8pm, the Alice Cross Centre, Teignmouth
- Thursday 22 January, 1pm-3pm, the Village Hall, Bishopsteignton

4. New CCG Engagement Committee

A new committee for our CCG has been established, including both Healthwatch Devon and Healthwatch Torbay, to oversee engagement activity relating to all aspects of the CCG's business.

It will support the implementation of the CCG's procurement, engagement and experience strategies, taking a whole commissioning-cycle view and planning key engagement activities accordingly. It will:

- Advise and support commissioners in tailoring engagement processes;
- Discuss and plan the CCG's most effective ways of working with Healthwatch;
- Discuss issues and areas of success and learning from locality engagement forum representatives to strengthen links between the CCG and the public and local communities.

5. Joined Up Update

We have been busy driving our Pioneer work forward, with key headlines including:

- Progress towards a single point of access to address social isolation and support children and families. It combines voluntary and statutory services;
- Development of a multi-disciplinary frailty hub for holistic, active care and support;
- Continuation to progress 7 day working across the patch;
- Shared GP records in some areas, and development of this in others;
- A £6m Ageing Better BIG Lottery fund to tackle isolation & loneliness in over 50s;
- Acute and community mental health services aligned to a single pathway with voluntary sector and crisis support. A multi-disciplinary one-stop memory clinic and peer-led perinatal services are also in place.

We have a new JoinedUp/Pioneer Manager to lead the project, and further developed ways in which to bring our health and social care community together to achieve JoinedUp objectives.