Staff Newsletter

Health and Social Care Integration

The Model

11 Committees considered the recommendations contained within the final options appraisal report. This presented up to date information, regarding Health and Social Care Integration which was commissioned by Shetland’s Community Health Partnership (CHP) Committee, a sub-committee of Shetland NHS Board. This also included a brief summary of work in progress under the three main work streams:

- Governance
- Management and the single management model
- Service delivery through multidisciplinary teams in localities.

All 11 committees approved the option for the body corporate model. This is now the chosen model of integration for health and social care services.

Body Corporate

For the body corporate model, the Health Board and Local Authority delegate the responsibility, for planning and resourcing service provision of adult health and social care services to an Integration Joint Board.

Services to be included

The Draft Regulations set out the functions of Local Authorities that must be delegated as they relate to the following services for adults:

- Social work services for adults and older people;
- Services and support for adults with physical disabilities, Learning disabilities;
- Mental health services;
- Drug and alcohol services;
- Adult protection and domestic abuse Carers support services;
- Community care assessment teams;
- Support services;
- Care home services;
- Adult placement services;
- Health improvement services;
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Services to be included (Cont);
Housing support services, aids and adaption's;
Day services;
Local area co-ordination;
Respite provision ;
Occupational therapy services;
Re-ablement services, equipment and telecare.
Unplanned inpatients
Outpatient accident and emergency services
Care of older people
District nursing
Health visiting services
Clinical psychology
Community Mental Health Teams
Community Learning Difficulties Teams
Addictions services
Women's health services – well woman, sexual health and family planning services
Services delivered by allied health professionals
GP out-of-hours
Public Health Dental Service (community dental services)
Continence services
Home Dialysis
Health Promotion activity as delivered by practitioners within integrated services
General Medical Services
GP pharmaceutical services

Health and social care functions that “may” be included in addition to those listed above are any adult services that are not specifically excluded by the regulations and children’s services.

If you would like further information relating to the Public Bodies (Joint Working) (Scotland) act then please look overleaf for further information on the act and how you can formally comment through the consultation process, should you wish to.
Health and Social Care Integration Consultation

The draft Scottish Statutory Instruments which will accompany the Public Bodies (Joint Working) (Scotland) Is out for consultation now.

Stage 1 - Consultation now available

Consultation on the first set of draft Regulations will run for twelve weeks from Monday May 12, 2014 – Friday August 1, 2014 and covers draft Regulations relating to:

- Prescribed matters to be included in the Integration Scheme
- Prescribed functions that must be delegated by Local Authorities
- Prescribed functions that must or may be delegated by Health Boards
- Prescribed National Health and Wellbeing Outcomes
- Interpretation of what is meant by the terms health and social care professionals
- Prescribed functions conferred on a Local Authority officer

Stage 2 - Consultation now available

Consultation on the second set of draft Regulations will run for twelve weeks from Tuesday May, 27 2014 – Monday August, 18 2014 and covers draft Regulations relating to:

- Establishment, membership and proceedings of the joint monitoring committee in lead agency arrangements
- Membership, powers and proceedings of integration joint boards in body corporate arrangements
- Prescribed groups which must be consulted when drafting integration schemes
- Prescribed day by which integration scheme must be submitted to the Scottish Ministers
- Prescribed membership of strategic planning group
- Prescribed consultees for draft strategic plan
- Prescribed day by which delegation must take effect
- Prescribed consultees for localities
- Prescribed form and content of performance report
- Prescribed consultees for revised integration scheme

Stakeholders will have access to the full package of regulations for ten consecutive weeks during the consultation.

If you would like to comment on the regulations please use any of the contact details listed to your right. The hyperlinks above will take you to the regulations and consultations documents.

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