# Independence, Well-being and Choice Service Inspection (January 2009 – April 2009) <u>ACTION PLAN FOR IMPROVEMENT</u>

#### **Outcome Theme: Safeguarding Adults**

- 1. Develop and implement a comprehensive system of performance management and quality assurance, so that the council can be fully assured that people in vulnerable situations are effectively safeguarded.
- 2. Develop and implement a preventative strategy for safeguarding that is aligned to other preventative work including community safety.
- 3. Ensure that the planned implementation of the protocol for risk assessment improves the profile, recording and management of risk for people in vulnerable situations.
- **4.** Ensure that it is fully discharging it responsibilities in regards to securing appropriate strategic and operational police contribution to adult safeguarding to improve people's safety.

#### **Outcome Theme: Personalised Services**

- 5. Ensure the needs of older people with mental health problems and their carers are fully met.
- **6.** Develop and implement a joint strategic plan for the future delivery of intermediate care and continue to reduce the number of delayed transfers of care whilst improving the experience of hospital discharge for older people.
- 7. Ensure that assessments, care planning and reviews are consistently holistic, person centred and promote improved outcomes for people who use services.
- 8. Ensure advocacy support is widely promoted to enable older people to contribute to decision making and achieve their desired outcomes
- **9.** Ensure that the review of the carers' strategy is progressed to deliver improved support and outcomes for carers.
- **10.** Develop a strategic framework for the future development of direct payments, aligned to the progress of individual budgets, to ensure that greater choice and control is offered to older people.

#### **Outcome Theme: Leadership and Commissioning**

- **11.** Ensure that there is a framework in place that identifies joint strategic priorities and commissioning intentions for older people, that is underpinned by detailed implementation plans which are appropriately resourced, monitored and reported on.
- **12.** Ensure that the information about the use of direct payments, signposting activities in the ICT and telecare are used to inform commissioning intentions and help to develop an even better understanding of local need.
- **13.** Work with partners to develop a joint workforce plan to ensure that the workforce is able to deliver current and future priorities.
- 14. Develop a tailored performance management and quality assurance reporting mechanism that supports more effective challenge from elected members.
- **15.** Ensure that work is progressed to improve data quality and governance arrangements.

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| 1 | Council & partners | Develop and implement a comprehensive system of performance management and quality assurance, so that the council can be fully assured that people in vulnerable situations are effectively safeguarded. | 1.1 | Deploy a Quality Assurance Framework which includes a Safeguarding component with SMART objectives, identifying outcome measures. | July 2009 (framework in place by July 2009; utilisation of the framework will be ongoing) | In progress. Some areas of the framework are already in place, as below:  New QA system in Home Care now securely embedded including direct observations and telephone checks - operational since September 2008. New system for audit of client financial transactions in place since February 2009 in Home Care.  Safeguarding performance to be scrutinized at monthly performance call over meetings from July 2009. New performance indicators which measure the quality of safeguarding practices to be introduced from September 2009.  Case file audit tool has been revised and enhanced and is used in supervisions. The tool is now used more effectively and efficiently creating improved quality assurance.  A Dignity Framework, which will help ensure high standards of dignity are maintained for all services users, is being implemented across provider and assessment services. | Head of Systems Development and Performance | QA<br>P |
|   |                    |  | 1.2 | Recruit an independent chair  | Sept 2009   | The vacancy is ready to be advertised and the position of independent chair will  | Assistant Director,                         | S       |

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|   |                          |   |     | for the<br>Safeguarding<br>Adults Board.  |             | be recruited to within target date.  | Adult<br>Services  |         |
|   |                          |   | 1.3 | Implement SOVA<br>workflow on<br>Framework i.   | March 2009  | SOVA workflow achieved at the beginning of March 2009. The new workflow lends itself to the production of more accessible performance management information about safeguarding. A review of the SOVA workflow will be carried out in October 2009.  | Head of<br>Systems<br>Development<br>&<br>Performance  | QA      |
|   |                          |   | 1.4 | Develop a specialist Safeguarding Team of up to nine FTE to undertake all Safeguarding work across client groups. | Sept 2009   | Draft job descriptions and structure chart completed. Staff should be in post by August and the enhanced team to be fully operational by the end of September 2009. Roles and responsibilities within the new service will be subject to the formal job evaluation process. Roles and responsibilities will inform this process and will be formalised by mid August 2009. The safeguarding team will sit alongside the Mental Capacity Act and Deprivation of Liberty Service, under the umbrella of an Adult Protection Service. | Service<br>Manager<br>Mental Health<br>and<br>Safeguarding<br>/ Mental<br>Health<br>Project<br>Officer | P       |
| 2 | Council<br>&<br>partners | Develop and implement a preventative strategy for safeguarding that is aligned to other preventative work including | 2.1 | Develop and implement safeguarding preventative strategy  | July 2009   | The objective of the preventative strategy will be to develop a range of preventative activities that reduce the incidence of harm, abuse and/or exploitation. It will be multi-agency and involve service users and families/carers.  | Safeguarding Adults Manager / mental Health Project Manager / Head of Safeguarding                     | P       |

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|      | community safety.      |     |  |             | The prevention strategy is currently being drafted and will be ready for consultation by the end of July.   | Service  |         |
|      |                        | 2.2 | Recruit carers to<br>the Safeguarding<br>Adults Board and<br>sub-groups.   | May 2009    | Carers have been recruited to the Safeguarding Adults Board.  Two carers now attend the quality Research Governance Board to ensure the interests of social care service users are safeguarded within an ethics-based research framework.  A service user also attends the Safeguarding Adults Board.   | Service<br>Manager<br>Mental Health<br>and<br>Safeguarding<br>/ Mental<br>Health<br>Project<br>Manager | S       |
|      |                        | 2.3 | Continue to work to raise the awareness and profile of safeguarding adults | Ongoing     | The Mental Health Trust has appointed an Assistant Director for Safeguarding Adults. NHS Haringey has appointed a Lead Nurse for Safeguarding.  4 <sup>th</sup> World Elder Abuse Awareness Day: In order to mark the event and raise the profile of Safeguarding Adults, a successful road show took place on 15 <sup>th</sup> June 2009 with three main stops across the Borough. Staff spoke with many people throughout the borough and over a thousand leaflets were distributed. Some members of the public, who would have otherwise been unaware of recourse, disclosed specific concerns to staff. | Service Manager Mental Health and Safeguarding / Mental Health Project Manager                         | P       |
|      |                        | 2.4 | Develop the HSP 'Commitment to the Safeguarding of                         | July 2009   | Complete  | Assistant<br>Director,<br>Adult  | S       |

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|                          |  |     | Vulnerable Adults<br>and Statement of<br>Priorities for 2009 –<br>2010' |                   |  | Services                                    |                               |
|                          |  | 2.5 | Establish a<br>Member Panel for<br>Safeguarding                         | September<br>2009 | This is being developed and will be subject to a further Cabinet report in September 2009.   | Mental Health<br>Project<br>Manager         | P<br>QA                       |
| Council<br>&<br>partners | Ensure that the planned implementation of the protocol for risk assessment improves the profile, recording and management of risk for people in vulnerable situations. | 3.1 |   | June<br>2009      | Launch of Risk Guidance and Policy and the Vulnerable Adults Policy on 10 <sup>th</sup> June for the whole of Adult Services. This was a key practice event.  The launch event covered the following areas:  Risk Assessment Guidance and Vulnerable Adults Policy Launch; Safeguarding Adults; Personalisation; and Deprivation of Liberty and the Mental Capacity Act.  The event will be followed up by 'tailored' training courses. Seven training courses have been scheduled from July 2009 to June 2010.  Risk Assessment embedded in overview assessment document on Framework-i workflow. Plans to review this and make risk assessment a discrete document on Framework-i. A small random sample of case files were tested to review usage of the matrix in the SOVA workflow. This review indicated that the matrix is being successfully used. | Assistant<br>Director,<br>Adult<br>Services | P T S QA  Focus key at ef doc |

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|      |                        | 3.2 | Review the safeguarding training programme to ensure that it is fully rooted in practice and to review joint training arrangements with key partners. | June 2009   | The review was completed in June 2009. Subsequent changes have been made to training, making it more practice based. The review has also been useful for moving forward with creating a training programme that is developed closely with our key partners in order to ensure that it produces effective outcomes for all parties.  In addition, the Safeguarding Adults eLearning toolkit is available to all Haringey Council staff and our partners, including independent sector | Safeguarding<br>Adults<br>Manager                          | T                     |
|      |                        | 3.3 | Carry out further<br>Member training on<br>Safeguarding<br>Adults.  | June 2009   | organisations.  Successful training sessions were completed in April 2009 and June 2009.  Training sessions will be rolled out to other partners within the Well-being Partnership.  | Service<br>Manager<br>Mental Health<br>and<br>Safeguarding | T                     |
|      |                        | 3.4 | Raise awareness of safeguarding within the Council  | Ongoing     | A number of briefings have taken place with teams from across the Council. Further briefings have been scheduled.  | Safeguarding<br>Adults<br>Manager                          | Р                     |
|      |                        | 3.5 | Strengthen case file audits   | June 2009   | Revised Case File Audit Process launched June 2009. SOVA case file audit exists in SOVA workflow.  | Head of Systems Development & Performance                  | QA                    |
|      |                        | 3.6 | Launch and implement SOVA workflow.   | March 2009  | <ul> <li>Achieved. Benefits to the new workflow:</li> <li>Managers can monitor the workflow and complete case audits more easily;</li> <li>All data pertaining to the safeguarding of vulnerable adults is in 'one place';</li> </ul>  | Head of  | Focus key a<br>of doc |

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|   |         |   |     |   |             | <ul> <li>Practitioners can navigate around the<br/>system more easily.</li> <li>The workflow will be reviewed in October<br/>2009.</li> </ul>   |  |                     |
| 4 | Council | Ensure that it is fully discharging its responsibilities in regards to securing appropriate     | 4.1 | Recruit a senior manager from Community Safety and the Police to the Safeguarding Adults Board.                                     | March 2009  | Senior Manager has been appointed to represent the Community Safety unit and take forward any identified actions. Borough Commander attends the Safeguarding Adults Board.  | Assistant<br>Director,<br>Adult<br>Services                | S                   |
|   |         | strategic and operational police contribution to adult safeguarding to improve people's safety. | 4.2 | Police to produce a safeguarding adults work plan.  | Sept 2009   | The police are working to complete a safeguarding adults work plan. The police have developed a database (CRIS) that will flag vulnerable adults and are looking at setting up a protection unit that will take the lead on safeguarding. | Detective<br>Inspector<br>(Safeguardin<br>g Lead)          | S                   |
|   |         |   | 4.3 | Safeguarding officer from the Council to meet safeguarding representative (Detective Inspector) from the police on a monthly basis. | Sept 2009   | Achieved. Monthly meetings now take place. The objective of these meetings is to integrate safeguarding into the police work processes and to set up a specialist safeguarding team dealing with adult and child abuse.                   |  | S<br>ocus key at er |
|   |         |   | 4.4 | A Detective<br>Inspector from the<br>police to become<br>safeguarding lead.   | Sept 2009   | Achieved. A safeguarding lead (Detective Inspector) is now in place within the Police. The Inspector will be the lead officer within the police for Haringey and will disseminate and cascade good practice across the                    | Service Manager Mental Health and Safeguarding / Detective | S                   |

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|      |                        |        |             | partnership. They will also keep the partnership informed of key development pertaining to the police's evolving role in the area. | Inspector              |         |

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## **Outcome Theme: Personalised Services**

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| _ |          | Recommendations  |     |                      | -            |  |                        |
| 5 | Council  | Ensure the needs |     | Complete the work    | October 2009 | The Council is working with the        | Head of                |
|   | &        | of older people  |     | started in 2008/09   |              | Department of Health across the        | Commissioning          |
|   | partners | with mental      |     | on Council joint     |              | London region to complete a            |                        |
|   |          | health problems  |     | partnership strategy |              | mapping exercise for integrated        |                        |
|   |          | and their carers |     | and commissioning    |              | care pathways linked to the            |                        |
|   |          | are fully met.   | l p | olan for Older       |              | National Dementia Strategy.            |                        |
|   |          |                  | F   | People's Mental      |              |  |                        |
|   |          |                  | H   | Health incorporating |              | An increase of 30% in referrals        |                        |
|   |          |                  | k   | key outcomes of the  |              | from 2007/08 (471) to end of           |                        |
|   |          |                  | l 1 | National Dementia    |              | 2008/09 (626) indicates early          |                        |
|   |          |                  | 5   | Strategy.            |              | intervention work and improved         |                        |
|   |          |                  |     |                      |              | access to assessment for people        |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | This will include:   |              | with dementia at earlier stages in     |                        |
|   |          |                  | •   | working age          |              | their illness, a key priority from the |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | dementia             |              | National Dementia Strategy.            |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | review the           |              |  |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | service model        |              | The Integrated Older Persons           |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | with BEHMHT          |              | Community Mental Health Team           |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | following            |              | has been in place since June           |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | 2008/09              |              | 2008. The new policy will go-live in   |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | Community            |              | October 2009. Crisis management        |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | Mental Health        |              | will be improved through the           |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | Team                 |              | introduction of a duty system on 29    |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | integration          |              | June 2009. Care pathways               |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | • .                  |              | between community mental health        |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | existing early       |              | teams and generic older persons        |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | intervention         |              | care management teams, adult           |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | initiatives and      |              | mental health community mental         |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | mental health        |              | health teams and intermediate care     |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | promotion.           |              | teams to be reviewed and improved      |                        |
|   |          |                  |     | promotion.           |              | to ensure seamless service.            |                        |

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|      |                        | 5.2 | Onon a now   | September 2009 | A working group including statutory partners, Alzheimers Society and informal carers has been developing the service model. We have moved away from a day centre model towards a Resource Centre for Older People with mental health problems, and we will be shifting significant service provision into the Resource Centre. This will result in increased access for older people with mental health problems and their carers. The Resource Centre will offer: dementia care day opportunities centre; outpatients' services from BEHMHT, including occupational therapy, physiotherapy, consultant psychiatry, speech and language therapy and memory service; and for carers: Admiral Nursing and base for Alzheimers Society.  The Joint commissioning Framework for dementia was published on 15 June 2009. Agreement is being sought with NHS Haringey commissioning and public health to complete the JSNA template. | Contino Managor In  |
|      |                        | 0.2 | Open a new dementia day opportunity centre in partnership with | September 2009 | Haynes Centre – Revenue stream of £300K in place. Building has been handed over. Transportation secured. Furniture and equipment   | Service Manager, In-<br>house Home Care,<br>Supported Housing &<br>Emergency Planning |

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|      |                        |     | Lewis and Mary<br>Haynes Trust, NHS<br>Haringey and<br>BEHMHT.  |                | being ordered for delivery in July. Posts established and recruitment process initiated. Multi-agency group working on service philosophy and inter-agency links, including GP service on site. Current projected opening date is early September 09.   |  |
|      |                        | 5.3 | Complete work on end of life care and dementia through joint sponsorship with BEHMHT and NHS Haringey of a Marie Curie research project to review and map care pathways of people with dementia and end of life care. This will inform future care pathways and commissioning intentions. | September 2009 | Marie Curie research project in progress – linking in to The Grange carer group and manager.  The project will identify major barriers for dementia patients and their carers in accessing good quality end of life care and suggest cost effective ways of enabling improvements based on review findings. | Service Manager, Inhouse Home Care, Supported Housing & Emergency Planning |
|      |                        | 5.4 | Joint working on dementia care mapping with BEHMHT will continue in 2009/10.  | Ongoing        | 25 people have been trained in dementia care mapping, a tool and process used to develop person centred practice. A joint action plan for dementia care mapping is underway and will include crossservice dementia mapping to improve the quality of care for people with dementia.                         | Service Manager,<br>Residential and<br>Nursing Care                        |

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| 6 | Council & partners | Recommendations  Develop and implement a joint strategic plan for the future delivery of intermediate care and continue to reduce the number of delayed transfers of care whilst improving the experience of hospital discharge for older people. | 6.1 | Joint Older People's Commissioning Plan being completed to incorporate intermediate care and actions to reduce delayed discharges. Whole Systems Capacity Planning Group was re- invigorated in January 2009. | September 2009 | AD led Delayed Discharge Project, started June 2009. Weekly meeting to go through individual acute and non-acute delays and this has significantly improved performance and, for example, minimised errors caused by data capture inaccuracies.  Close working with NHS Haringey linked into PCT work with Clinicentre. NHS Haringey has commissioned this provider to provide additional intermediate care capacity. Provision of community based medical input to support admission avoidance and early discharge from hospital will work alongside the Council's Rapid Response Service. The Council is also working with NHS Haringey to implement neighbourhood care in Haringey and delayed discharges has been emphasised as a key area for integrated working. | Assistant Director, Adult Services/ Head of Commissioning                |
|   |                    |   | 6.2 | Develop<br>Neighbourhood<br>Wellbeing Network<br>Pilot  | September 2009 | The Council in Partnership with the NHS are participating in the DH Accelerated Development Programme – Supporting People to Shape Services. Local project to develop Neighbourhood Wellbeing Networks based around GP Collaboratives. The Project   | Service Manager<br>Younger & Older<br>Adults and<br>Occupational Therapy |

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|   |         |  |  |                    | Implementation Group will be established in July 2009.  The purpose of the project is to develop a network of stakeholders across a geographical area, initially based around the four General Practitioner Collaboratives in the borough. The network will operate to promote and deliver the Local Strategic Partnership Wellbeing Agenda and promote the Council's Transformation of Social/Health Care (Personal Budgets). The objective of the project will be to deliver tangible/practical improvements for residents to include improved case management of residents health and social care needs, occupational therapy assessments, income maximisation assessments, fuel poverty assessments for all persons over 75 years in the area. |  |
| 7 | Council | Ensure that assessments, care planning and reviews are consistently holistic, person centred and | 7.1 Revise Care Plan Episode in Frameworki to ensure improved recording of outcome focused support planning. | July 2009          | Specification for new episode produced, user acceptance testing scheduled for June 09. Launch of new episode July 09.  | Head of Systems<br>Development and<br>Performance  |
|   |         | promote improved outcomes for people who use   | 7.2 Improve management oversight of practise.  | July 2009; ongoing | Revised case file audit in place to monitor quality of assessment, support planning and reviews. Audits uploaded to case file. Case  | Service/team<br>managers across<br>Adults Services |

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|   |  | services.              |  |   |   | file supervision now has an auditable link to case file audit.   |                          |
| 8 | Council Ensure advocacy support is widely promoted to enable older people to contribute to decision making and achieve their desired | 8.1                    | Commissioning<br>framework for<br>advocacy will be<br>completed by<br>October 2009 | October 2009  | The Council has developed a draft framework for increasing the range of advocacy. Comprehensive review including gap analysis across client groups undertaken of current advocacy services funded through Council, NHS Haringey and other third parties May 09. | Head of<br>Commissioning   |                          |
|   |  | outcomes.              | 8.2  | Development and<br>Capacity Building<br>post with the<br>Citizens Advice<br>Bureau  | July 2009   | <ul> <li>Meetings with preferred provider to scope work plan started May 2009 (ongoing).</li> <li>Job description, person specification and service specification will be finalised in early July 09.</li> <li>CAB (the provider) will be written to formally, and recruitment into the development worker post will start.</li> </ul> | Head of<br>Commissioning |
|   |  |                        | 8.3  | Service<br>specification<br>developed for<br>specialist advocacy<br>services for Adult &<br>Older People's<br>Mental Health,<br>Learning Disabilities<br>and Safeguarding | May 2009  | Achieved May 2009 (will be implemented through AD led meetings – see action 8.4 below).  | Head of<br>Commissioning |
|   |  |                        | 8.4  | AD led meetings<br>(July 2009) with   | Ongoing   | The meetings have been set up to begin in July 2009.   | Head of Commissioning    |

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| 0 | Causail |   | current proving review curred implement in service specification where necessity. | nt and<br>ew<br>s<br>ssary | Consultation period leggents April   |                          |
| 9 | Council | Ensure that the review of the carers' strategy is progressed to deliver improved support and outcomes for carers. | 9.1 Carers' 5 ye strategy (200 2013)  |                            | Consultation period January to April 2009, including questionnaire to carers and Consultation Day March 2009.  Carers strategy and Delivery Plan completed May 2009 (for Council Cabinet and NHS Haringey Trust Board June 2009)  The strategy delivery plan has 27 initiatives based on four key outcomes that carers themselves identified through the consultation process. These are based on the National Carers Strategy (June 2008) outcomes, agreed through the Carers Partnership Board.  Carers Partnership Board (quarterly) to monitor delivery of plan. | Head of Commissioning    |
|   |         |   | 9.2 Implement commissioni to support ca strategy, inc specific disinvestment      | arer's<br>luding           |  | Head of<br>Commissioning |

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|    |         |   | 9.3  | proposals. Ensure staff use services to meet the   | March 2010  | Quarterly Information Workshops to be held with care management staff  | Head of<br>Commissioning  |
|    |         |   |      | needs of BME communities in the most effective way.  |             | to raise the profile of BME services for carers (and users), to commence September 2009.   | -   |
|    |         |   |      |  |             | Directories of services across client groups including carers, to be updated and published by March 2010. (Note: Information to carers is a workstream of Carers Partnership Board)  |   |
|    |         |   |      |  |             | Evaluation of referral information into voluntary sector commissioned services will be undertaken in September 2009 and March 2010 to ascertain impact of above.   |   |
| 10 | Council | Develop a strategic framework for the future development of direct payments, aligned to the progress of individual budgets, to ensure that greater choice and control is offered to older | 10.1 | Commissioning framework developed and agreed, setting out principles for commissioning and market development for personalisation. | June 2009   | Framework agreed at Transforming Social Care Board May 2009.  The framework principles include:  Placing people at the centre of commissioning.  Working with and developing the market to deliver personalised services, including market workforce analysis (using InLAWS framework).  To consider ways of contracting, acknowledging that this is likely to mean less block | Service Manager Younger & Older Adults and Occupational Therapy/ Programme Co-ordinator Personalisation Agenda/ Head of Commissioning |

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| Lead | v                      | 10.2 |        | Ongoing     | contracting for services.  Older People's Personalisation Pilot brought forward to commence June 2009.  Promotion has revealed the need for training in outcome focused person centred care planning and direct payments for both the older peoples' care management and the community mental health service. Training is being commissioned | Service Manager Younger & Older Adults and Occupational Therapy/ Programme Co-ordinator Personalisation Agenda/ Head of Commissioning |
|      |                        |      |        |             | during July for implementation during the autumn. See action 13.4 for further details.   |   |

# **Outcome Theme: Leadership and Commissioning**

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| 11 | Council | Ensure that there is a framework in place that identifies joint strategic priorities and commissioning intentions for older people, that is underpinned by detailed | 11.1 | Develop<br>commissioning<br>framework, setting<br>out principles for<br>commissioning and<br>market<br>development for<br>personalisation. | June 2009  | Framework developed and agreed at TSCPB May 2009  The framework sets out key principles for commissioners around how we will commission services in the future. (See action 10.1 for further details).  | Head of<br>Commissioning                      |
|    |         | implementation<br>plans which are<br>appropriately<br>resourced,<br>monitored and<br>reported on.   | 11.2 | Experience Still Counts – complete revised quality of life strategy and refreshed delivery plan  | May 2009   | Completed and agreed at Council Cabinet May 2009. The delivery plan sets out joint partnership priorities as identified by older people, and will be monitored through the Older People's Partnership Board.  | Head of<br>Commissioning                      |
|    |         |   | 11.3 | Commissioning intentions (including investment and disinvestment proposals) linked to outcomes identified in Experience Still Counts       | Commissioning<br>Plan in place by<br>end Sept 2009 | Experience Still Counts has been ratified at Well-being Partnership Board in May 2009.  Joint Commissioning meetings planned with NHS Haringey June/July 2009 (first meeting 26 June 2009) to develop commissioning intentions around key priorities identified in Experience Still Counts. | Head of<br>Commissioning                      |
| 12 | Council | Ensure that the information about the use of  | 12.1 | Information about outcomes of direct payments and  | June 2009 – Sept<br>2009                           | Several area plans reviewed.  Consultant support in place, models   | Programme Co-<br>ordinator<br>Personalisation |

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|     | direct payments,         | telecare will be     |             | and methodologies under           | Agenda                 |
|     | signposting              | utilised within the  |             | consideration and working towards |                        |
|     | activities in the        | development of       |             | an options appraisal for          |                        |
|     | ICT and telecare         | commissioning        |             | consideration by the TSCPB in     |                        |
|     | are used to              | intentions through   |             | September 2009.                   |                        |
|     | inform                   | work being           |             |                                   |                        |
|     | commissioning            | overseen by the      |             |                                   |                        |
|     | intentions and           | TSCPB.               |             |                                   |                        |
|     | help to develop          |                      |             |                                   |                        |
|     | an even better           | A new approach to    |             |                                   |                        |
|     | understanding of         | commissioning        |             |                                   |                        |
|     | local need.              | including a Market   |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | Development Plan     |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | was agreed by the    |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | TSCPB. This          |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | approach includes    |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | 'putting service     |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | users at the heart   |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | of commissioning'.   |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | This will require    |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | consulting service   |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | users and carers     |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | and including the    |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | outcomes of all      |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | recent local         |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | research with them.  |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | Undertake and        |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | complete 'visioning  |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | events' with service |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | users and carers.    |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | This work will       |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | include information  |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | from outcomes of     |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | direct payments      |             |                                   |                        |
|     |                          | and telecare.        |             |                                   |                        |

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| 40 | '       | Recommendations   | 40.4 |  | _  |   |   |
| 13 | Council | Work with partners to develop a joint workforce plan to ensure that the workforce is able to deliver current and future priorities. | 13.1 | Develop an integrated local workforce strategy.  | April 2010 work to be partially completed. | <ul> <li>Workforce development project group established, work programme set out and agreed. The purpose of the group is to:</li> <li>Consider the workforce development needs required to transform Adult Social Care.</li> <li>Plan the change management/critical change requirements.</li> <li>Discuss and plan the required training needs for the programme.</li> <li>Plan the consultation/communication programme.</li> </ul> | Service Manager<br>Younger & Older<br>Adults and<br>Occupational Therapy                                    |
|    |         |   | 13.2 | Commission additional training programmes that underpin the cultural shift required to deliver on the transformation agenda. | June 2009 –<br>March 2010                  | PQ Accredited Personalisation Module developed by Middlesex University available for 09/10 intake. Training materials to be developed for non-social work staff to deliver personalisation agenda.  | OD Consultant, Adult<br>Social Care   |
|    |         |   | 13.3 | Raise awareness of personalisation and self directed support in older peoples and community mental health services.          | June 2009                                  | A work programme for the implementation of personalisation has been implemented. Personalisation briefings have been taking place across service user groups. Team briefings, team meetings and work plans will be dealt with in the context of the pilot projects being implemented in each service user group care  | Programme Co-<br>ordinator<br>Personalisation<br>Agenda/ Service/team<br>managers across<br>Adults Services |

| implement a short course in outcome based person centred care planning for older peoples and community mental heath services.  13.5 Clarify and agree tasks to be carried out at the following steps of the pathway (& the underpinning skill sets required): Self assessment and validation by risk assessment followed by support planning; integrated support navigation/brokerag e/direct payments.  Implement a short course in outcome based person developed.  Social Care  Social Care  Social Care  Programme Manac pathway will be signed off on 30 June 2009, to be implemented in the care management service for people with physical disabilities in July and tested in the pilot projects for the other services.  The steps along the pathway will provide the information necessary to clarify which staff and how many are required to undertake the work at each step of the pathway. This information can be used by the workforce development group to plan changes and training.  The new pathway will be used to  | Lead | CQC<br>Recommendations |      | Action   | Target date   | Progress   | Responsible Officer(s)              |
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| care management IT system.   |      |                        | 13.5 | tasks to be carried out at the following steps of the pathway (& the underpinning skill sets required): Self assessment and validation by risk assessment followed by support planning; integrated support navigation/brokerag | July 2009     | pathway will be signed off on 30 June 2009, to be implemented in the care management service for people with physical disabilities in July and tested in the pilot projects for the other services.  The steps along the pathway will provide the information necessary to clarify which staff and how many are required to undertake the work at each step of the pathway. This information can be used by the workforce development group to plan changes and training.  The new pathway will be used to inform the development of a new |                                     |

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|    |                                 | Recommendations  |  | point of access team (Integrated Access Team) will provide advice and information to all people contacting or making referrals to the team including information about services for older people. |   | team an updated adult social care website will be available to those wishing to gain information on line about services. Hard copy leaflets will be available to be sent out by the team on request. Current service users will be given a new hard copy information leaflet about older people's services at review. | Personalisation<br>Agenda                   |
| 14 | Council                         | Develop a tailored performance management and quality assurance reporting mechanism that supports more effective | 14.1   | Enhance support to Members to provide more effective challenge.   | June 2009   | Structure in place to report to lead member and the Leader monthly.  Additional training for new Cabinet Members on relevant issues to enhance challenge function.  Programme in place to commence July 2009.   | Head of Systems Development and Performance |
|    | challenge from elected members. | 14.2   | Ensure effective,<br>consistent and<br>specific targets with<br>timescales in Adult<br>Services business<br>plan and | April 2009  | Specific targets and timescales enabling effective performance measurement are now in place within the Adults Services business plan 2009/10. | Assistant Director,<br>Adult Services   |   |
|    | V07/2000 4                      |  |  | commissioning<br>strategy, against<br>which performance<br>will be measured.  | March 2010  | Review of Well-being Strategic<br>Framework 2007-10 by Wellbeing<br>Thematic Board (the chair is shared<br>between Chair of NHS Haringey and<br>portfolio Cabinet Member, and is<br>currently with NHS Haringey) to   | Head of Commissioning                       |

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|    |         |   |      |  |   | refresh current initiatives, including progress and performance to date.  |  |
|    |         |   |      |  |   | Commissioning Framework for Personalisation agreed (see action 10.1)  |  |
| 15 | Council | Ensure that work is progressed to improve data quality and governance arrangements. | 15.1 | Implement a new<br>Corporate Data<br>quality strategy  | August 2009   | Cabinet members endorsed the Corporate Data Quality Strategy report and the strategy has been in place since April 2009. A schedule of data quality audits across the council will take place over the coming year.                             | Head of Systems Development and Performance  |
|    |         |   | 15.2 | Ensure effective monitoring and scrutiny of data quality by the portfolio Cabinet Member and executive team. | Ongoing   | Ongoing data quality monitoring and results of internal audits to be reported to portfolio Cabinet Member by Director.  Data quality issues and audit findings are also raised at Monthly Budget and Performance meetings with Chief Executive. | Head of Corporate Policy and Performance / Director of Adult, Culture and Community Services |
|    |         |   | 15.3 | Implement recommendations of audit.  | Bi-annual audits<br>to be undertaken<br>(dates tbc<br>following<br>confirmation of<br>audit schedule) | Audit recommendations will be implemented across Adults Services.   | Relevant Service<br>Heads / Head of<br>Governance and<br>Partnerships                        |

## Glossary

| Abbreviation | Meaning   |
|--------------|---|
| AD           | Assistant Director                                |
| BEHMHT       | Barnet, Enfield and Haringey Mental Health Trust  |
| CAB          | Citizens Advise Bureau                            |
| CQC          | Care Quality Commission                           |
| DH           | Department of Health                              |
| FTE          | Full time equivalent                              |
| GP           | General Practitioner                              |
| HSP          | Haringey Strategic Partnership                    |
| InLAWS       | Integrated Local Area Workforce Strategy          |
| IT           | Information Technology                            |
| JSNA         | Joint Strategic Needs Assessment                  |
| NHS          | National Health Service                           |
| OD           | Organisational Development                        |
| PCT          | Primary Care Trust                                |
| QA           | Quality assurance                                 |
| SMART        | Specific, measurable, achievable, realistic, time |
| SOVA         | Safeguarding of vulnerable adults                 |
| TSCPB        | Transforming Social Care Partnership Board        |

## Safeguarding Focus Key

| Abbreviation | Meaning                                  |
|--------------|--|
| Р            | Prevention                               |
| QA           | Quality Assurance Operational Priorities |
| S            | Strategic                                |
| T            | Training                                 |