

Appendix A – 2022/23 NCL JHOSC work programme

15 July 2022

Item	Purpose	Lead Organisation
Start Well programme	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For the Committee to receive an overview of Start Well, a strategic programme for children and young people's services. 	NCL partners
Update on Fertility Services Review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For the Committee to scrutinise the final version of the Fertility Services Review. 	NCL partners
Enhanced Access to General Practice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> An update on upcoming national changes to 'enhanced access' to general practice (the additional provision of appointments outside of core hours). 	NCL partners

30 September 2022

Item	Purpose	Lead Organisation
Finance Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For a detailed finance update to include latest figures from each Hospital Trust in NCL, the overall strategic direction of travel and responses to the Committee's supplementary questions published in the March 2022 agenda papers. 	NCL partners
Workforce Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> An update on workforce issues in NCL. 	NCL partners

23 November 2022

Item	Purpose	Lead Organisation
Estates Strategy Update	<p>To receive an update on the Estates Strategy including finance issues. This follows on from the discussion on the Estates Strategy at the meeting held on 28th Jan 2022.</p> <p>The specific points to be addressed are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vision and priorities; • Context (an overview of the NCL health and care landscape); • The state of the current estate; 	NCL partners

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drivers of change – clinical requirements, population change and efficiency; • The potential scale of estates change; • Barriers to achieving change; • A summary of devolution asks – drawing from our emerging devolution case for change which is being prepared to a slower timescale and will include options analysis; (for this paper the new ICB Estates strategy) • Timeline; • Governance; • Risks and dependencies – including risks to capital due to current economic circumstances (e.g. higher building costs, general inflationary pressures, higher borrowing rates); • The Targeted Improvement Fund. 	
Primary Care Services	<p>To receive a report on the current issues with GP services including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Difficulties that patients are experiencing in accessing services; • Workforce issues; • Signposting of patients to alternative services such as out-of-hours hubs when GP Practices have limited availability of appointment slots; • An explanation of the current primary care commissioning process including Alternative Provider Medical Services (APMS) contracts and the changes made following the lessons learned from the recent issues relating to Operose Health. 	NCL partners
St Pancras Hospital	<p>To provide responses to questions concerning the moving of mental health patients from St Pancras Hospital to facilities elsewhere in London due to construction delays to Camden & Islington Foundation Trust's new Highgate East hospital. The St Pancras site was reportedly due to be used instead by operations transferred from Moorfields Eye Hospital. The specific questions were:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Why couldn't Moorfields wait to move their operations to St Pancras so that patients would only need to be moved once (from St Pancras to Highgate East)? 2) Why were Camden & Islington Foundation Trust having to pay for the additional costs incurred by temporarily moving patients rather than Moorfields? 	Camden & Islington Foundation Trust Board and Moorfields Eye Hospital Board

6 February 2023

Item	Purpose	Lead Organisation
Mental Health Services Review	<p>Update on the progress of the Review following the previous agenda items on this topic at the meeting in March 2022 including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How information on available services is communicated to residents; • How co-design/co-production is embedded, with examples of how this was working in practice; • Child & Adolescent mental health services and how the fragmentation of services (as referred to in the report) was being addressed; • The closer working relationship between BEH-MHT and C&I NHS Trust; • A single point of communication for queries relating to service users with complex needs. 	NCL partners
Community Health Services Review	<p>Update on the progress of the Review following the previous agenda items on this topic at the meeting in March 2022 including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The funding mechanisms to support community health services; • The local offer and delivery through the Borough Partnerships; • How the priorities of the local population and specific communities would be identified and addressed; • How co-production would be embedded in the provision of community health services; • How the required workforce would be recruited. 	

20 March 2023

Item	Purpose	Lead Organisation
Winter Resilience update	To provide an overview of the approach to winter resilience in NCL including the High Impact Winter Action Plan and additional funding for winter demand/capacity and discharge.	NCL ICB
Health Inequalities fund	To provide details of the £5m health inequalities fund supported by all the Trusts in the NCL area and the impact that this has had.	NCL ICB
Primary Care update	To provide an update on primary care and an overview of community pharmacy integration.	NCL ICB

Possible items for inclusion in 2023/24 work programme

- Further update on Mental Health and Community Health core offer. Last update in March 2023. Next update scheduled for March 2023.
- Further update on Start Well programme to be scheduled. Last update in July 2022.
- Fertility policy review. Last update in July 2022. Next update scheduled for January 2024.
- ICB finance update report. Last update in September 2022. Next update scheduled for late summer 2023. Next update to include further information about the funding to address health inequalities and evidence on how this was working. Risks to services or capital projects associated with inflation/energy costs should also be included.
- ICB workforce update report. Last update in September 2022. Next update not yet scheduled but likely to be in 2023/24. Next update to include Future update report on workforce issues to include a discussion on the need for a strong understanding at senior level of the realities on hospital wards where there are staff shortages and whether sufficient safety levels were being met for staff and patients. A staff representative to be invited to speak at the meeting.

Possible items for inclusion in future meetings

- Strategic role of GP Federations.
- Vaccination initiatives tailored to specific local needs in each NCL Borough including outreach work with community pharmacies.
- Ambulance waiting times and pressures across the system including A&E Departments.
- Pediatric service review.
- Primary care commissioning and the monitoring of private corporations operating in this area.
- The efficacy of online GP consultations, how the disconnect between the public and the medical profession could be addressed, how the public could be reassured that outcomes would be equally as high as face-to-face consultations and how capacity can be improved in this way.
- Increases in number of people being charged for services that they were previously able to access free of charge through the NHS (e.g. dentistry/ear wax syringing)
- Update on funding for NHS dentistry for both adults and children.

2022/23 Meeting Dates and Venues

- 15 July 2022 - Camden

- 30 September 2022 - Haringey
- 23 November 2022 - Islington
- 6 February 2023 – Haringey
- 20 March 2023 – Barnet