

## Chair's Report

Item 19b

## Governing Body meeting

1 March 2018

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<b>Purpose of Paper</b>	
Noting	
<b>Key Issues</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Urgent Care Consultation</li> <li>Health and Care Working Together in South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw</li> </ul>	
<b>Is your report for Approval / Consideration / Noting</b>	
Noting	
<b>Recommendations / Action Required by Governing Body</b>	
The Governing Body is asked to note the report.	
<b>Governing Body Assurance Framework</b>	
<p><b><i>Which of the CCG's objectives does this paper support?</i></b>  This paper provides assurance that risks will be identified and managed to help ensure the achievement of the CCG's objectives.</p>	
<b>Are there any Resource Implications (including Financial, Staffing etc)?</b>	
No	
<b>Have you carried out an Equality Impact Assessment and is it attached?</b>	
<p><b><i>Please attach if completed. Please explain if not, why not</i></b>  There are no specific issues associated with this report</p>	
<b>Have you involved patients, carers and the public in the preparation of the report?</b>	
Not applicable	

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This report summaries the business that has been concluded on behalf of the CCG during January/February 2018.

As part of my local work I continue to chair the City-wide Locality Group (CLG) where updates have been received on the Work and Health Unit Employment trial, Community Nursing and People Keeping Well, Neighbourhood Development Tool and the ERS/paper referral switch off.

At the time of writing, a Health and Wellbeing Board Health Inequality Workshop is scheduled to take place on 22 February where partners will come together to discuss inequalities across Sheffield.

### **Health and Care Working Together in South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw**

National support for South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw's ambitions has been gained through the allocation of transformation funding, introduced by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Philip Hammond, in the presentation of the Autumn budget. The presentation covered a number aspects including a commitment to help improve some health and care services in our region.

The Government has, 'exceptionally' (outside of the usual budget allocations), increased the Department of Health's budget by £2.8 billion over the next year, with the Treasury committed to funding £3.5 billion of capital between 2017/18 and 2022/23 - largely to support STP transformation schemes.

For us, in South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw, this includes two schemes:

- Barnsley Hospital Children's Emergency Department and Assessment Unit scheme to support the rapid assessment and treatment of children, and;
- Doncaster Urgent and Emergency Care scheme to expand, redesign and improve emergency care with the creation of a new hub for the ambulance service.

This is in addition to the previous announcement made that £10 million has been set aside to support:

- The expansion of hyper-acute stroke services at Sheffield Teaching Hospitals
- The buying of a new CT scanner and capacity expansion at Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals - again to improve stroke as well as cancer care

There are also a number of schemes which have received support, including £50,000 for primary care schemes across the region. More information on which will be available shortly.

Having just published the second of three total reports, the review of hospital services is ongoing. The second report focuses on the challenges identified in the five core services by clinicians, patients and the public, and some of the key themes emerging around them. It explores a number of examples of good practice elsewhere and outlines the next steps of the Review. It does not include solutions since these will be explored in the next stage. If you would like to keep updated on this work please email [acs.engagement@nhs.net](mailto:acs.engagement@nhs.net). There is an event being held on Thursday 8 March where healthcare professionals across South Yorkshire, Bassetlaw and Chesterfield will be brought together with patients and the public to consider the options which have been developed with a view to how hospital services could be delivered in the future to ensure local people continue to get safe, sustainable, high quality care. Find out more: [www.healthandcaretogethersyb.co.uk](http://www.healthandcaretogethersyb.co.uk)

Professor Don Berwick will be making a visit to South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw on Tuesday March 13 as part of his work with the King's Fund to support developments in the leading integrated care systems. Don will be meeting with clinical leaders in South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw and we are currently scheduling an agenda for him to meet with clinicians who have been and are involved in some of the transformation work across the region 4.

A paediatrician by background, Don was for 19 years the founding CEO of the Institute for Healthcare Improvement. In 2010, he was appointed by President Barack Obama as the Administrator of the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (the federal agency overseeing Medicare and Medicaid), a position that he held until December 2011. He has served on the faculties of the Harvard Medical School and Harvard School of Public Health. In 2013 he carried out a review of patient safety in the NHS on behalf of Prime Minister David Cameron.

As part of my national work, I continue to attend the NHS Clinical Commissioners where discussions have taken place around the availability of gluten free foods on NHS prescriptions, OTC medicines consultation, Conflicts of interest, the new framework for Integration, Transformation and Population Health Management and the CQC's Joint Framework, workforce and vanguards.

Along with GP colleagues from other ICSs across the country, I recently attended a discussion at Downing Street with the Prime Minister's Special Adviser on Health, James Kent. A representative from the Treasury was also there to listen. During the session we discussed various issues in primary care and how the government could help. One of the focuses was GP workforce issues such as supporting newly qualified GPs, GP pensions and creating the right skills. We also talked about how the government could support new models of primary care - neighbourhoods. It was hoped that the session should help influence government discussions with the BMA and government policy decisions around NHS funding.

The Governing Body is asked to note this report.

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On behalf of Dr Tim Moorhead, CCG Chair

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