

## Accountable Officer Report

Item 22b

Governing Body meeting

7 July 2016

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<b>Is your report for Approval / Consideration / Noting</b>	
Noting	
<b>Are there any Resource Implications</b>	
No	
<b>Audit Requirement</b>	
<b><u>CCG Objectives</u></b>	
<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.	
<b><u>Equality impact assessment</u></b>	
<b><i>Have you carried out an Equality Impact Assessment and is it attached?</i></b> No	
There are no specific issues associated with this report.	
<b><u>PPE Activity</u></b>	
<b><i>How does your paper support involving patients, carers and the public?</i></b>	
None required.	
<b>Recommendations</b>	
The Governing Body is asked to note the report.	

## **Accountable Officer's report**

### **Governing Body**

**7 July 2016**

As we near the end of the first quarter of the new financial year, I am pleased to report that the contract with Sheffield Teaching Hospitals (NHS) Foundation Trust has now been agreed and formal sign off will be concluded by the end of June. We continue to have discussions with NHS England about our financial position, more of which Governing Body will hear about in the financial report.

Along with the Chief Nurse, Kevin Clifford, I recently attended the Care Quality Commission Quality Summit at Sheffield Teaching Hospitals (NHS) Foundation Trust. I am pleased to report that the Trust were awarded an overall rating of 'Good' with a number of services rated as 'Outstanding.' This means the Trust is rated as one of the top 30% of NHS Hospital Trusts and one of only 18 (out of 174 Trusts) to have achieved green in every one of the five domains (Safe, Caring, Effective, Well Led and Responsive) which the Care Quality Commission use to rate a NHS organisation.

As you know since March we have been working with 16 of our partner health, education, local authority, research and voluntary sector organisations across South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw to develop our region-wide Sustainability and Transformation Plan (STP).

We have developed a number of key workstreams and over the next few days (at time of writing), we will finalise the draft STP before submitting it to NHS England on 30 June, the deadline for all 44 of the national STPs. It will then be reviewed nationally and our STP will meet with Simon Stevens (NHS England Chief Executive), Jim Mackay (NHS Improvement Chief Executive) and Mark Lloyd (Local Government Association Chief Executive) mid-July. We expect to hear if our plans have been judged to be robust enough to commence, or require additional work, by the end of the summer.

Our STP's five transformational workstreams are:

- Urgent and Emergency Care
- Elective Care and Diagnosis
- Cancer
- Mental Health & Learning Disabilities
- Maternity and Children's Services.

Five cross-cutting workstreams will underpin these:

- Workforce
- Digital/ IT (technology and research)
- The Carter Review, Procurement and Shared Services
- Finance
- Economic Development and Public Sector Reform.

Five local themes have also been identified, these are:

- Primary Care
- Out of Hospital Care

- Childrens (0-5)
- End of Life Care
- Healthy lives, living well, prevention

Tim Moorhead and I have agreed to lead the Primary Care Workstream and have already held a meeting bringing together the clinical leads from across South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw.

I am the lead Accountable Officer for the SYB, Wakefield and North Derbyshire Urgent and Emergency Care (UEC) Network, which has now been established for approximately 9 months and has been set the challenge of overseeing and driving through the changes following the national review of urgent and emergency care (Keogh Review). We have identified a number of priority areas to focus on and these are helping to shape the Sustainability and Transformation Plan priorities. The priorities of the Network and the Urgent & Emergency Care workstream of the STP are aligned & I work closely with the Chief Executive of Rotherham Foundation Trust who is the Lead Officer for the Urgent Care workstream of the STP.

The key challenge is to develop a robust out of hospital model proactively managing those most at risk and so the focus is on increasing capacity out of hospital to enable appropriate shifts of activity. The working hypothesis is that improving both access to and the offer in primary and community settings will reduce demand for urgent care in hospital settings. A workshop on Integrated Urgent Care is being held on 8<sup>th</sup> July with Urgent Care leaders across the Network & STP footprint to shape our vision in this area.

As mentioned in the Chair's report, we attended the NHS Confederation Conference in Manchester. It was a really informative three days and it was clear that we are heading in the right direction in Sheffield with workforce issues and integrated working high on the agenda.

NHS Sheffield CCG hosted a meeting of the Core Cities Network. We had in-depth discussions around New Care Models, Integrated Commissioning and the Better Care Fund, and Driving Growth Locally. The meeting was really useful for exploring different approaches being taken in different parts of the country and for us to each share our experiences.

As part of my ongoing programme of visits to general practice in Sheffield, at the time of writing, I am due to visit High Green Health Centre and Baslow Road.

### **Recommendation**

The Governing Body is asked to note the report.

Maddy Ruff  
Accountable Officer  
25 June 2016