

Deputy Accountable Officer's Report

Governing Body meeting

Item 19e

4 July 2019

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Purpose of Paper	
Noting	
Key Issues	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome Lesley Smith – Interim Accountable Officer • Welcome Jackie Mills – Interim Chief Finance Officer • Urgent Care Workshop 6 June • 'Move More' Month • Improvement Plan • Accountable Care Partnership (ACP) • Yorkshire & Humber & North East Accountable officer's meeting 14 June 2019 • NHS Confed 19 June 	
Is your report for Approval / Consideration / Noting	
Noting	
Recommendations / Action Required by Governing Body	
The Governing Body is asked to note the report.	
Governing Body Assurance Framework	
<p><i>Which of the CCG's objectives does this paper support?</i> This paper provides assurance that risks will be identified and managed to help ensure the achievement of the CCG's objectives.</p>	
Are there any Resource Implications (including Financial, Staffing etc.)?	
No	
Have you carried out an Equality Impact Assessment and is it attached?	
<p><i>Please attach if completed. Please explain if not, why not</i> There are no specific issues associated with this report</p>	

Have you involved patients, carers and the public in the preparation of the report?

Not applicable

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This report summaries the business that has been concluded on behalf of the Accountable Officer, during May and June 2019.

Welcome Lesley Smith – Interim Accountable Officer

I am pleased to announce that Lesley has joined us as Interim Accountable Officer for Sheffield CCG. Lesley will continue in her role as Accountable Officer for Barnsley CCG and will share her time with both CCGs.

Welcome Jackie Mills – Interim Chief Finance Officer

Following Julia Newton's retirement on 31 May, Jackie Mills has taken up the post of Interim Chief Finance Officer for a period of 12 months; Jackie was previously Deputy Director of Finance, a role that she had undertaken since the inception of the CCG in 2013, prior to that she held the same position in Sheffield PCT.

Urgent Care Workshop – 6 June 2019

On 6 June I attended the last of a series of workshops that had been held with our partners and members of the public to explore further and identify the issues raised for urgent care services in the city. We considered the engagement, the outcomes from the engagement and the key themes together, and finalised the main key problems that had been highlighted; we also had an opportunity to 'test out' our preferred approach. The engagement report and key themes will be presented at the Accountable Care Partnership Executive Delivery Group for their consideration this summer.

'Move More'

Some of our CCG colleagues (me included) took part in a world record attempt at 'hopscotch event' ahead of 'Move More' month in June. The event was covered on the ITV news and we are hoping to hear the results of our efforts next week.

Improvement Plan

As reported in my May update, following an independent review of the culture, values and leadership of the CCG we have triangulated feedback from a range of sources and stakeholders to identify a series of improvements that will strengthen the way we work to become an outstanding organisation and a place where staff love to come to work. The Improvement Plan will be presented at today's Governing Body meeting held in public.

Accountable Care Partnership

An update of ACP business has been included in the ACP Director report.

Yorkshire & Humber & North East Accountable Officer's meeting

On 14 June I attended the first of the above meetings, the purpose will be to discuss the future of commissioning, CCG joint commissioning and what we can do together and how we will deliver transformation.

NHS Confederation

On 19 June I attended the NHS Confederation in Manchester where Simon Stevens shared his perspective from the top of NHS England and NHS Improvement, highlighting what has gone well for the NHS in the last 12 months and the essential areas where change is needed. He announced that the implementation framework for the NHS Long Term Plan would be published shortly, asking organisations to chart their own course for implementing the key improvements using the national support that the framework will set out.

In a lively afternoon session on system working, integrated care systems and the NHS workforce, delegates heard about the 'completely untapped resource' of the 1.4 million mature students across England, and how partnerships with local education providers could help create a progression pipeline into the NHS. "What are your skills gaps? We can help fill them," said Suzanne Duncan, principal of East Durham College.

Later in the afternoon, the audience heard the next steps of the Topol Review, which looks at digitally transforming the NHS. *'The UK is the first country in the world to look into where technology can take us over the next 20 years'*. Delegates were informed that artificial intelligence has already freed up 400,000 hours of consultation time.

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On behalf of Brian Hughes, Deputy Accountable Officer

24 June 2019