

## LINCOLNSHIRE HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

Open Report on behalf of NHS Lincolnshire CCG

Report to	<b>Lincolnshire Health and Wellbeing Board</b>
Date:	<b>29 September 2020</b>
Subject:	<b>NHS Lincolnshire CCG – Update on New Arrangements</b>

### Summary:

This report provides an update on the new arrangements relating to NHS Lincolnshire Clinical Commissioning Group.

### Actions Required:

The Health and Wellbeing Board is asked to:

- i. Note and discuss the content of this report
- ii. Consider implications for the Health and Wellbeing Board, notably in terms of joint working required on the key intention to focus on improving health and reducing health inequalities in Lincolnshire.

## 1. Background

The new NHS Lincolnshire CCG was established on 1 April 2020, replacing the four predecessor Lincolnshire CCGs (East, South, South West and West).

The new CCG is coterminous with the boundaries of the Lincolnshire County Council. It receives an annual budget of almost £1.3bn, with which it commissions services on behalf of the registered GP population of Lincolnshire (approximately 780,000 people).

The new CCG is a 'strategic commissioner' – a role which is evolving nationally and locally in the context of the national NHS Long Term Plan, the development of Integrated Care Systems, and the Coronavirus pandemic. In broad terms, this means that the CCG is responsible for oversight of all aspects of the NHS, and for working with all partners (NHS Trusts, GP practices, local government, care homes, third sector, a wide range of

other partners (eg University of Lincoln, GLLEP) and NHS England) to deploy resources in the best possible way to:

- i. Improve health of the population
- ii. Reduce health inequalities
- iii. Ensure that when people require NHS care, that it is of the highest quality possible

Great healthcare is dependent on great teamwork – and the new CCG is working openly with a wide range of colleagues to further develop and build on our partnership working approach in Lincolnshire.

The new CCG Board is established under the Chairmanship of Sean Lyons and has been holding meetings in public (virtual) since April 2020. The Chair of the Health and Wellbeing Board attends all the CCG Board meetings. The Chief Executive of the CCG is the Vice-Chair of the Health and Wellbeing Board.

The new CCG became established as the Coronavirus pandemic was impacting on the county and has concentrated its efforts since on supporting the work of NHS and care staff and colleagues throughout this time of unprecedented challenge.

The CCG's immediate next focus is on working with and supporting colleagues through the Phase III and Winter (see agenda item 7c). At the same time it must continue to work with colleagues in establishing an Integrated Care System by April 2021, and in refreshing Long Term NHS Strategy in line with the national Long Term Plan, and forthcoming Phase IV guidance.

The CCG Chief Executive will be pleased to discuss the new CCG management with the Health and Wellbeing Board.

## **2. Joint Strategic Needs Assessment and Joint Health & Wellbeing Strategy**

This report is for information only.

## **3. Consultation**

None

## **4. Appendices**

None

## **5. Background Papers**

No background papers within Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972 were used in the preparation of this report.

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