

**NHS DORSET CLINICAL COMMISSIONING GROUP
GOVERNING BODY MEETING
CHIEF OFFICER UPDATE**

Date of the meeting	14/11/2018
Author	C Lakeman – Secretary and General Counsel
Sponsoring Board Member	T Goodson – Chief Officer
Purpose of Report	To inform the Governing Body on matters of interest.
Recommendation	The Governing Body is asked to note the report.
Stakeholder Engagement	N/A
Previous GB / Committee/s, Dates	N/A

Monitoring and Assurance Summary

This report links to the following Strategic Principles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prevention at Scale • Integrated Community and Primary Care Services • One Acute Network • Digitally Enabled Dorset • Leading and Working Differently 		
	Yes [e.g. ✓]	Any action required?	
		Yes Detail in report	No
All three Domains of Quality (Safety, Quality, Patient Experience)	✓		✓
Board Assurance Framework/Risk Register	✓		✓
Budgetary Impact	✓		✓
Legal/Regulatory	✓		✓
People/Staff	✓		✓
Financial /Value for Money/Sustainability	✓		✓
Information Management & Technology	✓		✓
Equality Impact Assessment	✓		✓
Freedom of Information	✓		✓
I confirm that I have considered the implications of this report on each of the matters above, as indicated	✓		

Initials: CGL

1. Introduction

- 1.1 This report aims to provide a briefing for Governing Body members on key issues currently being managed or reviewed by the Dorset Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG).
- 1.2 Further information on each of the issues is available from the identified lead Director.

2. Items of Interest

Dorset Health and Wellbeing Board

Lead Clinician : Forbes Watson, CCG Chair

- 2.1 Please follow the link below to the agenda and papers for the meeting held on 7 November 2018.

<https://dorset.moderngov.co.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?MIId=1450&x=1>

Bournemouth and Poole Health and Wellbeing Board

Lead Director : Sally Sandcraft, Director of Primary and Community Care

- 2.2 Please follow the link below to the agenda and papers for the meeting held on 9 October 2018.

<https://www.bournemouth.gov.uk/councildemocratic/CouncilMeetings/CommitteeMeetings/BournemouthandPooleHealthandWellbeingBoard/2018/10/09/bournemouthandpoolehealthandwellbeingboard09-oct-2018.aspx>

CCG Assurance

Lead: Tim Goodson, Chief Officer

- 2.3 NHS England have released the cancer and maternity 2017/18 assessments which are available on [my NHS](#) website. For Dorset CCG the assessments attained were:

- Cancer – outstanding
- Maternity – requires improvement

- 2.4 To improve the maternity service the following work is being undertaken:

- All Trusts have fully implemented the “saving babies’ lives care bundle” and participate in the Wessex external peer review panel for stillbirths;
- A new postnatal care model is being piloted (started October 2018) across Dorset with the aim to ensure women feel supported adequately through the postnatal phase and have a positive experience. The pilot will be fully evaluated in March 2019;

- Work continues to progress personalised care planning to support and empower women to develop plans jointly with their midwife and any other professional involved in their care through the maternity journey. This will ensure care is wrapped around women, with the required support, to meet their own needs, as well as needs of their baby, partner and family;
- The Local Maternity Systems (LMS) are on track to maintain continuity of care for 20% of women booked in March 2019 and continue to progress work towards the national ambition of implementing continuity of carer to most women;
- In January 2019 women will be able to access the Dorset maternity website that will provide information and education to aid women's choices in maternity care. Choices will also be supported through personalised care planning and individual needs identified through risk assessment;
- Midwives have helped 52% of smoking pregnant women quit at four weeks. Work continues in maternity services, supported by public health, to reduce smoking rates at delivery. This is a core element of the national "saving babies' lives care bundle";
- A targeted pilot is taking place in Weymouth and Portland by involving health visitors and GPs working alongside midwifery with the aim to increase the numbers of women to access smoking cessation services.

Clinical Services Review – Dorset Health Scrutiny Committee (HOSC) - Referral to the Secretary of State

2.5 Notwithstanding the Dorset Health Scrutiny Committee's own task and finish group recommending not to refer the Clinical Services Review to the Secretary of State, at its meeting on 17 October the HOSC Dorset voted to refer on the following two grounds:-

- Concern that the travel times by the South West Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust have not been satisfactorily scrutinised and that the evidence needs further investigation to the current claim that these travel times will not cause loss of life.
- No local alternative to the loss of community hospitals given Dorset's demographic with its ageing population and how that service will be delivered.

2.6 The CCG will respond once formally notified.

Judicial Review

- 2.7 Following the High Court judgement in favour of the CCG in respect of the Judicial Review proceedings, the claimant has made a further application for leave to appeal the judgement to the Court of Appeal. The Governing Body will be updated as the matter progresses.

Dorset County Hospital NHS Foundation Trust Care Quality Commission (CQC) Outcome

- 2.8 The CQC report for DCHFT has been published with the Trust being rated as 'Good' overall. Please [follow this link](#) to the report.

NHS Constitution Annual Report

- 2.9 Please note the NHS Constitution Annual Report will now be included as a section of the Annual Report and you will receive your assurance during the approval process for the Annual Report.

3. Conclusion

- 3.1 These are the matters of interest that I wish to bring to the attention of the Governing Body.

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