

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Report

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1. Summary

1.1. The purpose of this paper is to seek endorsement of the Hampshire Learning Disability Partnership Board led Hampshire Learning Disability Plan for Adults to be launched on July 16th 2014.

1.2. This paper also seeks to:

- Provide the context for the development of the Plan
- Describe the outcomes of the three month formal consultation held from 16th September 2013 to 6th December 2013
- Identify areas where implementation of the Plan will improve the performance of Hampshire County Council and Hampshire's five Clinical Commissioning Groups (5CCGs)
- Set out the future direction for implementation

1.3. The Plan will need to be delivered within available resources requiring the County Council and CCGs to manage people's expectations, especially at a time of economic flux.

1.4. The Plan places both health and social care services at the centre of planned improvements to service delivery for people with a learning disability, thus enabling a holistic approach to meeting their needs and the needs of their carers and families.

1.5. The Plan incorporates 'Promises' from all services directly involved in supporting people with a learning disability in Hampshire, including Adult Services, Health, Children's Services, Passenger Transport, Education, Advocacy, Police, Department of Work and Pensions, Trading Standards and Engagement and Inclusion.

1.6. Hampshire County Council's Adult Services Departmental Management Team, Adult Services Executive Member and Hampshire 5CCGs have endorsed the

Plan through internal governance structures. They have also contributed Forewords to the Plan outlining their commitment to its implementation.

2. Background

- 2.1. The Hampshire Learning Disability Plan for Adults updates the Hampshire Learning Disability Strategy – Ordinary People Leading Ordinary Lives 2009-2011. It takes forward the locally commitment to build further on the requirements of Valuing People Now (2009) and the views and recommendations of people with learning disabilities and their families in Hampshire of what would make their life better.
- 2.2. The Plan, which was launched on 16th July 2014, has been developed by the Hampshire Learning Disability Partnership Board (HLDPB) whose membership is predominately people with learning disabilities and parents and carers.
- 2.3. The Plan builds on the previous Learning Disability Strategy in the following areas, emphasising that people with a learning disability:
 - Have the right support
 - Have better health and wellbeing opportunities
 - Have the right place to live
 - Increase opportunities for social inclusion and have meaningful activities.
 - Are safe in their homes and their communities
 - Have their rights promoted
 - Receive a whole family approach, enabling carers and their families to feel supported
- 2.4. The Plan also includes endorsed 'Promises' from organisations and commissioners, to meet the Plan's outcomes.
- 2.5. The Plan has underpinned the provider outcomes required within the 2014 Learning Disability and Shared Lives Framework.

3. Consultation

- 3.1. A three month formal consultation was held from 16th September 2013 to 6th December 2013. The consultation was publicised widely by all stakeholders.
- 3.2. An easy read questionnaire, developed with the support of self advocacy groups, the Board and Local Implementation Groups (LIGs) was made available in various formats, including Braille.
- 3.3. There were five main consultation events and 12 smaller events across the County. People from the Traveller community and people who used to be in the Proud2B Black and Minority Ethnic groups were invited and supported to attend the consultation events. People with learning disabilities in specialist and forensic hospitals had focused consultation events with the support of health and Advocacy. People were also able to submit views on line or by post.
- 3.4. There were 205 responses. At least 27 were responses from groups, ranging from couples to groups of at least 12 people. From these:

145 people stated they had a learning disability

62 stated they were a relative to someone with a learning disability (59 a parent or carer and three other relatives, such as a brother or sister)

61 said they worked with people with a learning disability.

3.5. Most welcomed the Plan's 'Promises'. The majority (n=158, 77%) agreed or strongly agreed the Plan would make lives better for people with learning disabilities. Only 10 people disagreed and two strongly disagreed (6%). 35 (17%) people said they were not sure if the Plan would make life better. Four people said they would agree the Plan would make life better if the entire Plan was carried out.

3.6. People made very helpful comments and recommendations. These have informed the changes to the final version of the Plan.

4. Finance

4.1. The Plan is based on a presumption of no additional investment. Implementation will be managed through the existing commissioning resource within Hampshire Adult Services and Hampshire 5CCGs either by separate or integrated arrangements.

5. Information Governance

5.1. An initial Privacy Impact Assessment has been undertaken and it was not deemed necessary to carry out a full privacy impact assessment of the Plan itself.

5.2. Any actions for implementing the Plan that requires the need to share information will comply with the Data Protection Act including the requirement for informed consent (as outlined in the Your Information Leaflet).

5.3. The photographs in the Plan were created by the Learning Disability Partnership Board. Signed informed consent has been obtained to use them in the Plan.

6. Performance

6.1. The Plan will support the performance requirements of the Adult Service Outcome Framework (ASCOF) across the three learning disability key indicators. These are the percentage of people with learning disabilities in paid employment and the percentage in settle accommodation, plus all new permanent admissions aged 18-64 to residential and nursing services per 100,000 population. It also supports the four outcomes of the framework in relation to enhancing people with learning disabilities quality of life; delaying and reducing the need for care and support; people having positive experiences of care and support; safeguarding.

6.2. The Plan meets all five of the NHS Outcomes Framework in relation to preventing premature deaths; enhancing the quality of live for people with long term conditions; helping people to received from episodes of ill health or

following injury; people having positive experiences of care; treatment within safe environments and protecting people from avoidable harm.

- 6.3. Integrated working across health and social care and delivery against the Winterbourne View Joint Improvement Programme Actions is supported by this Plan, through joint planning for high quality care and support services for people of all ages with challenging behaviour, which accords with the model of good care.
- 6.4. The Care Quality Commission's (CQC) Position Statement and Action Plan for Learning Disability 2010/15 aims to enhance the quality of outcomes for people who use services; this local Plan complements CQC's five priorities.
- 6.5. The Plan promotes reducing inequalities in healthcare for people with a learning disability in accordance with the Health and Social Care Act (2012) and meets the recommendation from National reports such as Mencap: Death by Indifference: 74 deaths and counting (2012) and Death by Indifference Report (2007), as well as the Six Lives Progress Report (DoH, 2010) and previous Six Lives Report (DoH, 2009) which was an investigation into the original Mencap report in 2007.
- 6.6. The revised plan will also support the recommendations from the Serious Case Review "Mr A" Hampshire County Council Safeguarding Adults Board Report June 2013.
- 6.7. The implementation of organisations' 'Promises' will need to include appropriate measures to monitor action being taken and the impact of these actions on the lives of people with learning disabilities. The Learning Disability and Shared Lives Framework strongly supports this monitoring for services commissioned by Adult Services.

7. Equality Impact Assessment

- 7.1. A full Equalities Impact Assessment has been approved and published . Further details are found under Integral Appendix B.

8. Future Direction

- 8.1. Each organisation who has pledged 'Promises' will develop their implementation plans to be reviewed at least annually by the HLDPB.

9. Recommendation

- 9.1. That the Health and Wellbeing Board endorses:
The Hampshire Learning Disability Plan for Adults

CORPORATE OR LEGAL INFORMATION:**Links to the Corporate Strategy**

Hampshire safer and more secure for all:	yes
Corporate Improvement plan link number (if appropriate):	
Maximising well-being:	yes
Corporate Improvement plan link number (if appropriate):	
Enhancing our quality of place:	yes
Corporate Improvement plan link number (if appropriate):	

Other Significant Links

Links to previous Member decisions:		
<u>Title</u>	<u>Reference</u>	<u>Date</u>
Direct links to specific legislation or Government Directives		
<u>Title (as in order of the report)</u>		<u>Date</u>
Valuing People Now http://webarchive.nationalarchives.gov.uk/20130107105354/http://www.dh.gov.uk/en/Publicationsandstatistics/Publications/PublicationsPolicyAndGuidance/DH_093377		2009
Valuing People Now: Delivery Plan 2010-2011 http://base-uk.org/sites/base-uk.org/files/[user-raw]/11-06/valuing_people_now_delivery_plan_2010-11.pdf		2010
Adult Social Care Outcomes Framework 2014/15 https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/adult-social-care-outcomes-framework-2014-to-2015		2014
NHS Outcomes Framework 2014/15 https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/256456/NHS_outcomes.pdf		2013
DH Winterbourne View Review: <i>Concordat: Programme of Action</i> https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/213217/Concordat.pdf		2012
Health and Social Care Act http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2012/7/contents/enacted		2012
Six Lives: Progress Report on Healthcare for People with Learning Disabilities https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/six-lives-department-of-health-second-progress-report		2013

Section 100 D - Local Government Act 1972 - background documents

The following documents discuss facts or matters on which this report, or an important part of it, is based and have been relied upon to a material extent in the preparation of this report. (NB: the list excludes published works and any documents which disclose exempt or confidential information as defined in the Act.)

<u>Document</u>	<u>Location</u>
None	

IMPACT ASSESSMENTS:

1. Equalities Impact Assessment:

1.1. A full Equalities Impact Assessment has been approved and published and is available on the County Council website at:

[Equality Impact Assessment EQI01097](#)

1.2. The equality impact assessment evidenced the Plan as only having positive impacts on the lives of people with learning disabilities. It recognised the Plan could increase the opportunities for people with learning disabilities to receive services that better met their needs and identified areas of improvement especially in relation to age, disability, pregnancy and maternity, and marriage and civil partnership.