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**To: Renfrewshire Integration Joint Board**

**On: 15 September 2017**

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**Report by: Chief Officer**

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**Heading: Planning and Delivering Care & Treatment across the West of Scotland**

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## **1. Purpose**

- 1.1. This paper sets out the requirement for the West of Scotland to produce a first Regional Delivery Plan by March 2018 and seek the support of Integrated Joint Boards to work collaboratively to achieve the best outcomes delivered sustainably for the citizens across the West.
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## **2. Recommendation**

It is recommended that the IJB:

- Note that the Chief Officer will contribute towards and represent Renfrewshire IJB in this collaborative work towards achieving our shared aims for the population we serve; and
  - Note that further updates on this work will be brought to the IJB.
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## **3. Background**

- 3.1. The Health and Social Care Delivery Plan, published by the Scottish Government in December 2016, set out the importance of delivering:
- Better Care
  - Better Health
  - Better Value
- 3.2. The Health and Social Care Delivery Plan also signalled the need to look at services on a population basis and to plan and deliver services that were sustainable, evidence-based and outcomes focussed. We can provide better patient outcomes and more efficient, consistent and sustainable services for citizens through NHS Boards, Integration Joint Boards (IJBs) and other partners by working more collaboratively and effectively to plan and deliver services.
- 3.3. At a regional level, the Scottish Government has commissioned Regional Delivery Plans to be developed, encompassing a whole-system approach to the delivery of health and social care for each of the 3 regions (North, East and West). For the West of Scotland this involves planning for the population of 2.7m covered by 5 NHS Boards, 16 Local Authorities and 15 Health and Social Care Partnerships (HSCPs) as well as the Golden Jubilee National Hospital. The national NHS Boards are also developing a single plan that sets out the national services where improvement should be focussed, including, where appropriate, a 'Once for Scotland' approach in areas such as digital services, clinical demand management and support services.

- 3.4. To take forward the national and regional approach, 5 NHS Board Chief Executives have been appointed to the role of the National or Regional Implementation Leads.
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#### **4. Developing a Regional Plan**

- 4.1. To progress a Regional Delivery Plan it is essential to link this to national planning for specialist services, local planning within Health Boards and local planning by and within IJBs, to ensure we plan effectively for the wider population.
- 4.2. It is recognised and understood that the existing NHS Boards and IJBs retain their governance responsibilities, however, to achieve this ambition:
- It is essential that Health Boards and Integrated Joint Boards across the West of Scotland support a collaborative approach;
  - We need to recognise that boundaries cannot be barriers to delivering evidence based outcomes
  - There needs to be transparency in our discussions
  - We need to accept a collective accountability for the wider population, evidenced through our decisions and actions.
- 4.3. In taking forward this work, it is important that we are guided by some key principles, namely;
- Maximising health gain
  - Anticipation and prevention
  - Reducing inequality
  - Quality, evidence and outcome
  - Sustainability
- 4.4. This Regional planning is in its early stages and is an evolving process which will be achieved by working together across the different organisations in a whole systems approach to set out the story for the West of Scotland, describing the current challenges and consider the opportunities to transform care models to meet the future requirements of our population and improve health.
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#### **Implications of the Report**

- 1. Financial** – None.
- 2. HR & Organisational Development** – None.
- 3. Community Planning** – None.
- 4. Legal** – None.
- 5. Property/Assets** – None.
- 6. Information Technology** – None.
- 7. Equality & Human Rights** – The recommendations contained within this report have been assessed in relation to their impact on equalities and human rights. No negative impacts on equality groups or potential for infringement have been identified arising from the recommendations contained in the report. If required following implementation, the actual impact of the recommendations and the mitigating actions will be

reviewed and monitored, and the results of the assessment will be published on the Council's website.

- 8. **Health & Safety** – None.
- 9. **Procurement** – None.
- 10. **Risk** – None.
- 11. **Privacy Impact** – None.

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**List of Background Papers** – None

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