

SURREY DOWNS CCG - GOVERNING BODY ASSURANCE FRAMEWORK 2017/18

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P1) Deliver the Financial Recovery Plan and CCG control total, based largely on a successful transformational QIPP programme	Dan Brown	Julian Wilmshurst-Smith	P1(a) Failure to achieve at least 75% of QIPP target	Scale and complexity of QIPP programme	QIPP shortfall would add pressure to find non-recurrent savings in year and add to subsequent years QIPP targets	PMO programme is fully assured - tracked levels of delivery are reliable. Total QIPP is capped so target should not shift.	Viability of specific schemes may be unclear until fully scoped.	Manage projects closely through overall PMO approach and individual programme boards.	Limited influence over e.g. behaviour in other organisations. Schemes may deliver less than planned following mobilisation.	4	5	20	19/03/2018	Current QIPP achievement forecast being reviewed	4	5	20	High 15-25	Treat
P1) Deliver the Financial Recovery Plan and CCG control total, based largely on a successful transformational QIPP programme	Dan Brown	Julian Wilmshurst-Smith	P1(b) Failure to control contracts with major suppliers	Historical volatility of contracts, particularly acute and non-local contracts	Actual cost pressure generating requirements for additional Non Recurrent Savings and potentially further QIPP schemes	Activity levels from suppliers via Secondary Users Service and Contract Management System	There are delays in data which means the CCG rarely has real time information.	Strict control over contracts particularly high risk / high value contracts	Provider behaviour ultimately lies outside of CCG control.	4	5	20	19/03/2018	Contracts for 2017-18 have been arranged to reduce risk. However there remains a significant gap between budgeted contracts, QIPP forecast and CCG allocations	4	4	16	Moderate 8-12	Treat
P1) Deliver the Financial Recovery Plan and CCG control total, based largely on a successful transformational QIPP programme	Dan Brown	Carole Melody	P1(c) Unplanned adjustments to central allocations or additional commitments	Historical examples of central changes that cannot be planned for and additional unplanned expenditure (e.g. over-performance on PbR contracts, further unknown contractual pressures)	Actual cost pressure generating requirements for additional Non Recurrent Savings and potentially further QIPP schemes which may not be available or able to generate mitigations in time	Current planning cycle sets out broad scope of allocations. Larger contracts have been commissioned as blocks rather than PbR which removes some of the risk	Unplanned changes to allocations e.g. for emergencies, changes in policy and demand surges to our PbR contracts leading to over-performance issues that need to be funded	Minimal control. Can advocate to minimise changes to allocations. Regarding over-performance would need to either reduce demand or slow throughput - extremely complex and would probably not work in the way required and it would probably cause pressures elsewhere in the system. Also time sensitive. Possibility of negotiating year end deals with over-performing Trusts.	No control over central policy.	3	4	12	19/03/2018	Minimal scope to mitigate central actions.	3	4	12	Moderate 8-12	Tolerate
P2) Take responsibility, with other partners in the footprint, for developing the Surrey Heartlands STP within the framework of locally devolved responsibilities; and ensure that this contributes significantly to the creation of a sustainable health economy with improved outcomes and quality	Colin Thompson	Lorna Hart	P2(a) Failure to agree collaborative arrangements with key partner organisations	Complexity of STP arrangements - large number of commissioner and provider organisations working together	STP effectiveness will be severely limited	Memorandum of Understanding in place for Devolution and STP plan submitted and approved in Oct 2016. Broad system wide support for STP in place.	Devolution and STP process still not completely clear and may be subject to change	Continue to develop collaborative arrangements at both devolution and STP levels. Continue to explore risks and benefits of collaboration internally. Devolution in shadow year and STP framework now agreed with centre	No framework in place for mediation or compliance	3	4	12	19/03/2018	Collaborative arrangements under discussion - MOU and terms of reference for joint committee drafted. Work will continue to operationalise arrangements and move through a successful shadow year. Review of S75 agreement taking place	3	4	12	Low 4-6	Treat
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P3) With partner CCGs, develop the CCG's capacity for the commissioning and delivery of primary care in 2017-18, ensuring that this is consistent with broader commissioning development in areas such as integration.	Colin Thompson	Shelley Eugene	P3(a) Lack of investment to make primary care / GP forward view transformation a reality, including delivering the out of hospital agenda and hub capacity	Shortages of national and local investment funds	General practice cannot participate in the CCG primary care strategy and associated workstreams	CCG has good baseline data on primary care estate and IT budgets	Level of funding in any given planning year	Work with partners and with NHSE to influence investment sums released from centre. No control over future supply of trained GPs	CCG does not have delegated commissioning authority. Cannot control the outcome of practice voting on the subject of delegated commissioning that would give it control over local primary care budgets	3	4	12	19/03/2018	Joint work taking place with Guildford and Waverley and NW Surrey CCGs on delivering 5YFV - plans submitted to NHSE	2	4	8	Low 4-6	Treat
P3) With partner CCGs, develop the CCG's capacity for the commissioning and delivery of primary care in 2017-18, ensuring that this is consistent with broader commissioning development in areas such as integration.	Colin Thompson	Shelley Eugene	P3(b) Local improvements in primary care access, particularly extended hours, cannot be delivered	Shortages of national and local investment funds; lack of strategic fit with other initiatives	Patients will lack access to a full range of primary care services	CCG has accurate data on local practice access and some feedback on patients experience of accessing appointments	Data on access experience could be improved e.g. waiting times for appointments	The CCG can work with localities and networks to encourage best practice and use of resources e.g. sharing administrative capacity	CCG does not have delegated commissioning authority that would give it control over local primary care budgets	3	4	12	19/03/2018	Joint work taking place with Guildford and Waverley and NW Surrey CCGs on delivering 5YFV - plans submitted to NHSE. Application of funds at Surrey Downs level agreed with localities.	3	4	12	Low 4-6	Treat
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P4) Ensure that the CCG's Organisational Development programmes support localities, clinical leaders, staff and the Governing Body to work locally and across the STP on the successful delivery of both strategic objectives and Business As Usual.	Colin Thompson	Becky Brewer	P4(a) Staff turnover and continued use of interns reduces the effectiveness of development programmes	Historical issues with recruitment and retention	Cohesiveness of senior management as a whole is reduced	CCG has accurate workforce data	No known gaps in assurance	EMT meets weekly and can prioritise actions that address workforce issues quickly; positive staff engagement means retention strategies more likely to succeed	Interim workforce market supply is not within CCG control	2	4	8	19/03/2018	At the moment turnover is at acceptable levels however there remain key gaps and a period of stabilisation as the three CCGs determine how they wish to work together. Work taking place looking at locality organisational development	3	4	12	Low 4-6	Treat
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