

# BNSSG CCG Primary Care Commissioning Committee Meeting

**Date:** Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2021

**Time:** 9:30 – 11:45

**Location:** Virtual meeting. Details within the calendar invite

<b>Agenda Number :</b>	5
<b>Title:</b>	Governing Body Assurance Framework and Corporate Risk Register (CRR) September 2021
<b>Purpose: approval</b>	
<b>Key Points for Discussion:</b>	
<p>The Primary Care Commissioning Committee oversees and seeks assurances risk relating to Primary Care. This includes risks concerning contracting, planning and strategy, financial planning and management and primary care quality, workforce, premises, and IT. The Committee is responsible for reviewing those risks that are relevant to its business and ensuring that appropriate and effective mitigating actions are in place. Risks assigned to the Committee for review are indicated on both the CRR and the GBAF. The key discussion points are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The risks rated at 20 and above on the CRR</li> <li>• New risks added to the CRR since the last review by the Governing Body and Primary Care Commissioning Committee. A number of new risks relate to Primary Care</li> <li>• The risks recommended to Governing Body for removal and the confirmation of the relevant committees that they are assured that the actions have been sufficient to reduce the risk score</li> <li>• Risks that committees have recommended remain on the CRR</li> </ul>	
<b>Recommendations:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• review and ensure that appropriate and effective mitigations are in place for risks reported on the CRR and GBAF and specifically those areas relating to the Committee's remit</li> <li>• Review those risks recommended for closure to ensure the Committee is assured that the risk score has been sufficiently reduced</li> <li>• consider whether the Corporate Risk Register (CRR) and Governing Body Assurance Framework (GBAF) are an accurate reflection of the risks brought to the committee's attention</li> <li>• consider whether other objectives and risks reported on the GBAF fall within the committee's remit</li> </ul>
<b>Previously Considered By and feedback :</b>	The Corporate Risk Register and the Governing Body Assurance Framework are reviewed monthly by Directors and received and



	discussed at the monthly Quality Committee, Strategic Finance Committee and Commissioning Executive meetings												
<b>Management of Declared Interest:</b>	The Committee receives a register of its members declared interests as a standing item. There are no declared interests relating the CRR and no risks regarding the management of declared interests												
<b>Risk and Assurance:</b>	The CRR and the GBAF show the current position of those risks scored at 15 and over using the 5x5 risk scoring matrix and the principal risks to the CCG's principal objectives												
<b>Financial / Resource Implications:</b>	As part of the Risk Management Framework the CRR and the GBAF are used to identify the impact of risks including financial risks. A moderation stage is used to ensure consistency in reporting financial risks across the CCG. Financial risks reported on Directorate Risk registers are reviewed corporately and an impact risk score is applied. If the risk score is reduced the risk is not added to the CRR and the Directorate is informed. The budget baseline applied is the CCG overall resource allocation.												
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<b>Legal, Policy and Regulatory Requirements:</b>	The CRR and GBAF are mechanisms for reporting risk and do not have legal implications. Where there are risks relating to legal and regulatory matters these are reported on the documents												
<b>How does this reduce Health Inequalities:</b>	No health inequalities issues arise from this report. The Corporate Risk Register and the Governing Body Assurance Framework report significant risks; where there are risks related to Health Inequalities that are over the risk scoring threshold of 15 and above or related to a principal objective these will be reported.												
<b>How does this impact on Equality &amp; diversity</b>	No inequalities issues arise from this report, and there is no impact upon people with protected characteristics. The Corporate Risk Register and the Governing Body Assurance Framework report significant risks; where there are risks related to inequalities that are over the risk-scoring threshold of 15 and above or related to a principal objective these will be reported.												
<b>Patient and Public Involvement:</b>	Not applicable to this report												
<b>Communications and Engagement:</b>	The Corporate Risk Register and Governing Body Assurance Framework are shared with Risk Leads, Risk Administrators and Directors for monthly updating. The Corporate Risk Register is a public document available on the CCG website												
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### Report title: Corporate Risk Register (CRR) June 2021

#### 1. Background

The Corporate Risk Register (CRR) provides assurance to the Governing Body that high level risks are addressed and that the actions taken are appropriate. Where a risk is linked to one or more of the CCGs principle objectives this is identified on the register. The Governing Body is responsible for ensuring that the CCG has properly identified risks and has appropriate controls in place to manage risk. The Governing Body approves the addition and removal of risks from the CRR. The CRR is presented on the new template agreed as part of the Risk Management Framework.

Directorate Risk Registers are reviewed and updated monthly. These feed into the CRR, which is discussed by the Executive as a standing item once a month. Each committee also reviews the CRR. The committees are reminded of their responsibility to review, scrutinise and challenge the management of risks specific to their remit. Committees are asked to consider whether they have a reviewing role in relation to any new risks added to the register; committees are also asked to assure themselves that risks recommended for removal have been appropriately reviewed and risks scores are revised appropriately. The Audit, Governance and Risk Committee receives the CRR as part of its responsibility to satisfy itself that systems and processes are in place and working. The Executive team has identify executive risk leads for specific areas. Executive risk leads review risks alongside director leads to ensure complete coverage of issues and avoid potential duplications.

#### 1. Corporate Risk Register

Those risks rated at 20 and above on the CRR are highlighted below:

ref	risk description	current risk score	Date added	Cross ref to GBAF
BNSSG Commissioning 7	There is a risk that the extent of change/improvement required in AWP as our core mental health provider is not addressed, impacting on the care and services provided to the BNSSG population. This risk includes the challenges of the current crisis pathway that could be more effective - currently there are a high number of people placed out of area, high numbers of people on a Section in hospital and increasing pressure on the crisis team's ability to respond.	4x5 =20	1.05.20	PO4
BNSSG	Risk of failure to recover 52 week wait	4x5 =20	1.05.20	PO1

<p>Commissioning 10</p>	<p>performance, which has wider implications due to the potential for patient harm. There is a financial risk for the system due to the 19/20 contract stating that all 52 week breaches will incur a fine which will be divided between CCG and Provider of £5000 per patient per month. One patient could incur multiple fines. The risk of 52 week wait breaches has significantly increased due to the pausing of all routine activity in response to the Covid outbreak, and recovery will be slower due to the additional IPC requirements and continued reduction in routine activity.</p>			
<p>Nurse and Quality: Risk Ref - BNSSGQD021</p>	<p>Patients are at risk of harm from call incident stacking at SWASFT causing a delay to ambulance response times <b>Aug 2021: Due to system pressures the risk has been increased. Population risk roundtable is being arranged.</b></p>	<p><b>4x5=20</b></p>	<p>06.12.2018</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Transformation - Communications 3</p>	<p>If we do not have a clear, agreed work plan in place there is a risk that the volume of work will not be sustainable for the team. This could result in not being able to meet the organisations key objectives and priorities, a risk that efforts are not focused in the right place, or that the stress on the team leads to sickness and absence. Key large programmes currently being managed alongside day to day activity include operational plan, organisational priorities, restoration and recovery of services, ongoing covid and mass vaccination and move to ICS and ICP development. <b>August 21 – Risk score increased - Reviewed work plan in context of current system pressures. Sharing with Director of Transformation and Chief Exec to flag the planned prioritisation of projects. Noted that there is limited work and projects that can be stood down but are reviewing what can possibly be</b></p>	<p><b>5x4=20</b></p>	<p>10.05.21</p>	<p>PO8</p>

	<b>outsourced.</b>			
Transformation - Communications 4	If we do not have allocated comms support for the transition of staff to the ICS there is a risk of employee disengagement and a lack of workforce preparedness. There is also a risk that the team do not have capacity to deliver a well planned strategy leading to stress, overwhelm and staff sickness. <b>August 21 - Have agreed to write a job specification to support this requirement. However, risk has increased as a result of internal comms band 7 leaving post recently.</b>	<b>5x4=20</b>	10.05.21	PO8

## 2. Updates to the Corporate Risk Register

Risks added to the CRR are highlighted in red text on register. Updates to the CRR made since its last review are highlighted in blue on the register. Since the July review of the CRR by PCCC the below risks have been added. The Communications Team are currently reviewing all risks relating to the team with a focus on ensuring the risk score is appropriate. A number of new risks have been added that relate to the Primary Care Committee. These are at the end of the table.

ref	risk description	current risk score	Committee	Cross reference GBAF
Trans-formation Comms 5	Communications Team RISK SCORE HAS INCREASED AND IS NOW REPORTED ON CRR There is a current resource gap with a number of planned and unplanned absences across internal, external and insights teams. These gaps are impacting on team capacity and ability to deliver planned work which will result in possible impact on output and deliverables and possibly leading to stress and further staff sickness if not addressed.	<b>5x4=20*</b>	SFC	PO8
Trans-formation Comms 6	Communications Team RISK SCORE HAS INCREASED AND IS NOW REPORTED ON CRR Due us not being able to secure a secondment extension for the Internal communications manager there is a significant risk on the impact of the deliverable of key internal communications	<b>5x4=20*</b>	SFC	PO8

	work resulting in increased pressures across the team, lack of resources and skill at the right level to deliver the complexity of work that needs to be undertaken. This will impact on wider workforce with Internal communication playing a key role in supporting staff and keeping them informed.			
Nurse and Quality: BNSSGQD 044	RISK SCORE HAS INCREASED AND IS NOW REPORTED ON CRR If the number of patients within BNSSG contracting Clostridium Difficile remains above benchmarked figures there is an increased risk in higher mortality rates, poorer outcomes and increased hospital admissions.	<b>4x4=16</b>	Quality	-
Transformation - Communications 2	RISK SCORE HAS INCREASED AND IS NOW REPORTED ON CRR If we are unable to extend FTC contracts within the comms team then there is a risk that we will be unable to deliver our business critical work / CCG initiatives resulting in delays in delivery of core pieces of work, impacting on implementation and we will lose key knowledge within the team as those roles come to an end.	<b>4x4=16</b>	SFC	PO8
Primary Care Development - Access PCC26	RISK SCORE HAS INCREASED AND IS NOW REPORTED ON CRR There is a risk that Primary Care capacity is not sufficient to meet routine and on the day demand following overwhelming demand due to the mass vaccination programme, restoration of routine activity and shift of activity from secondary care including phlebotomy, advice and guidance and urgent care. This may result in a reduction in Primary Care services.	<b>4x4=16</b>	PCCC	PO3
Primary Care Development - Workforce PCC39	RISK SCORE HAS INCREASED AND IS NOW REPORTED ON CRR There is a risk of reducing workforce availability due to staff leave and retention following continued pressure of workload in Primary Care.	<b>4x4=16</b>	PCCC	PO3
Primary Care Development - Access PCC40	RISK SCORE HAS INCREASED AND IS NOW REPORTED ON CRR There is a risk that the current national shortage of blood bottles will impact the delivery of routine blood tests in primary care and cause a backlog	<b>4x4=16</b>	PCCC	PO3



	of long term condition reviews that will need to be delayed. If the duration of this continues to be longer, this could potentially impact patient care and practice finances adversely.			
Bristol Area Team / BS25	<p><b>RISK SCORE HAS INCREASED AND IS NOW REPORTED ON CRR</b></p> <p>As a result of a vacancy in a locality officer and Shadow ICP Board co-chair role (clinical) there is a risk that there will not be many expressions of interest to fill the role which could result in a gap in clinical leadership leading to slowed progress of the ICP and/or greater pressure being put on existing members</p>	<b>4x4=16</b>	PCCC/ Governing Body	PO3

Risks to be recommended to the Primary Care Committee and the Governing Body for closure are detailed below. In each case the committee with oversight confirmed that it had been assured regarding the review and revision of the risk score. The Governing Body is asked to consider whether it is assured that the actions have reduced the risk score in each case. Risks below the threshold of the CRR continue to be monitored on Directorate Registers.

ref	risk description	current risk score	Committee	Cross ref GBAF
Commissioning Directorate: 45	<p>As a result of delays in the breast 2WW pathway There is a risk that patients will have later diagnosis of cancer. Which may result in patients coming to harm and requiring more extensive treatment and worse outcomes and psychological distress.</p> <p>Rational for reduction of risk score: The backlog for patients waiting for a 2WW breast appointment has been reduced now to 18 from just over 700 in April and the average wait for 1st one stop appointment has dropped to within 14 days</p>	<b>2x4=8</b>	clinical exec Quality	PO1
Transformation: Risk Ref Mental Health Employment	<p>As a result of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CCG late take-up of the 2019/20 NHSE Wave-2 IPS funding</li> <li>• AWP's agreement to deliver but subsequent non-prioritisation of the service</li> <li>• the COVID-19 crisis</li> </ul> <p>there is now a risk that we do not establish the new IPS service, which may result in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• People in secondary MH services not receiving</li> </ul>	<b>4x3=12</b>	clinical exec	PO4

	<p>evidence-based support into paid employment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Our (already reduced) two year NHSE funding and the opportunity it presented being lost</li> <li>• Failure to meet the national requirements for rapid IPS further investment and expansion through the LTP.</li> </ul> <p>Rational for reduction of risk score: Risk revised back to 12 following feedback from Clinical Exec. Full update to be given in Sep update once all project leads back from leave</p>			
Transformation UC01	<p>UEC Programme - If there is insufficient community urgent care capacity across BNSSG, the NHS 111 First transformation programme will not have the impact anticipated</p> <p>Rational for reduction of risk score: Additional funding agreed for Sirona to increase capacity for 2021/22 whilst broader changes to UEC system bed in (e.g. rollout of system CAS).</p>	<b>2x4=8</b>	Clinical Executive	PO9
Transformation - Communications 5	<p>There is a current resource gap with a number of planned and unplanned absence across internal, external and insights teams. These gaps are impacting on team capacity and ability to deliver planned work which will result in possible impact on output and deliverables and possibly leading to stress and further staff sickness if not addressed.</p> <p>Rational for reduction of risk score: Recruitment of temporary resource to start in w/c 9th August. The risk is significantly reduced and three month contracts now in place.</p>	<b>3x2=6</b>	SFC	PO8
Transformation - Communications 6	<p>Due us not being able to secure a secondment extension for the Internal communications manager there is a significant risk on the impact of the deliverable of key internal communications work resulting in increased pressures across the team, lack of resources and skill at the right level to deliver the complexity of work that needs to be undertaken. This will impact on wider workforce with Internal communication playing a key role in supporting staff and keeping them informed.</p> <p>Rational for reduction of risk score: Have recruited internal agency support to deliver BOSCARs, and have reprioritised other workload noting where we have had to stand down work due</p>	<b>3x3=9</b>	SFC	PO8





	to resource implication. This will remain under review.			
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### 3. Governing Body Assurance Framework

Following the Governing Body seminar in April 2021, the Executive Team have reviewed and updated the principal objectives and risks reported on the Governing Body Assurance Framework. The Governing Body reviewed and approved the adoption of the Governing Body Assurance Framework 2021/22 at its June meeting. The objectives map to those reported on the 2020/21.

Each objective continues to be assigned to a committee/s for oversight. The revised GBAF is presented to the Committee. Each committee will review the principal objectives and risks assigned to it to ensure that the information provided is line with the committee’s expectations and challenge should be provided to ensure actions are being completed as expected. The table below summaries the principal objectives and risks assigned to the Primary Care Commissioning Committee for review and scrutiny. A number of the risks are currently under review and will updated for the next iteration of the GBAF.

The Committee is invited to consider whether other objectives on the GBAF fall within its remit:

Objective	Risk for oversight	risk score and trend
Covid: This risk relates to the delivery of all objectives reported on the Governing Body Assurance Framework	As a result of the impact of Covid-19 there is a risk that the need to focus capacity to meet the demands on the system may result in the system and the CCG not delivering the objectives identified in the Governing Body Assurance Framework	2x5=10 
Integrated Care Partnerships: To deliver personalised preventive and proactive care at a locality and neighbourhood level. By April 2022 core services will be delivered by Integrated Care Partnerships. This will be underpinned by population health and value based principles to reduce variation, tackle health inequalities and ensure high quality care for all	The complexity and extent of the change required to set up integrated care partnerships that are capable of holding core service contracts is significant. There is a delivery risk that this opportunity will not be fully realised before the April 2022 deadline.	3x4 =12 

### Appendices

- Appendix 1 Corporate Risk Register
- Appendix 2 GBAF

Bristol North Somerset and South Gloucestershire Clinical Commissioning Group Corporate Risk Register June 2021



The Corporate Risk Register features risks assessed as over the risk threshold (15) in the delivery of the CCG's strategic objectives, statutory duties and plans. Each out of the controls (actions) that have been put in place to manage the risks and planned actions. It is critical to ensure the new and an assessment of the current performance. The Corporate Risk Register is owned by the CCG Risk Management Framework. Risk is assessed by multiplying the likelihood of a risk materialising using the risk assessment matrix set out in the CCG Risk Management Framework. Risks are managed against the CCG risk appetite. It provides an indicative acceptable risk level. Whilst a Risk Register to show them one principal objective the lowest level of risk appetite is green.										
MWP	Risk Description (How the risk may result in harm/damage)	At Risk/High Potential	Number of patients	Complexity	Priority	Impact/Severity	Financial	Reputation	Operational	Strategic
Commissioning Directorate	Risk Ref	POI	10.08.18 01.08.19 1.08.20	Liaison	Group Pathways	4	5	25	15	25
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Commissioning Directorate	Risk Ref	POI	20.11.18 01.08.19 1.08.20	Liaison	Henry Fair	4	5	25	15	25
Commissioning Directorate	Risk Ref	POI	13.04.2018	Liaison	Henry Fair	5	4	15	15	15
Commissioning Directorate	Risk Ref	POB	04.04.19	Liaison	Ally McWhorter from WMOU Contract File	4	4	15	15	15
Commissioning Directorate	Risk Ref: 1	POI	10.08.18 01.08.19 1.08.20	Liaison	Group Pathways	4	5	25	15	25
Commissioning Directorate	Risk Ref: 7	POI/POB	10.08.18 01.08.19 1.08.20	Liaison	Ernie Mundy	4	5	25	15	25
Commissioning Directorate	Risk Ref: 9	POI	20.11.18 01.08.19 1.08.20	Liaison	Henry Fair	4	5	25	15	25
Commissioning Directorate	Risk Ref: 11	POI	13.04.2018	Liaison	Henry Fair	5	4	15	15	15
Commissioning Directorate	Risk Ref: 21	POB	04.04.19	Liaison	Ally McWhorter from WMOU Contract File	4	4	15	15	15
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MOF#	Risk Description (What has this risk event made us think about?)	Priority/Status	Lead	Department	Manager	Current Status	Target Status	Impact	Frequency	Control Measures	Review Date	Comments	Review Date	Review Status	Review Date	Review Status
Comms@Dewdney (this for J2)	Due to AWP having a number of patients placed out of site with clinic beds in the current transitional projects at BR WOSC, AWP had a desktop review in May and are re-evaluating an AWP action plan.	POB	07.05.2019	Lum Mason	JARISH	4	4	15	15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review identified area as follows:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. 10 BRWME meet monthly to review the issue. Commissioning meeting on 07/05</li> <li>2. Introduction of standard process that has been successful in improving care acute hospitals</li> <li>3. Review of current process to ensure it is fit for purpose</li> <li>4. Ongoing joint working to create and update CTDC</li> <li>5. Review of current work plans and data responses to create system wide actions</li> <li>6. Ongoing observation of acute but management processes, with community teams to begin</li> <li>7. CCC Quality team review of all CCGs on 12.3.20 to review the quality and stability of placements</li> <li>8. Joint action plan agreed across BNSSG</li> <li>9. Clearly WOSC have up and running</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	01.06.21 There has been a recent increase in CWP's in May. A NHRSE assurance return has been completed in May and the clinic bed held in the current transitional projects at BR WOSC. AWP had a desktop review in May and are re-evaluating an AWP action plan.	01.06.21	Open	Open	Open	
Comms@Dewdney (this for J3)	There is a risk that due to poor data quality at Weston hospital but performance data for all services may not be accurate. This could result in lack of oversight of genuine wait times for planned care pathways and impact care performance and safety.	POB	06.09.2019	Lum Mason	Gerrard INC	4	4	15	15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An information breach notice has been issued</li> <li>CCG are allowing the RTT board</li> <li>CCG are working with IST and try to review and ensure actions in the IST report were followed up</li> <li>Staffing issues in Weston leading to difficulty in progressing suggested actions from NHRSE</li> <li>Support is being provided by URS as part of the due diligence process for RTT in particular.</li> <li>The trust are yet to share the report with the CCG.</li> <li>There is further financial risk due to previously unknown risk of 52 week breaches in the trust.</li> </ul>	July 2021: There is an action plan in place within URS which has been shared with the CCG and system partners. This will need to be monitored through the planned care system performance group.	July 2021	Open	Open	Open	
Comms@Dewdney (this for J6)	As a result of long waits for diagnostic tests and failure to meet the DMC1 standard for endoscopy, CT and MRI. There is a risk of potential harm to patients as a result of delayed diagnosis.	POB	18.02.2020	Lum Mason	Harris/Elder	4	3	12	12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>There are remedial action plans agreed by URSW and NHT. Weston have been issued a performance notice and the CCG need a remedial action plan. There is additional money in the system from NHRSE for additional resources and increasing capacity which has a plan element which will prevent further deterioration and stabilize the position for year end. There is a diagnostic advisory group as part of the long term plan which has focus on endoscopy, CT and MRI.</li> <li>Capacity and resource planning is ongoing</li> <li>Referrals are triaged and urgent and 2week referrals are prioritised.</li> </ul>	July 2021: The risk remains across all modalities and there is now ongoing work on clinical validation of this and increased capacity for diagnostics through activities such as the endoscopy triaging and ongoing use of the UK Reserve for MRI.	July 2021	Open	Open	Open	
Comms@Dewdney (this for J8)	When may result in a later diagnosis of their condition and the commencement of appropriate treatment.	POB	18.02.2020	Lum Mason	Harris/Elder	4	3	12	12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As part of the long term plan which has focus on endoscopy, CT and MRI.</li> <li>Capacity and resource planning is ongoing</li> <li>Referrals are triaged and urgent and 2week referrals are prioritised.</li> </ul>	July 2021: DMC1 (diagnostic operational standard), less than 1% of patients waited 6 weeks or more for a diagnostic test at the new provision center, and has been added to the risk description.	July 2021	Open	Open	Open	
Comms@Dewdney (this for J9)	As a result of delays in the breast 200W pathway. There is a risk that patients will have later diagnosis of cancer which may result in patients coming to harm and requiring more extensive treatment and worse outcomes and psychological distress.	POB	29/09/2021	Fleur Smith	Harris/Elder	5	4	20	20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As part of the long term plan which has focus on endoscopy, CT and MRI.</li> <li>Capacity and resource planning is ongoing</li> <li>Referrals are triaged and urgent and 2week referrals are prioritised.</li> </ul>	August 21: This backlog for patients waiting for a 200W breast appointment has been reduced now to 10 hours just over 700 in April and the average wait for one slot appointment has dropped to within 14 days.	Aug-21	Open	Open	Open	
Comms@Dewdney (this for J10)	Patients are at risk of harm from fall incident stacking at SWAPFT causing a delay to ambulance response times.	MA	06.12.2016	Director of Hospital Safety	Lead Quality and Risk Manager	5	4	20	20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Urgent care Strategy in place</li> <li>A&amp;E Delivery Board reviews performance on monthly basis</li> <li>Processes in place to manage demand across system including:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Staff augmentation</li> <li>2. Patient prioritisation</li> <li>3. Review of patient safety and experience through incidents, complaints and feedback</li> <li>4. Ongoing close liaison with Dewdney CCG as an enabling commissioner</li> </ul> </li> <li>3. Dewdney CCG working patient safety data strategy to identify potential harms.</li> </ul>	Aug 2021: Due to system pressures the risk has been increased. Population risk roundtable is being arranged. Known harm to patients has been reported.	Aug-21	Open	Open	Open	
Comms@Dewdney (this for J11)	If the number of patients within BNSSG contracting MRSA across various subgroups increases there is a risk of increased risk to higher mortality rates, poorer outcomes, increased hospital admissions.	MA	05.05.2020	Director of Hospital Safety	Lead Quality and Risk Manager	4	5	20	20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Quarterly system HCAI group</li> <li>2. Continued partnership working and the development of relatives through the Rapid Project.</li> <li>3. MRSA and MRSA specific surveillance activities</li> <li>4. The HCAI Quality Strategy, aligned with the NHS contract, specifies the requirement of contracted providers to screen specific patient cohorts for MRSA and MRSA specific surveillance activities</li> <li>5. Ongoing review of all monthly cases - plan to review and close all 2020 cases. Share findings with system partners through the Quarterly HCAI group to identify further specific areas to review risk further. Continue and share current provider improvement projects across the system.</li> <li>6. Continue partnership working and the development of relatives through the Design Council project, noting the high incidence of Patients Who Test Drug in trust level data set. Continue assurance exercises in line with the TCG quality schedule.</li> </ul>	Aug 2021: Chlodenaxine has been rolled out across whole system. No negative feedback received. MRSA screening other HCAI datasets to see where PWSs data appear for investigation and cross working. Triage will be undertaken to understand if there are cross infections or specific clones.	Aug-21	Open	Open	Open	
Comms@Dewdney (this for J12)	Patients have an enhanced risk of potential harm through contracting MRSA. Subgroups are at the high numbers in the local area.	MA	05.05.2020	Director of Hospital Safety	Lead Quality and Risk Manager	4	5	20	20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Quarterly system HCAI group</li> <li>2. Continued partnership working and the development of relatives through the Rapid Project.</li> <li>3. MRSA and MRSA specific surveillance activities</li> <li>4. The HCAI Quality Strategy, aligned with the NHS contract, specifies the requirement of contracted providers to screen specific patient cohorts for MRSA and MRSA specific surveillance activities</li> <li>5. Ongoing review of all monthly cases - plan to review and close all 2020 cases. Share findings with system partners through the Quarterly HCAI group to identify further specific areas to review risk further. Continue and share current provider improvement projects across the system.</li> <li>6. Continue partnership working and the development of relatives through the Design Council project, noting the high incidence of Patients Who Test Drug in trust level data set. Continue assurance exercises in line with the TCG quality schedule.</li> </ul>	Aug 2021: Chlodenaxine has been rolled out across whole system. No negative feedback received. MRSA screening other HCAI datasets to see where PWSs data appear for investigation and cross working. Triage will be undertaken to understand if there are cross infections or specific clones.	Aug-21	Open	Open	Open	
Comms@Dewdney (this for J13)	RISK SCORE HAS INCREASED AND IS NOW REPORTED ON CCG	MA	05.05.2020	Director of Hospital Safety	Lead Quality and Risk Manager	4	4	15	15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Quarterly system HCAI group</li> <li>2. Continued partnership working and the development of relatives through the Rapid Project.</li> <li>3. MRSA and MRSA specific surveillance activities</li> <li>4. The HCAI Quality Strategy, aligned with the NHS contract, specifies the requirement of contracted providers to screen specific patient cohorts for MRSA and MRSA specific surveillance activities</li> <li>5. Ongoing review of all monthly cases - plan to review and close all 2020 cases. Share findings with system partners through the Quarterly HCAI group to identify further specific areas to review risk further. Continue and share current provider improvement projects across the system.</li> <li>6. Continue partnership working and the development of relatives through the Design Council project, noting the high incidence of Patients Who Test Drug in trust level data set. Continue assurance exercises in line with the TCG quality schedule.</li> </ul>	Aug 2021: Chlodenaxine has been rolled out across whole system. No negative feedback received. MRSA screening other HCAI datasets to see where PWSs data appear for investigation and cross working. Triage will be undertaken to understand if there are cross infections or specific clones.	Aug-21	Open	Open	Open	

MSK IFC	Risk Description (What is the risk event? (What is the impact?))	When will the risk occur?	Who is responsible?	Who is the risk owner?	Who is the risk manager?	Risk score	Risk score	Risk score	Risk score	Risk score	Comments	When will the risk occur?	Who is responsible?	Who is the risk owner?	Who is the risk manager?	Risk score	Risk score	Risk score	Risk score	Comments		
Transformation of the New MSK	As a result of COVID-19 and the fact that routine MSK services have been reduced, there is a risk that waiting times for MSK services will increase which may result in people having to wait, often 10 weeks, for many reasons to see a Physio or for surgery.	20.05.2020	PO4	Msak Director	Elisabeth Williams	4	4	16	(1x2) = 8	↔	Management action already in place to mitigate risk (current control)					4	4	16	(1x2) = 8	↔	Actions to be taken once they are completed they should be moved to actions in place	Comment on progress
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MOU #	Risk Description (if not then link event heading in yellow)	Priority	Start Date	End Date	Owner	Stakeholders	Progress	Impact	Score	Score Change	Score Trend	Next Steps	Comments	Review Date	Review By	Review Status	Review Date	Review By	Review Status		
Transformation - Communications 2	<b>RISK SCORE HAS INCREASED AND IS NOW REPORTED ON CIR</b>  If we are unable to extend FFC contracts within the coming days then there is a risk that we will be unable to deliver our business critical work. FFC initiatives resulting in delays in delivery of core pieces of work, impacting on implementation and we will lose key knowledge within the team as these roles come to an end.	FCB	10/09/21		Debra Lloyd	Michael Smith	4	4	4	4	0	4	Working with HR and Finance to ensure we are able to extend contracts where needed. Tracker in place to monitor contract dates to be able to start conversations early to recruit/knowledge share.	Ensuring robust knowledge management processes are in place as part of best practice. This has not progressed due to capacity issues in the team.	Contract log tracker in place and reviewed monthly at SLT. Pending issues on number of staff - need a response from Finance around confirmation of working days and transfer of contracts from LSW to CCG.						
Transformation - Communications 3	Ens do not have a clear, agreed work plan in place there is a risk that the volume of work will not be sustainable for the team. This could result in being able to meet the operational key objectives and priorities, a risk that efforts are not focused in the right place or that the stress on the team leads to absence and absence. Key large programmes currently being managed alongside care to actively include operational plan, organisational priorities, retention and recovery of services, ongoing good and mass vaccination and move to ICS and ICP development.	FCB	10/09/21		Debra Lloyd	Michael Smith, Rebecca Mortimer, AnVyal Booth	5	4	4	4	0	5	Review plan in place, this is regularly reviewed at the senior leadership meetings. This has been shared with the Exec lead and they are agreed and aware of pressures and the plan in place to manage those.	Continue to review the priorities plan at the weekly senior leadership team meeting and update accordingly. Update Exec Lead on any changes or emerging pressures as things change.	August 21 - Reviewed work plan in context of current system pressures. Sharing with Director of Transformation and Chief Exec to flag the planned prioritisation of projects. Note that there is limited work and projects that can be stood down but are reviewing what can possibly be discontinued. Senior leadership team continue to review on a weekly basis to ensure that projects are progressing and regularly identifying where work needs to be paused or additional resources is required.						
Transformation - Communications 4	Ens do not have allocated core support for the transition to ICS then a risk of employee disengagement and a lack of workforce preparations. There is also a risk that the team do not have capacity to deliver a well planned strategy leading to stress, overwork and staff absence.	FCB	10/09/21		Sarah Trivette	Michael Smith	5	4	4	4	0	5	Meeting with Sarah Trivette to discuss resource requirements and capacity in the team within the current staffing model to support the transition communication programme of work.	Scoping and identifying the resources that would be required for internal communications support to ensure a successful transition to ICS. Ensuring that staff are engaged in the process and supported to the new organisation.	August 21 - Have agreed to write a job specification to support this requirement. However, risk has increased as a result of internal contract band 7 leaving post recently. Met with Sarah Trivette to discuss timelines. Will continue to meet as plan evolve and we have more about key findings. Core to scope additional support that may be required based on exiting workforce and capacity.						
Transformation - Communications 5	There is a current resource gap with a number of planned and unplanned absence across internal and external teams. These gaps are impacting on team capacity and ability to deliver planned work which will result in possible impact on output and implementation possibly leading to stress and further staff absence if not addressed.	FCB	09/07/21		Debra Lloyd	Michael Smith	5	4	4	4	0	5	Have ensured funding to recruit temporary agency resource to support during the summer.	Review the team work plan and deliverables and assess if targets are realistic and if not we have any impact on the business.	Recruitment of temporary resource to start in mid August. The risk is significantly reduced and three month contracts now in place.						
Transformation - Communications 6	Ens are not being able to secure a permanent position for the internal communications manager there is a significant risk on the impact of the departure of key internal communications work resulting in increased pressure across the team, lack of resources and staff and the impact on the delivery of work, that needs to be addressed. This will result in staff absence and internal communications playing a key role in supporting staff and keeping them informed.	FCB	09/07/21		Debra Lloyd	Michael Smith	5	4	4	4	0	5	This will be discussed at the People Plan Steering group.	Review work plan alongside resource and review gaps and what can be paused. Contact agency support to try and get additional support into the team.	Have recruited internal agency support to deliver SOCARs, and have repositioned other workload noting where we have had to stand down work due to resource impact. This will remain under review.						
Primary Care Development - Access PO2021	<b>RISK SCORE HAS INCREASED AND IS NOW REPORTED ON CIR</b>  There is a risk that Primary Care capacity is not sufficient to meet routine and the day demand following overbooking demand due to the mass rollout programme, reduction of practice capacity and staff of primary care secondary care including pharmaceuticals, advice and guidance and urgent care. There may need to be a reduction in Primary Care services.	NA	07/04/20 Revised: 04/11/20 20/06/21 20/07/21		David JAMES	Jenny Bowler	4	3	12	12	0	4	1199: MOU for the Covid Expansion Fund has been developed and issued to practices. Phase 3 planning Capacity modelling CPFL reporting Reimbursement Primary Care Capacity Tool in development to feed into system wide capacity planning. Primary Care CPFL reporting in development. Primary Care Covid response escalation plan in development. 202021: Monitor Outcomes and Activity Group established chaired by Dr Sarah Pepper to lead and oversee Primary Care Activity work. CPFL data mapping completed by end of June.	1199:21 Practices have been surveyed against key requirements of the SOP for General Practice NA. This has broadly been withdrawn. Next steps are to develop analysis and action plan. Further work to develop workforce solutions to support for Covid vaccination including use of system bank staff. 202021: Practices to be surveyed against key requirements of the SOP for General Practice. 202021: MOU for the Covid Expansion Fund to be developed and sent to practices for sign up. Develop a local approach to support implementation of the updated General Practice SOP.	September 21: Work to support CPFL 4 escalation actions continues. Currently are not de-prioritising SOP but this will be kept under review. August 21: Increase in demand and reduction in workforce currently being experienced - development of CPFL 4 escalation actions to support general practice resilience underway. These include exploring remote consultation capacity, temporary expansion of GPs, development of staff bank, regulation of flex locum rates and reviewing online consultation processes. Risk score has increased to reflect current pressure across the system and in Primary Care. 202021: Weekly activity reports to Bronze meetings commenced. CPFL mapping exercise to improve data quality - deadline 31st July 2021. Outcomes and Activity group leading a piece of work in response to SOP and to establish a Primary Care leadership position. 040221: Primary Care Outcomes & Activity Group established to bring all aspects of Primary Care capacity together. Formal request to PCNs sent to nominate a funded chair for this group. 040221: Work continues to implement and embed mitigations. 110121: No further update. 040221: No further update.						
Primary Care Development - Workforce PO2021	<b>RISK SCORE HAS INCREASED AND IS NOW REPORTED ON CIR</b>  There is a risk of reducing workforce availability due to staff leave and retention following continued pressure of workload in Primary Care.	NA	20/05/21		David JAMES	Jenny Bowler	4	4	4	4	0	4	Ens Care surveyed general practice to test appetite to pilot a primary care bank as a stepping stone towards the bigger shared bank approach. Covid Capacity expansion fund support for workforce to continue until September. Monthly updates given at the Community, Primary Care and Social Work Workforce Group. Feasibility of ARES to continue to support mass vaccination promoted. Ens submitted to NICE to develop a waiting offer for primary care professionals has been supported and BMSG to a pilot site. Fellowship and mentor schemes up and running. 202021 GP retention actions now live.	120621: Exploring locum pool with fixed rates. Retention programme in development through the Training Hub including a wide range of initiatives supporting GPs throughout their career and the MOT relationship to support retention. Staff have developed dedicated staff resources to work with PCNs and develop longer term relationships to support retention. One Care survey to general practice to test appetite to pilot a primary care bank as a stepping stone towards the bigger shared bank approach. Project manager invited by Bronze to support the development of a community and primary care and social care bank with specification developed within 6 months. Next steps are to develop an implementation plan to support bank development within Primary Care.	010621: Extension of staff sharing agreement being developed to support mutual aid across the system beyond vaccination and Covid escalation. One Care are currently working with the LMC to seek Primary Care support for this and to ensure that it applies to Primary Care. Developing an SBAK to support extension of accelerator area to apply to primary care staff undertaking additional roles. 120621: Wellbeing but successful and currently working with Healthier Together team to establish relationships and governance to take this work forward. Current workforce risk escalated to TE due to increasing reports of staff absence and non-attendance alongside impacting on practice capacity. All risk now live and analysis of workforce absence will inform future plans. 140621: Bid submitted to NICE to develop a waiting offer for primary care professionals. 202021: Summary of workforce offers to support vaccination shared with PCNs and use of staff bank promoted at PCN CMA. Increase in use being seen. Project manager started at Bronze who is supporting the development of a community and primary care bank with specification developed within 6 months. Current biggest challenge to workforce is competing pressures of recovery and mass vaccination and need for staff to take leave.						
Primary Care Development - Access PO2021	<b>RISK SCORE HAS INCREASED AND IS NOW REPORTED ON CIR</b>  There is a risk that the current national shortage of blood bottles will impact the delivery of routine blood tests to general care and cause a backlog of long term condition reviews that will need to be delayed. If the shortage of this continues to be longer, this could potentially impact patient care and practice financials adversely.	NA	20/05/21		David JAMES	Geeta Ver	4	4	4	4	0	4	Regular communication to practices and patients about lateral position; establish mutual aid process, ensure practices are prioritising according to critical needs, ensure local guidelines from resilience approximation team about safe drug recycling measures is being followed; ensure all are aware of escalation process; regional NHEE team are aware of risks and raising further seeking national guidance.	Further review of guidelines against local stock position to be undertaken by SPRR and clinical teams. Monitoring of practice blood test volumes to ensure we are managing local supply. Continued communications to practices about the national and local position.	010621: Update on Clinical Cabinet position and guidelines shared with practices last Thursday. Monitoring of practice blood test volumes to ensure we are managing local supply.						





## BNSSG CCGs Governing Body Assurance Framework 2021-22 (Sept 2021 V)

### Governing Body Assurance Framework risk tracker

The Governing Body Assurance Framework identifies the BNSSG CCGs' principal, strategic objectives and the principal risks to their delivery. Controls in place to manage those identified risks are summarised. The internal and external assurances that controls are in place and have the impact intended are set out. Where there are gaps in controls or assurances these are described and the actions planned to mitigate these gaps are explained. The table below gives an overall summary of the Governing Body Assurance Framework. The detailed framework is at page 4

Risk Tracker	Lead Director	Initial Risk score	Current risk score	Target risk	Trend
<b>Principal Objective PO1: COVID 19 This risk relates to the delivery of all objectives reported on the Governing Body Assurance Framework</b>	<b>Committees:</b> Governing Body, Primary Care Commissioning Committee, Strategic Finance Committee, Quality Committee				
Principal Risk: As a result of the impact of Covid-19 there is a risk that the need to focus capacity to meet the demands on the system may result in the system and the CCG not delivering the objectives identified in the Governing Body Assurance Framework	Julia Ross/ Sarah Truelove	5x5= 25	2x5=10	2x4 =8	
<b>Principal Objective PO2: Integrated Care Systems: Making the transition from STP towards a mature ICS that takes collective accountability and delivers our system aims.</b>	<b>Committees:</b> Healthier Together Partnership Board Governing Body, Strategic Finance Committee				
Principal Risk: As a result of the White Paper there is a risk that the progress we had been making on becoming a mature ICS falters due to the distraction caused by the change in organisational form which may result in the system not delivering the recovery objectives agreed.	Julia Ross/ Sarah Truelove	4x4= 16	3x4 =12	2x4=8	
<b>Principal Objective PO3: Integrated Care Partnerships: To deliver personalised preventive and proactive care at a locality and neighbourhood level. By April 2022 core services will be delivered by Integrated Care Partnerships. This will be underpinned by population health and value based principles to reduce variation, tackle health inequalities and ensure high quality care for all</b>	<b>Committees:</b> Governing Body, Primary Care Commissioning Committee,, Strategic Finance Committee, Healthier Together Partnership Board (external) , Integrated Care Steering Group (external) Integrated Care Partnerships Oversight Group (system wide)				

Principal Risk: The complexity and extent of the change required to set up integrated care partnerships that are capable of holding core service contracts is significant. There is a delivery risk that this opportunity will not be fully realised before the April 2022 deadline.	Deborah El-Sayed	4x4= 16	3x4=12	2x4=8	
<b>Principal Objective PO4: Mental Health To be able to respond to the Mental Health needs population, preventing crisis and promoting wellbeing</b>	<b>Committees:</b> Clinical Executive, Quality Committee, Strategic Finance Committee, PPIF, System - MH Oversight Board linked to Health and Wellbeing boards				
Principal Risk: As a result of COVID 19 there is a risk that demand for MH services will increase by which may result in a poorer access and outcomes for people, increased level of Mental Health crisis and further spend on aspects of services like out of area placements and S117	Deborah El-Sayed	5x4= 20	4x4= 16	3x4 =12	
<b>Principal Objective PO5: Learning Disability and Autism: Improving outcomes and reducing health inequalities for people with learning disabilities, people with autism and those who have both, within BNSSG</b>	<b>Committees:</b> Quality Committee				
Principal Risk: As a result of a lack of integrated services there is a risk that we reduce the life choices for individuals with learning disabilities and autism which may result in widening of health inequalities and the health of the population in the future	Rosi Shepherd	4x4= 16	4x4= 16	3x3 =9	
<b>Principal Objective PO6: Children's Services: To improve the commissioning of services for children</b>	<b>Committees:</b> Clinical Executive, Quality Committee and Strategic Finance Committee				
Principal Risk: Integrated children's commissioning with Local Authorities is not fully developed, there is a risk that we are not optimising the care children receive and impacting on their life course	Lisa Manson	4x4= 16	3x4 =12	2x4=8	
<b>Principal Objective PO7: Funded Care: Delivery of an integrated, efficient, Funded Care service achieving the "leading" level of the CHC Maturity Framework with high levels of positive patient experience and staff satisfaction</b>	<b>Committees:</b> Governing Body, Strategic Finance Committee, Quality Committee				
Principal Risk: There is a risk that capacity and demand in the CHC service are not aligned, due to increased demand, complexity of cases and capacity and process issues within the team. This has the potential to result in delayed access to the right care for patients, financial pressures for the CCG and non-compliance against national framework standards.	Rosi Shepherd	3x4=12	3x4=12	2x4 = 8	

<b>Principal Objective PO8: People Plan Developing the CCG's People Plan</b>	<b>Committees:</b> Governing Body, Strategic Finance Committee			
Principal Risk: There is a risk that the progress made in developing the culture and staff experience within the CCG may be disrupted and lost as we transition to becoming an ICS resulting in falling staff satisfaction and increased turnover.	Dave Jarrett Sarah Truelove Julia Ross	4x4= 16	3x4=12	2x4 = 8
<b>Principal Objective PO9: Financial Sustainability: Deliver financial sustainability and improved health outcomes through the use of population health management and a culture of systematically evaluating the value of our services to our population.</b>	<b>Committees:</b> Strategic Finance Committee, Governing Body, Clinical Executive, Clinical cabinet, System Delivery Oversight Group			
Principal Risk: As a result of the current culture driven by Payment by Results there is a risk that there will be a continuing focus on activity rather than value which may result in failure to deliver improved population health and financial sustainability for the CCG and the system.	Sarah Truelove Peter Brindle	5x4= 20	4x4= 16	2x4 = 8

The CCG risk scoring matrix as set out in the Risk Management Framework is:

Risk Assessment scoring matrix

likelihood of happening	Almost certain = 5	5	10	15	20	25
	likely = 4	4	8	12	16	20
	possible = 3	3	6	9	12	15
	unlikely = 2	2	4	6	8	10
	Rare = 1	1	2	3	4	5
		Insignificant = 1	Minor = 2	Moderate = 3	Major = 4	Catastrophic = 5
		Impact				

## Governing Body Assurance Framework

<b>(PO1) Objective: This risk relates to the delivery of all objectives reported on the Governing Body Assurance Framework</b>			<b>Director Lead: Julia Ross/Sarah Truelove</b>	
<b>Risk: As a result of the impact of Covid-19 there is a risk that the need to focus capacity to meet the demands on the system may result in the system and the CCG not delivering the objectives identified in the Governing Body Assurance Framework</b>			<b>Date Last Reviewed: 18/06/21</b>	
<b>Risk Rating</b>	<b>Likelihood x impact</b>	<b>Risk Appetite</b>	<b>Risk Score Trend</b>	<b>Rationale for current score:</b> The changes that have been made to the ICC mean that a dedicated team have now taken on the management of the incident allowing the remaining management capacity to focus on other CCG priorities. This has reduced the likelihood to 2.
Initial	5x5=25			
Current	2x5=10			
Target risk	2x4=8			
<b>Committee with oversight of risk</b> Governing Body, Primary Care Commissioning Committee, Strategic Finance Committee, Quality Committee			<b>Rationale for target risk:</b> The target risk aimed to reduce the impact of this risk, the current approach has reduced the likelihood of this risk occurring but not the impact currently.	
<b>Controls: (What are we currently doing about this risk?)</b> Vaccine programme Outbreak management plans in place in each of the three LA areas to manage cases of COVID and minimise the spread. Data group meeting weekly to review the UoB model to ensure services can get notice of changing levels of the disease in our system to enable a more proactive response. ICC resource reviewed to keep to a minimum to deal with the response. ICC in place for the system to oversee the response with ability to escalate issues and the system response when needed. H1 plans developed to ensure services are organised to mitigate risks and capacity is in place to ensure progress can be made on system goals. Financial resource available to support this response. Agreement across the system to the priorities in the H1 response. Surge plan in place and tested during second wave. Further plan developed and enacted with leadership from clinical cabinet.			<b>Assurances:</b> Governing Body receives regular updates on recovery including information on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Number of cases in our population compared to the national picture</li> <li>○ Actual activity against our local model to give confidence in the future predictions</li> <li>○ Phase 3 plans are being delivered or exceeded in most cases</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● NHSE/I provided positive feedback at surge meeting of management of COVID escalation within BNSSG</li> <li>● GB can see progress being made on other areas of business within the CCG.</li> </ul>	
<b>Mitigating Actions: (what further actions are needed to reduce the risk and close any identified gaps)</b> Winter plan including planning for a further wave under development			<b>Gaps in Assurance: (What additional assurances should we seek?)</b>	

<b>(PO2) Objective: Integrated Care Systems: Making the transition from STP towards a mature ICS that takes collective accountability and delivers our system aims.</b>				<b>Director Lead: Julia Ross/Sarah Truelove</b>
<b>Risk:</b> As a result of the White Paper there is a risk that the progress we had been making on becoming a mature ICS falters due to the distraction caused by the change in organisational form which may result in the system not delivering the recovery objectives agreed				<b>Date Last Reviewed:</b> <b>12/06/21</b>
<b>Risk Rating</b>	<b>Likelihood x impact</b>	<b>Risk Appetite</b>	<b>Risk Score Trend</b>	<b>Rationale for current score:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The partnership Board recently gave commitment to development of the ICS development plan and the survey carried out demonstrated a high level of shared commitment. An initial development session for the MOU confirmed significant alignment on the vision for the ICS across the executive group.</li> <li>• The level of ambiguity nationally could drive a misalignment of expectation about the way system working which could destabilise the partnership.</li> </ul>
Initial	4X4 =16			
Current	2x4=8			
Target risk	2x4=8			
<b>Committee with oversight of risk</b> Healthier Together Partnership Board, Governing Body, Strategic Finance Committee				<b>Rationale for target risk:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If we are unable to reduce the likelihood, then in the long term the lack of system focus will have a material impact on our ability to achieve a sustainable system that meets the needs of the population.</li> <li>• It also risks reversing all progress we have made in improving the reputation of BNSSG and reduce the credibility of the CCG as a system leader.</li> </ul>
<b>Controls:</b> <i>(What are we currently doing about this risk?)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Formal Partnership Board and Executive Group in place.</li> <li>• Planning and Oversight Group in place weekly with strong engagement across the system.</li> <li>• Strong regulatory input from the Regional Team.</li> <li>• Regular reporting to the HT Exec Group on Performance, Finance and Transformation</li> <li>• Reporting of the system financial position to SFC</li> </ul>				<b>Assurances:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Long Term Plan agreed with NHSE/I</li> <li>• BNSSG recognised as an ICS</li> <li>• Phase 3 plan accepted by NHSE/I</li> <li>• NHSE/I November Board paper 'Integrating care: Next steps to building strong and effective Integrated Care Systems in England' set clear intent for system working</li> <li>• Inclusion in the Queen's Speech the intention to bring legislation to establish a statutory ICS</li> </ul>

- System Performance and Oversight is managing the implementation of the phase 3 plan, with performance reporting in place fortnightly.
- Clear plan coming together to enable the MOU and supporting work streams to be agreed by the Partnership Board in July 2021.
- Interim Chair in place until September 2021.
- Running a second and third wave of the system leadership programme (Peloton)

**Mitigating Actions:** *(what further actions are needed to reduce the risk and close any identified gaps)*

- Facilitating a process of co-production for our ICS development plan, MOU, Performance management framework, financial management framework, OD plan, Quality and improvement framework, outcomes framework and Comms and engagement strategy.
- Recruiting to an enhanced role for an independent Chair. To be in place by October (but this is subject to National guidance)

**Gaps in Assurance:** *(What additional assurances should we seek?)*

- Formal delegation to Partnership Board enshrined in a Memorandum of Understanding or similar.



**(PO3) Objective: Integrated Care Partnerships: To deliver personalised preventive and proactive care at a locality and neighbourhood level. By April 2022 core services will be delivered by Integrated Care Partnerships. This will be underpinned by population health and value based principles to reduce variation, tackle health inequalities and ensure high quality care for all**

**Director Lead: Deborah El-Sayed**

**Risk:** The complexity and extent of the change required to set up integrated care partnerships that are capable of holding core service contracts is significant. There is a delivery risk that this opportunity will not be fully realised before the April 2022 deadline.  
 NB: This deadline is critical given the national policy direction, the need to transition community MH services and the importance of delivering integrated care for the population

**Date Last Reviewed:**  
 10/08/21

Risk Rating	Likelihood x impact	Risk Appetite	Risk Score Trend
Initial	4X4 =16		
Current	3x4=12		
Target risk	2x4=8		

**Rationale for current score:**  
 The ICP programme has now moved from the discovery phase into design, develop and test. Based on the Discovery end of stage report, our agreed model of care and the Community Mental Health Target Operating Model, ICPs are now developing their partnerships and service models to deliver CMH services at a place level from April 2022.

The ICP programme, working with system partners, has established our critical milestones, support offer and approach to support ICPs to be successful. We have identified specific investment for key areas of risk such as and design capability, organisational development and digital capability.

The programme will be overseen by a system level delivery group of senior stakeholders, accountable to the Integrated Care Steering Group.

However, inherent risks that result from this level and complexity of change continue to exist. Two key risks continue to be highlighted: (a) the pace and timeframe to be ready to take on community mental health from April 2022 and the capacity available; (b) timeframes for securing support based on the resources / investment available.

**Committee with oversight of risk**  
 Governing Body, PCCC, SFC , Healthier Together Partnership Board (external), Integrated Care Steering Group (ICSG external ), Integrated Care Partnerships Oversight Group (system wide)

**Rationale for target risk:**  
 Through good governance, engagement and communications it is proposed these risks can be mitigated as the control workflows begin to deliver

**Controls:** *(What are we currently doing about this risk?)*

- A continued programme of work to prepare Primary Care Networks (PCNs) and localities to sit at the heart of ICPs.
- Continued organisation development (OD) programmes for locality partners and PCNs and system wide (PCN and locality in progress system wide to initiate in January 2021).
- A programme of work to explore and develop options around the infrastructure and enablers required to build ICPs (FAQs and engagement in scope here) – the discovery programme
- A monthly communication to all partners setting out learning, observations and conclusions drawn from the discovery oversight group.
- CCG Clinical Leadership review refocuses localities as collective of PCNs
- Community Mental Health Framework sufficiently developed to enable focussed development and engagement
- Detailed planning and inter dependency mapping for all ICP workstreams

**Mitigating Actions:** *(what further actions are needed to reduce the risk and close any identified gaps)*

- Consideration of the local and ICS-wide governance arrangements that will enable ICPs.
- ICP reporting to be developed for PCCC
- ICP maturity framework has been co-produced and is being developed with locality and system partners to ensure it reflects the pathway and supports delivery actions that localities are keen to get on with
- Developing model of care through system wide co-production events has concluded a draft that will now be developed further by a Clinical and Professional reference group (ToR being drawn up )
- Learning Connections now established with Alaska, Christchurch New Zealand, Greater Manchester LCOs. Currently drawing up dates for webinars through late March and April as part of the OD programme
- Learning partnerships are being drawn up with other systems to support pace, learning and an evolving adapt and adopt model.
- Developing Partnership Agreements: based on national guidance, local requirements and expert legal advice

**Assurances:**

- Internal Assurance provided through Primary Care locality/PCN maturity matrix reporting to PCCC
- Internal assurance reporting on key performance milestones to ICP Oversight Board and to Governing Body
- Internal Audit Locality Collaboration and Governance (June 2021)
- Internal Audit Delegated Commissioning (June 2021)

**Gaps in Assurance:** *(What additional assurances should we seek?)*

<b>(PO4) Objective: To be able to respond to the Mental Health needs population, preventing crisis and promoting wellbeing</b>				<b>Director Lead: Deborah El-Sayed</b>	
<b>Risk:</b> As a result of COVID 19 there is a risk that demand for MH services will increase which may result in a poorer access and outcomes for people, increased level of MH crisis and further spend on aspects of services like out of area placements and S117				<b>Date Last Reviewed:</b> <b>12/08/21</b>	
<b>Risk Rating</b>	<b>Likelihood x impact</b>	<b>Risk Appetite</b>	<b>Risk Score Trend</b>	<b>Rationale for current score:</b> Increased demand for mental health services following COVID can be seen in IAPT referrals and particularly in CAMHS services, which are at times leaving services overwhelmed.	
Initial	5x4=20				
Current	4x4=16				
Target risk	3x4=12				
<b>Committee with oversight of risk</b> Clinical Executive , Quality Committee, strategic Finance Committee, PPIF, System - MH Oversight Board linked to Health and Wellbeing boards				<b>Rationale for target risk:</b> The workforce challenges in mental health services means there is not an easy solution to increasing capacity within the services and therefore it is felt unlikely we will be able to reduce the likelihood below 3 during this year. We have secured funded for dedicated MH Workforce roles to support improvement in this area.	
<b>Controls:</b> <i>(What are we currently doing about this risk?)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New investment has been identified through spending review (e.g. IAPT, IPS, physical health checks for SMI, EIP).</li> <li>• New investment has been secured through non-recurrent funding (e.g. Right Care team to oversee enhanced bed management team)</li> <li>• Target Operating Model for integrated community mental health service <del>being finalised</del> has been shared with ICPs, who are now responding and designing improvements – including through in-year funding</li> <li>• Monitoring of level of MH crisis across the system via system wide dashboard currently being reinstated into WSOG / POG forums and Contract management frameworks</li> <li>• H1 planning has reset the key deliverables and expectations for achievement this will be monitored as part of POG</li> <li>• Performance is being monitored via a range of committees as detailed above.</li> <li>• MH ED task and finish group has been established to address the crisis pathway and the impacts of COVID on capacity in the systems– The MH ED programme has now driven a series of improvements from Street Triage increases to additional Sanctuary service in Gloucester house providing an alternative to ED for people in MH</li> </ul>				<b>Assurances:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Whole System Operational Group</li> <li>• Finance Overview Group (system-wide)</li> <li>• Improved access and reduction in waiting time / lists for services</li> <li>• Reductions in OOA placements and S 117</li> <li>• Lived experience feedback and surveys</li> <li>• Internal Audit Out of Area Placements (Dec 2020)</li> <li>• Programme portfolio delivery impact reports</li> </ul>	
				<b>Gaps in Assurance:</b> <i>(What additional assurances should we seek?)</i>	

distress

- Steering groups for Community MH services are now in place these are co-chaired by experts by experience (e.g. Eating Disorders, PD, Community Rehabilitation).

**Mitigating Actions:** *(what further actions are needed to reduce the risk and close any identified gaps)*

- Each of the MH programme portfolio projects are designed as mitigation actions for specific components linked to addressing the impact of the nature of the demand increases. Specific list available on request
- Continued review over locked rehab and Out of Area Placements.
- Each programme has a clear delivery impact and evaluation plan to ensure that we can be assured of the efficacy of the mitigation
- Need further insight into patient experience seeking patient experience measures to be factored into commissioning processes
- MH services available via 111 first are now increasing to include the sanctuary service, and a connected approach to telephone support
- MH services have now been profiled onto MiDOS to ensure that GPs and other referring parties are able to access the full extent of system wide services
- IPS service is now live and taking referrals
- NHS Benchmarking project has commenced and will help support measurement

<b>(PO5) Objective: Learning Disability and Autism: Improving outcomes and reducing health inequalities for people with learning disabilities, people with autism and those who have both, within BNSSG</b>				<b>Director Lead: Rosi Shepherd</b>
<b>Risk:</b> As a result of a lack of integrated services there is a risk that we reduce the life choices for individuals with learning disabilities and autism which may result in widening of health inequalities and the health of the population in the future				<b>Date Last Reviewed:</b> <b>(16/08/21) and updates from 10/09/21</b>
<b>Risk Rating</b>	<b>Likelihood x impact</b>	<b>Risk Appetite</b>	<b>Risk Score Trend</b>	<b>Rationale for current score:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Goal of 67% of people with learning disabilities receiving Annual Health Checks and Health Action Plans has been achieved (69%).</li> <li>• Number of people within the <del>Transforming Care Programme</del> Assuring Transformation Cohort placed out of area remains above trajectory.</li> <li>• Robust approaches to ensure assurances regarding the quality of commissioned individual care packages in development.</li> <li>• Approaches to ensure implementation of learning from LeDeR reviews in development.</li> </ul> <p>Identified need to increase levels of engagement and inclusion of people with Learning Disability and/or Autism, parents and carers and people from <b>underserved communities</b> <del>BAME community with of Learning Disability and Autism (LD&amp;A) issues</del></p>
Initial	4X4 =16			
Current	4x4=16			
Target risk	3x3=9			
<b>Committee with oversight of risk</b> Quality Committee				<b>Rationale for target risk:</b> The target risk score reflects the long term nature of this programme of activity to reduce the risk
<b>Controls:</b> <i>(What are we currently doing about this risk?)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BNSSG system wide Learning Disability and Autism programme board established with wide membership, supported by Learning Disability and Autism SROs.</li> <li>• <b>BNSSG 3 Year delivery Plan has been agreed, with leads identified and clear reporting established. This includes new investment in priority areas such as C(E)TRS, Autism Intensive Support service and provision of a 7-day Learning Disability Liaison Nurse Service</b></li> <li>• <del>CCG Learning Disability &amp; Autism Delivery Plan is regularly monitored through CCG LD&amp;A delivery group</del></li> <li>• Regular performance reports to committees and governing body covering: Assuring Transforming Care performance indicators (reducing levels of inpatient placements), Adult Autism Assessment waiting times, Special Educational Needs and Disability (SEND),</li> </ul>				<b>Assurances:</b> The sources of assurances available relating to this objective are <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Internal assurance provided through regular reporting of performance against key performance indicators and progress of action plans to Quality Committee, Learning Disabilities and Autism Programme Board and Governing Body</li> <li>• Internal assurance provided through regular reporting on LeDeR to LeDeR Steering Group, Quality Committee and Governing Body</li> <li>• LeDeR Internal Audit Report Feb 2020</li> <li>• CQC/Ofsted Joint Inspection Reports and written statements of action</li> <li>• Assuring Transforming Care Programme cohort reporting to NHSE and Learning Disability and Autism Programme Board</li> <li>• Comprehensive Quality Assurance processes relating to individual CCG commissioned placements for people with Learning Disability and Autism</li> </ul>

<p>Annual Health Check and Health Action Plan delivery (Target 67% by end of Q4 70% by end of Q4 2021/22)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learning Disabilities Mortality Review (LeDeR) Steering Group and review process established with representation from across all providers, primary care, social care and NHSE regional leads</li> <li>• LeDeR process includes Clinical Case Review to identify all learning</li> <li>• LeDeR Service User Forum established</li> <li>• Mechanisms to support integrated Education, Health and Care (EHC) needs assessment process in place</li> <li>• All contracts with providers include a learning disability schedule with Improvement Standards monitored through agreed IQPM processes</li> <li>• <del>Business case completed outlining requirements to increase capacity within the CCG to complete Care (Education) and Treatment reviews and Quality Oversight visits in line with NHSE policy and guidance</del></li> <li>• Business case approved for additional Care (Education) and Treatment review capacity with recruitment processes commence.</li> <li>• <del>EIA of TCP and CHC cohort of people with LD&amp;A completed to be shared at Quality Committee in July 2021</del></li> <li>• <del>Funding secured to implement pilot project to facilitate discharge of long stay individuals from locked rehabilitation placements</del></li> <li>• <del>Business case for discharge pilot project completed and approved. To commence August 2021-22</del></li> <li>• Discharge pilot for 5 individuals has commenced in partnership with Self directed futures</li> <li>• Robust approaches to ensure assurances regarding the quality of commissioned individual care packages in development.</li> <li>• Additional capacity for Designated Clinical Officer for SEND secured Care (Education) and Treatment review policy has been drafted and is progressing through CCG governance</li> </ul> <p><b>Mitigating Actions:</b> <i>(what further actions are needed to reduce the risk and close any identified gaps)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <del>3 year BNSSG LD&amp;A Delivery Plan is in development (to be signed off by CCG and Healthier Together in June)</del></li> <li>• <del>Development of agreed Protocol for C(E)TR processes, including Dynamic Support Register and thematic evaluation (end Q2)</del></li> <li>• EIA of TCP and CHC cohort of people with LD&amp;A (end Q1)</li> <li>• Development of LeDeR actions with specific themes to develop provider action plans (end Q4)</li> <li>• Hosting learning events to raise awareness and share good practice</li> </ul>	<p>is in place through full implementation of commissioner oversight visits and Learning Disability and Autism Host Commissioner function.</p> <hr/> <p><b>Gaps in Assurance:</b> <i>(What additional assurances should we seek?)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BAME representation with specific experience of learning disability and autism issues on programme board, LD cells, operational working groups and LeDeR Steering Group to ensure the additional health inequalities experienced by BAME communities and people with learning disabilities are addressed in all workstreams.</li> </ul>
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- Continued implementation of the Adult Autism Assessment Waiting List Initiative
  - Training and wider support for Primary Care to improve annual health check uptake and increase the numbers of Health Action Plans. Undertake evaluation of HAP delivery.
  - Identification of lessons learnt from disproportionate impact of COVID 19 on people with LD&A and implications for other areas of inequality, e.g. cancer screening / flu immunisation
  - Establish mechanisms for the inclusion of people with LD&A and parent / relatives of people with experience of supporting a person with LD&A in service development
  - SEND action plans in place with local authority partners
  - CCG Strategic SEND lead also taking lead for C&YP LD&A programme aligned and working in tandem with adults LD&A programme lead to strengthen capacity
  - [Keyworker Team for C&YP with autism diagnosis under development aimed at reducing hospital admissions](#)
  - [£0.5m Autism diagnosis waiting list initiative underway](#)
  - [Workshops exploring how to shift system focus from diagnosis to a needs led approach](#)
- ~~[Business case to be completed for discharge facilitation project \(by end July August 2021\)](#)~~

<b>(PO6) Objective: To improve the commissioning of services for children</b>				<b>Director Lead: Lisa Manson</b>	
<b>Risk:</b> Integrated children's commissioning with Local Authorities is not fully developed, there is a risk that we are not optimising the care children receive and impacting on their life course				<b>Date Last Reviewed:</b> <b>21/05/21</b>	
<b>Risk Rating</b>	<b>Likelihood x impact</b>	<b>Risk Appetite</b>	<b>Risk Score Trend</b>	<b>Rationale for current score:</b> Current commissioning arrangements do not put children at the centre of decision making which can impact on the outcomes, due to fragmented decision making.	
Initial	4X4 =16				
Current	3x4=12				
Target risk	2x4=8				
<b>Committee with oversight of risk</b> Clinical Executive, Quality Committee and Strategic Finance Committee				<b>Rationale for target risk:</b> The intention is by developing integrated children's commissioning the outcomes for children will be optimised and the likelihood of the risk occurring will be reduced.	
<b>Controls:</b> <i>(What are we currently doing about this risk?)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CCG Operational Children's Board</li> <li>• Joint SEND Board</li> <li>• Single Children's Provider</li> <li>• Children's Improvement Boards with LAs established</li> <li>• CCG wide SEND Coordination meeting in place – reports to Children's Operational Board</li> </ul>				<b>Assurances:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Written Statement of Actions being removed in all 3 LA areas</li> <li>• Positive funded care audits</li> <li>• Internal assurance provided through regular reporting of performance against key performance indicators and progress of action plans to Quality Committee, Commissioning Executive and Governing Body</li> <li>• Internal Audit Safeguarding (Dec 2020)</li> <li>• Internal Audit Continuing Health Care (April 2021)</li> <li>• SEND Reviews independently undertaken by OfSTED and CQC</li> </ul>	
<b>Mitigating Actions:</b> <i>(what further actions are needed to reduce the risk and close any identified gaps)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• identify key deliverables to address and reduce risk – January 2021</li> <li>• develop action plan with measurable outcomes and milestones January 2021</li> <li>• Complex Children's Review – ongoing - due Q4</li> <li>• Review of statutory services provided by CCHP – and an action plan to address gaps – <del>due Dec 2020</del> due Feb 2021</li> <li>• Joint work on market engagement – ongoing due Q4</li> <li>• Closer working with NHS E/I on tier 4 CAMHS Due Q4 and commitment in place between all parties</li> <li>• Developing an information sharing agreement – ongoing</li> <li>• BNSSG involved with the framework for integrating care as the vanguard site for the South West. The framework is part of the NHS response to the Long Term Plan (LTP) commitment of investing in</li> </ul>				<b>Gaps in Assurance:</b> <i>(What additional assurances should we seek?)</i> Information sharing agreements between all partners, to ensure that we can monitor the outcomes and improvements in life course.	

additional services for children and young people with complex needs in the community. The Framework will support the Children and Families work stream within Healthier Together as it cuts across a number of programmes such as joint commissioning and new models of care.

<b>(PO7) Objective: Funded Care: Delivery of an integrated, efficient, Funded Care service achieving the “leading” level of the CHC Maturity Framework with high levels of positive patient experience and staff satisfaction</b>			<b>Director Lead: Rosi Shepherd</b>	
<b>Risk:</b> There is a risk that capacity and demand in the CHC service are not aligned, due to increased demand, complexity of cases and capacity and process issues within the team. This has the potential to result in delayed access to the right care for patients, financial pressures for the CCG and non-compliance against national framework standards.			<b>Date Last Reviewed:</b> <b>(17/08/21) and updates 08/09/21</b>	
<b>Risk Rating</b>	<b>Likelihood x impact</b>	<b>Risk Appetite</b>	<b>Risk Score Trend</b>	<b>Rationale for current score:</b> The risk score is based on... Likelihood score based on the increased numbers of outstanding assessments/reviews (approx. 262 breached at 11.5.21), reduced capacity due to vacancies and sickness and the implementation of changed ways of working required to deliver consistent and effective processes across the team.  Impact score is based on the financial risk posed by unknown demand, incorrect care packages to meet need and the ability to deliver against the standards set out in the national framework
Initial	3X4=12			
Current	3x4=12			
Target risk	2x4=8			
<b>Committee with oversight of risk</b> Quality Committee, Strategic Finance Committee			<b>Rationale for target risk:</b> The target risk score is to support the vision of BNSSG CCG delivering an outstanding service to the population we serve, being viewed as good system partners and achieving a high level of maturity against the national framework. Patients, families and carers will have confidence in the process resulting in a reduction in complaints.	
<b>Controls:</b> <i>(What are we currently doing about this risk?)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Post dedicated to P3 to manage flow to support flow</li> <li>• Paper to request support from external agency to manage backlog is being developed. <a href="#">External support in place to support assessments</a></li> <li>• Improved reporting data metrics developed – team and individual performance now able to be monitored across BNSSG – <a href="#">New IT system mobilised and being embedded to help with data</a></li> <li>• <del>P3 surge bed initiative ended – staff returned to BAU</del></li> <li>• Transformation working groups established – looking at standardising</li> </ul>			<b>Assurances:</b> The sources of assurances available relating to this objective are <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Internal assurance through monthly reporting through the Quality and Performance report to Quality Committee</li> <li>• Internal assurance through Finance reporting to Strategic Finance Committee</li> <li>• Update to be provided to the Audit, Risk and Governance Committee</li> <li>• External audit of CHC service – report expected June/July</li> <li>• Internal audit schedule compiled. Terms of References for individual</li> </ul>	

<p>processes across 3 localities <b>Mid-year review – all working groups mobilised. A successful mid-year review with team undertaken</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Skill mix review of staff overseeing most complex cases as well as increasing the size of the team</li> <li>• DOLS-post <b>now filled – new starter in post recruited successfully. Aim to start in post Aug/Sept</b></li> <li>• <b>Improved</b> process to identify new individuals under a DOLS order</li> <li>• Proactive sickness monitoring taking place</li> <li>• A review of Fast Track patients in receipt of funding beyond 12 weeks converted a significant number of patients to CHC. This will be under review going forward.</li> <li>• Monthly Funded Care business meeting which reviews operational and financial performance</li> </ul>	<p>audits being developed. ( reporting to monthly FNC Risk, Audit and Governance Group)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Quarterly reporting to regional/national teams indicated BNSSG is a mid-ranking performer</li> <li>• External review of BNSSG by Deloitte to assess against maturity framework – report anticipated in July. – <b>positive feedback, all actions included in transformation programme. Deep dive to be presented at Quality Committee in Autumn</b></li> <li>• External review of business processes complete. Further assurance required on processes/compliance – action plan being created, monitored through RAG and Audit committee</li> <li>• <del>CHC taking additional cases in August</del></li> </ul>
<p><b>Mitigating Actions:</b> <i>(what further actions are needed to reduce the risk and close any identified gaps)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review against CHC maturity framework <b>improvement across the domains – started but not yet complete</b></li> <li>• Benchmarking against other CHC teams in relation to individual activity/performance expectations – <b>ongoing and work with regional teams underway</b></li> <li>• Improved understanding of the Fast Track position – more people are opting to be cared for at home</li> </ul>	<p><b>Gaps in Assurance:</b> <i>(What additional assurances should we seek?)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No gaps identified</li> <li>• Repeat external audit of business processes in 6 months/1 year</li> <li>• <b>Demand continues to increase</b> <b>Challenged capacity in Domiciliary care and residential care a growing concern and not fully understood across the system</b></li> </ul>

<p><b>(PO8) Objective: People Plan: Developing the CCG's People Plan</b>          Delivery of activities focussed on the CCG's workforce under the following themes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We are compassionate and inclusive</li> <li>• We are recognised and rewarded</li> <li>• We each have a voice that counts</li> <li>• We are safe and healthy</li> <li>• We are always learning</li> <li>• We work flexibly</li> <li>• We are a team</li> </ul>		<p><b>Director Lead: David Jarrett/Sarah Truelove</b></p>											
<p><b>Risk:</b> There is a risk that the progress made in developing the culture and staff experience within the CCG may be disrupted and lost as we transition to becoming an ICS resulting in falling staff satisfaction and increased turnover.</p>		<p><b>Date Last Reviewed:</b> 12/06/21</p>											
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Risk Rating	Likelihood x impact	Risk Appetite			Risk Score Trend								
Initial	4X4 =16												
Current	3X4=12												
Target risk	2x4=8												
<p><b>Committee with oversight of risk</b>          Governing Body, Strategic Finance Committee</p>		<p><b>Rationale for target risk:</b>          Development of cohesive programme plan and the establishment of an Executive led steering group to drive delivery and with staff engagement included as part of the process</p>											
<p><b>Controls:</b> <i>(What are we currently doing about this risk?)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Executive Team oversight of the People Plan development and Delivery</li> <li>• Individual workstreams in place with ad hoc separate reporting routes Learning and Development Policy agreed and process established including Learning and Development Panel</li> <li>• Equalities policies</li> <li>• SFC terms of reference amended to include oversight of the workforce agenda</li> </ul> <p><b>Mitigating Actions:</b> <i>(what further actions are needed to reduce the risk and close any identified gaps)</i>          Appoint a Director of Transition to give dedicated leadership to this work</p>		<p><b>Assurances:</b>          The sources of assurances available relating to this objective are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Internal source of assurance – ad hoc and subject specific reports to Governing Body</li> <li>• Annual Staff survey</li> <li>• Internal Audit of Appraisal Process</li> </ul> <p><b>Gaps in Assurance:</b> <i>(What additional assurances should we seek?)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NHSE/I oversight of People Plan to be confirmed</li> </ul>											

<b>(PO9) Objective: Financial Sustainability: Deliver financial sustainability and improved health outcomes through the use of population health management and a culture of systematically evaluating the value of our services to our population.</b>				<b>Director Lead: Sarah Truelove/Peter Brindle</b>
<b>Risk:</b> As a result of the current culture driven by Payment by Results there is a risk that there will be a continuing focus on activity rather than value which may result in failure to deliver improved population health and financial sustainability for the CCG and the system.				<b>Date Last Reviewed:</b> <b>13/09/21</b>
<b>Risk Rating</b>	<b>Likelihood x impact</b>	<b>Risk Appetite</b>	<b>Risk Score Trend</b>	<b>Rationale for current score:</b> The financial framework for H1 (the first half of 21/22) has been confirmed and the elective recovery fund (ERF) effectively incentivises a PBR culture. The payment regime to providers remains very different to the previous ways of working and requires significant education and cultural change towards a needs based, value based approach. The ERF makes this message more complex and organisations and individuals are not completely familiar or committed to taking a value approach across the system.
Initial	5X4=20			
Current	4x4=16			
Target risk	2x4=8			
<b>Committee with oversight of risk</b> Strategic Finance Committee, Governing Body, Clinical Executive, Clinical cabinet, Healthier Together Planning and Oversight Group, HT DOFs				<b>Rationale for target risk:</b> Reducing the likelihood would represent significant progress, but cultural change takes time and it is important we do this work systematically.
<b>Controls:</b> <i>(What are we currently doing about this risk?)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Single regulator working with the system</li> <li>• National proposed financial framework for 21/22 drives system working</li> <li>• Healthier Together PMO (now integrated STP + CCG PMO teams) coordinating delivery of the system operational plan including transformation plans</li> <li>• Reporting internally to Strategic Finance Committee on monthly CCG and system financial position</li> <li>• Planning and Oversight Group and DoFs providing oversight of system financial position.</li> <li>• Clinical Cabinet provides oversight and decision making regarding clinical models and pathways</li> <li>• Long term financial model developed as part of LTP response.</li> <li>• The system's response to the Long Term Plan uses Value Based Healthcare as an organising principle.</li> <li>• ICS financial framework is built around the value framework and gives</li> </ul>				<b>Assurances:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Internal audit report on savings plans and PMO processes,</li> <li>• Monthly Governing Body reports</li> <li>• Quarterly NHSE Assurance Meetings.</li> <li>• Local response to NHS Long Term Plan agreed with NHSE/I</li> <li>• Phase 3 financial plan agreed across the system</li> <li>• H1 financial plan agreed across the system</li> </ul>
				<b>Gaps in Assurance:</b> <i>(What additional assurances should we seek?)</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <del>H1 plan yet to be agreed with NHSE/I</del></li> </ul>

commitment to costing and transparency to ensure PHM data can be used to support value based decision making.

**Mitigating Actions:** *(what further actions are needed to reduce the risk and close any identified gaps)*

- ~~Devise practical guides to 'doing' PHM and the Value approach. January 2021~~ Version one of the Value framework has been shared and is being used by the Community Mental Health Framework team, Learning Disabilities and Autism team, Integrated Care Partnership (ICP) model of care working group, Population Health, Prevention and Inequalities Steering Group and stroke reconfiguration programme. ICP PHM development programme started, focussed on developing the intelligent model needed for the community mental health framework target operating model response, and capacity building within ICPs. Value and PHM being designed into wider ICP organisational development programme.
- ~~Update and engage DOFs across the system with work to date and the draft high level goals to gain their commitment to this work December 2020~~
- Incorporation of Value Based Health and Care principles into the BNSSG Long Term Plan refresh's planning, content and decision-making?
- Ongoing engagement with the CCG Membership to use a Value Based Healthcare approach in developing their PCN and integrated care/locality plans Value/Team as now core members of the ICP Board.
- Support and encourage clinicians to identify areas of low value activity and explicitly commit to reducing and stopping it, particularly in the areas where productivity has been most impacted by COVID – ongoing A shared, rapid evaluation process has been developed to learn from the pandemic-induced changes, focussed on supporting continuation of high value changes
- Procure and implement an IT platform to identify, record and respond to clinical and 'person identified' outcomes Business case complete and will be submitted as System Transformation Reserve bid. Pilot projects underway in North Bristol Trust focussed on shared decision-making in surgery and initiated for the new long Covid service
- Re-launch the Value Programme which will report into the Population Health, Prevention and Inequalities Steering Group



- Develop a plan for embedding shared decision making across the system in recognition of evidence to suggest that it is a value-adding activity. Bid for support for the work being made to the System Transformation Reserve has been submitted.