

# HEALTH & WELLBEING OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

## Agenda Item 94

Brighton & Hove City Council

<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Integrated Primary Care Teams</b>		
<b>Date of Meeting:</b>	<b>Health and Wellbeing Overview &amp; Scrutiny Committee</b>		
<b>Report of:</b>	<b>Monitoring Officer</b>		
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<b>Ward(s) affected:</b>	<b>All</b>		

### FOR GENERAL RELEASE

#### 1. SUMMARY AND POLICY CONTEXT:

- 1.1 This paper is to update the HWOSC on key themes from the year 1 evaluation of the Integrated Primary Care Teams and the work that has is progressing to continue to develop these teams.

#### 2. RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 2.1 That HWOSC members note the progress of the Integrated Primary Care Teams and suggest any improvements for future work.

#### 3. RELEVANT BACKGROUND INFORMATION/CHRONOLOGY OF KEY EVENTS:

- 3.1 The HWOSC was last provided with an update on the Integrated Primary Care Teams in March 2012.
- 3.2 Historically a range of different community teams have provided support and care for people in the community. There is a range of national and international evidence that integrated, coordinated and preventative care system for people with long term conditions can provides better outcomes and better use of resources. Delivering care with a single point of coordination can improve patient and carer experience, supports care at home and may prevent avoidable hospital admissions
- 3.3 In Brighton and Hove, the Integrated Primary Care Teams (IPCT) went live in January 2012. They operate seven days a week, providing care between 8am and 8pm. The GP practice remains the hub of care for the IPCT and the team includes nurses, occupational therapists, physiotherapists, pharmacist & carers support. Approximately 6,000 patients were cared for and supported in one year.
- 3.4 The first year's work has been assessed and evaluated, finding a variable performance across the city. More detail of the evaluation can be found in **Appendix One.**

#### **4. COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND CONSULTATION**

- 4.1 Service users and patients have given feedback on their views of the first year's work. Staff feedback has also been sought through focus groups. Detail can be found in **Appendix One**.
- 4.2 The ongoing Project Board includes a member of Healthwatch who will be able to provide more service user experience and information as needed.

#### **5. FINANCIAL & OTHER IMPLICATIONS:**

##### Financial Implications:

- 5.1 None to this cover report.

##### Legal Implications:

- 5.2 None to this cover report.

##### Equalities Implications:

- 5.3 None to this cover report

##### Sustainability Implications:

- 5.4 None to this cover report

##### Crime & Disorder Implications:

- 5.5 None to this cover report.

##### Risk and Opportunity Management Implications:

- 5.6 None to this cover report,

##### Public Health Implications:

- 5.7 The IPCTs are aimed at improving the service user experience for health service users, by restructuring services in a more joined up way.

##### Corporate / Citywide Implications:

- 5.8 None to this cover report.