

<b>Report title: STP Draft System Five-Year Plans</b>	
<b>Report to:</b> Health and Wellbeing Board	
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<b>County Divisions affected:</b> All Essex	

## 1 Purpose of Report

- 1.1 NHS Sustainability and Transformation Partnerships (STPs) need to submit 5 year plans to NHS England. These plans require engagement with, and endorsement from, health and wellbeing boards.
- 1.2 The Essex health and wellbeing board has been asked to provide feedback on the draft plans and this report sets out the key feedback received.
- 1.3 The Essex health and wellbeing board is asked to endorse the plans for submission to NHS England.

## 2 Recommendations

- 2.1 That the Health and Wellbeing Board comments on the key areas of feedback received so far on the draft 5 year plans.
- 2.2 That the Health and Wellbeing Board endorses the plans for submission to NHS England, either with or without any final amendments

## 3 Summary of issue

- 3.1 NHS Sustainability and Transformation Partnerships (STPs) need to submit 5 year plans to NHS England by 15 November. STPs are expected to seek feedback and endorsements from health and wellbeing boards.
- 3.2 The draft plans for the Hertfordshire and West Essex STP, the Mid and South Essex STP and the Suffolk and North East Essex STP have been circulated to health and wellbeing board members for comments
- 3.3 Each plan sets out the priority outcomes that they want to achieve and headlines were presented at the health and wellbeing board meeting in September.

- 3.4 Feedback was subsequently requested from board members on the draft plans. Feedback was only received from one board member and this has suggested that plans need to be more specific about how the delivery of key priorities and targets will be monitored.
- 3.5 Essex County Council (ECC) has also provided feedback in its own right. ECC's response raised a number of themes and opportunity areas to strengthen the plans:
- a) That existing pan-Essex and pan-STP arrangements on learning disabilities and adults and children's mental health should be respected and that any decision to change these must be agreed collectively by all STPs.
  - b) All plans can make much stronger emphasis on better life outcomes for adults with learning disabilities and with mental health problems e.g. access to employment, access to housing etc
  - c) There needs to be greater recognition of children and early years in all three plans
  - d) There needs to be greater focus on dementia in each of the plans
  - e) There can be stronger reference to opportunities for collaboration between the three STPs e.g shared care record, population health management.
- 3.6 At the time of writing this report, Mid and South Essex STP has written to acknowledge and address the points raised in ECC's response.

## **4 Considerations**

- 4.2 The health and wellbeing board is asked to consider the feedback provided so far.
- 4.2 The board is also asked to comment on, and consider:
- a. The alignment between the draft STP plans and the Essex health and wellbeing strategy and its 4 priorities of 1) Mental Health, 2) Obesity and physical inactivity, 3) health inequalities and 4) long term conditions
  - b. The alignment and consistency between each of the three plans – are there any areas of tension or disagreement?
- 4.3 Plans need to be submitted to NHS England and it recommended that the health and wellbeing board endorses the plans to be submitted either with or without amendments.

## **5. List of Background papers**

Presentation from STPs to Essex Health and Wellbeing Board, September 2019, on draft five-year plans