



OUTER NORTH EAST LONDON JOINT HEALTH OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE, 10 OCTOBER 2017

Subject Heading:

**Update on East London Health & Care
Partnership and NEL Sustainability and
Transformation Plan**

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Policy context:

**The attached report gives an update on
the work of the Partnership to protect
and improve local health and care
services.**

Financial summary:

**No impact of presenting of information
itself.**

SUMMARY

This report provides an update to the Joint Committee on the development of the East London Health & Care Partnership, including its purpose and priorities and engagement with stakeholders.

The report also covers the development of the North East London Sustainability and Transformation Plan (NEL STP).

The Partnership submitted a draft NEL STP to NHS England on 21 October 2016. It outlined the challenges for health and care services in east London and included a series of delivery plans to address our local priorities.

Further work is continuing to develop the plan in more detail and updates can be presented to the Joint Committee as they become available

For more information on the Partnership and NEL STP please go to <http://www.eastlondonhcp.nhs.uk> or email: enquiries@eastlondonhcp.nhs.uk

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the Joint Committee considers the attached report and takes any action it considers appropriate.

REPORT DETAIL

1. Background

- 1.1 In December 2015 NHS England planning guidance required health and care systems across the country to work together to develop sustainability and transformation plans (STPs). The STP for East London is being developed by the East London Health & Care Partnership. The plan is known as the NEL STP because the NHS has divided London into five areas: north east; north central; north west; south west; and south east.

2. The purpose and priorities of the East London Health & Care Partnership and the development of the NEL STP

- 2.1 See Appendix 1

3. Engagement

- 3.1 We recognise the involvement of local people is crucial to the development of the NEL STP. In developing the plan we engaged with stakeholders, including Healthwatch, local councils, the voluntary, community and social enterprise sector, and patient representatives. Their initial feedback was incorporated into the draft NEL STP submitted to NHS England on 21 October 2016.
- 3.2 Work to obtain further feedback is ongoing. A series of public engagement events and activity is planned for 2018. Local Healthwatch organisations and others are also helping us gather and understand the views of patients and communities. They will focus on gauging public views on a) promoting prevention and self-care b) improving primary care and c) reforming hospital services.

4. Financial considerations

- 4.1 The NEL STP will include activities to address current financial challenges across the health and social care economy. The ambition is to ensure that all NHS organisations are able to achieve financial balance by the end of the five year period of the plan.

5. Legal considerations

5.1 The East London Health & Care Partnership Board is developing a plan as stipulated by the NHS England guidance.

6. Equalities considerations

6.1 An equality screening has been completed to consider the potential equality impact of the proposals set out in the NEL STP. This can be viewed at <http://www.eastlondonhcp.nhs.uk> and includes:

- An overview of all the initiatives included in the NEL STP narrative to determine at which level equality analyses should be undertaken i.e. NEL STP level, Local Area Level, CCG/borough level or London-wide level.
- An initial assessment of the East London STP overarching 'Framework for better care and wellbeing'.
- Actions to be undertaken during further detailed equality analyses.

The screening recognises that the initiatives included in the STP will be implemented at different times, hence further equality analyses will need to be undertaken over the life of the STP programme.

Appendices

Appendix 1: General update on the East London Health & Care Partnership October 2017

Appendix 2: East London Health & Care Partnership transformation priorities

Appendix 3: What East London Health & Care Partnership is doing and what it means for local people

Appendix 4: East London Health & Care Partnership governance structure

IMPLICATIONS AND RISKS

None of this update report.

BACKGROUND PAPERS

None.