

## Blackpool Health and Wellbeing Board: Correspondence February 2014

Below is a selection of policy updates, thematic/topical issues, events and training opportunities pertaining to Health and Wellbeing Boards. Further detail is accessible by clicking on the corresponding link. If you would like to bring an item for discussion at Board, please notify the Chair in advance for consideration or email Traci at [traci.lloyd-moore@blackpool.gov.uk](mailto:traci.lloyd-moore@blackpool.gov.uk)



### Training and Events

Organiser	Event/Learning Opportunity	When and Where
Kings Fund	<p><b>How can community pharmacy help improve the health of the population and what stands in the way?</b></p> <p>The seminar will partly be informed by, and build upon the recent Royal Pharmaceutical Society Commission on the future role of pharmacy, and will bring together perspectives from The King's Fund, Alliance Boots, the NHS, commissioners, local authorities, patient groups and others with an interest in the role of pharmacy. To Book visit <a href="http://khub.it/LPt5rVI1qN">http://khub.it/LPt5rVI1qN</a></p>	<p><b>23 February 2014</b> 6:00pm-8:00pm The King's Fund 11-13 Cavendish Square London W1G 0AN</p>
NHS Confederation	<p><b>Health and Wellbeing Boards: Working across boundaries</b></p> <p>This event will look at how boards can effectively collaborate on specific, time limited programmes of work, such as reconfiguring services. It will explore different scenarios and approaches boards can use to plan and prepare for such events, and apply learning from HWBs with both long and short-term arrangements in place</p> <p>To book a place email <a href="mailto:eventbookings@nhsconfed.org">eventbookings@nhsconfed.org</a></p>	<p><b>25 February 2014</b> 09:30-3:00 Hallam Conference Centre, 44 Hallam Street W1W 6JJ</p>
NHS Confederation	<p><b>Health and Wellbeing Boards: The future of system leadership</b></p> <p>This event will focus on how health and wellbeing boards and partners can work together to develop shared leadership and, using real world examples and challenges to put all of this into context, give HWBs a chance to reflect upon their own experiences and develop perspectives on system leadership that work for all parties. NHS England will also share findings from their insight work into what makes for excellent HWB collaboration, and Public Health England will share learning from their System Leadership Programme. North West Employers will discuss lessons learnt on system leadership from the north west.</p> <p>To book a place email <a href="mailto:eventbookings@nhsconfed.org">eventbookings@nhsconfed.org</a></p>	<p><b>26 February 2014</b> 09:30 AM to 15:30 The Studio, 51 lever street, M1 1FN central Manchester</p>
Northwest Employers	<p><b><a href="#">Leading Better Care For All</a></b></p> <p>This free North West wide event brings together leaders from across the health and social care system to hear from national and regional leaders to explore:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How we can make the most of the better care fund</li> <li>• How we can collaborate, co-produce and share ideas and practice</li> <li>• How we can collectively shape the leadership challenge in the North West</li> </ul>	<p><b>12 March 2014</b> 09:45-4:00 Manchester Venue – tbc</p>

Local Government Association	<p><b>Improving Adult Rehabilitation Services – webinars</b></p> <p>Two lunchtime webinars are open to any commissioner or provider who is interested in integrated adult rehabilitation services, from all professions, agencies and sectors. <b>12 March: "Everyone has a leadership role in commissioning and providing integrated care". 24 March: 'Who cares about my outcomes?'</b>. Register your interest by <b>3 March at the latest</b>. Places will be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis by emailing <a href="mailto:katherine.andrews@nhs-commissioning.net">katherine.andrews@nhs-commissioning.net</a> with the name of the webinar in the subject line.</p>	<b>12 March and 24 March 2014</b>
Local Government Association and Healthwatch England	<p><a href="#">Strengthening Healthwatch</a></p> <p>The events aims s to bring together commissioners, local Healthwatch, and key strategic partners to share and learn about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How commissioners and local Healthwatch are implementing outcomes and impacts</li> <li>• Building relationships that ensure local people have a real opportunities to be part of the health and wellbeing system.</li> </ul>	<b>18 March 2014</b> 09:30-3:30 Park Plaza City Square LS1 5NS Leeds
Local Government Association	<p><a href="#">Health and Wellbeing System Improvement – Looking to the Future</a></p> <p>National reflections from Department of Health, Public Health England, the Local Government Association and NHS England on progress with the locally led health and wellbeing system one year on</p>	<b>19 March 2014</b> 10am – 3:45pm Local Government House Smith Square, London
NHS England	<p><a href="#">NHS specialised services - Mental Health</a></p> <p>Expressions of interests are being invited to attend a series of events held as part of the development of a five year strategy for Specialised Services. This will be an opportunity for members of clinical reference groups (including patients, stakeholders, clinicians) and commissioners to discuss priorities for each of the National Programmes of Care (Internal Medicine, Cancer &amp; Blood, Mental Health, Trauma, Women &amp; Children).</p>	<b>21 March 2014</b> <b>Skipton House, London</b>
Kings Fund	<p><a href="#">Commissioning and Contracting for Integrated Care</a></p> <p>This conference will support organisations that are grappling with how to develop the most appropriate contracting arrangements for the needs of their patients and localities. At the conference you will hear about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• international examples of innovative contracting and payment mechanisms, and the lessons that the United Kingdom can learn from these</li> <li>• contracting and payment mechanisms that are currently being used in the United Kingdom and how these are leading to better outcomes for patients</li> <li>• the risks and benefits of various contracting methods and how finding the right method can support your local health system to deliver the right care in the right setting</li> <li>• the future of payment systems in local government and the NHS, including whole-place budgets, capitated budgets, and other innovations</li> </ul>	<b>27 March 2014</b> 10:00-4:30 The Kings Fund, London

Capita	<a href="#">Delivering the Francis Report Conference</a> This event will examine how recommendations from the key national reviews are being implemented at the forefront and to develop a <b>patient centred culture</b> emphasising <b>compassion, candour and transparency</b> and drive real and lasting change in the healthcare system	<b>28 March 2014</b> 09:15-17:00 Central London
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## Health and Wellbeing Board Policy Updates

Topic/Theme	Overview	Further information
<b>Health and Wellbeing Survey</b>	<p>The survey is being carried out by NatCen Social Research and University College London (UCL) on behalf of the Health and Social Care Information Centre (HSCIC).</p> <p><b>Why is this relevant to the Board?</b>            NatCen are keen to increase local authority awareness of the survey, for instances when members of the public may get in touch to question its credibility. If you require any further information or the postcode sectors that will be covered in your area, please get in touch with <a href="mailto:HSETeam@natcen.ac.uk">HSETeam@natcen.ac.uk</a>.</p> <p><b>About the survey</b>            The survey provides up to date information on the health of adults and children in England. The fieldwork is being carried out in households across England and will run until early 2015. Co-operation in the survey is voluntary, and a letter outlining the survey is sent to sampled addresses in advance of an interviewer calling.</p>	<a href="#">Health Survey for England</a>
<b>Shared Intelligence Interim Report – January 2014</b>	<p>Commissioned by the Local Government Association (LGA), Shared Intelligence (si) undertook a review of their Health and Wellbeing Systems Improvement Programme to provide the LGA and its partners with an understanding of the impact of the improvement support offered to Health and Wellbeing Boards through the Programme during its first year and, in doing so, to offer insight into the learning themes emerging for the health and wellbeing boards in their first fully functioning year. A range of recommendations in moving the programme forward are detailed in the report</p> <p><b>Why is this relevant to the Board?</b>            The report provides insight into the range and effectiveness of support that has been made available during year one. The report also poses a series of questions pertinent to the ongoing development of health and wellbeing boards. The report provides opportunities for reflection, and consideration about what support health and wellbeing board members, particularly chairs, will require as the focus of the boards’ work shifts to leading transformation.</p>	 Q:\ Healthwatch_Health \
<b>Change Gear – Rapid Review of Health and Wellbeing Peer Challenge</b>	<p>Commissioned by the Local Government Association (LGA) Shared Intelligence (si) undertook a rapid review of the pilot health and wellbeing peer challenge programme. The primary purpose of the review is to provide the association and its partners with some insight into how health and wellbeing boards are developing and the learning themes that have emerged from the peer challenges and an evaluation of the immediate impact of the pilot peer challenges.</p> <p><b>Why is this relevant to the Board?</b>            The report provides an overview of the current state of play for Health and Wellbeing Boards, gives a</p>	 Q:\ Healthwatch_Health \

	summary of the impact of the pilot Health and Wellbeing Peer Challenges – providing us with food for thought in how we can move forward! Outlines key challenges, development and support needs and poses a range of questions for Board reflection. The review also considers the sustainability of the LGA Systems Improvement Programme.	
<b>Better Care Fund</b>	<p><b>Why is this relevant to the Board?</b></p> <p>This Kings Fund publication provides an evidence-based guide to assist discussion between CCGs, local authorities and health and wellbeing boards. Topics include primary prevention, self care, case management and understanding key local challenges.</p>	<a href="#">Making best use of the Better Care Fund</a>
<b>RIBA City health Check: an opportunity for local authorities to save lives and money?</b>	<p>The Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) has found that, across the nine biggest urban areas in England, local authority areas with the healthiest populations (based on data for life expectancy, child obesity, diabetes and physical activity) have a fifth more green space and almost half the percentage of land occupied by housing than those with the least healthy populations.</p> <p><b>Why is this relevant to the Board?</b></p> <p>It has been recommended that local authorities prepare a Healthy Infrastructure Action Plan, in collaboration with their health and wellbeing boards. These action plans should:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Outline the authority’s strategy for making streets and parks safer and more attractive and set out the principles they expect new developments to meet in order to gain planning permission</li> <li>• Conform to the NICE guidance on walking and cycling</li> <li>• Be funded through the Community Infrastructure Levy.</li> </ul> <p>The Board would need to carefully consider the appropriateness of developing such a plan and take into account key barriers to its implementation as detailed in the briefing.</p>	<a href="#">City Health Check: how design saves lives and money.</a>
<b>Public Health England – Latest Obesity Data</b>	Early this month <a href="#">Public Health England</a> (PHE) published its latest data on obesity. In 19 district local authorities including County Durham, Bolsover, Blackpool, Scarborough, Basildon and Thurrock – more than 70 per cent of adults are overweight or obese.	Obesity data for <a href="#">19 district local authorities</a>

## Topical/Thematic areas of interest

Topic/Theme	Overview	Further information	Is this on the Boards Agenda
<b>Public Health</b>	<p><b>Public health grants to local authorities 2013 to 2014 and 2014 to 2015</b></p> <p>This local authority circular outlines the public health grants to local authorities. The ring fenced grants for 2013 to 2014 and 2014 to 2015 provide local authorities with £2.66 billion and £2.79 billion to spend on public health services for their local populations. The grant conditions and reporting arrangements that will apply to the grant from April 2013 have also been published.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Local authority circular</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Table of local authority grants</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Grant conditions and report arrangements</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Further information and supporting documents</a></li> </ul>	N/A
<b>Public Health</b>	<p><b>Association of Directors of Public Health (ADPH) English transition 2013 '6 months on' survey – summary results</b></p> <p>This report takes an in-depth report on the opinions of directors of public health six months on from the transition into local authorities. It highlights the progress made, potential opportunities but also some areas where there is still work to be done</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">Report</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">RSPH - news</a></li> </ul>	N/A
<b>Adult Services</b>	<p>This briefing summarises and comments on recent developments on the progress of the Winterbourne View review, which includes information from the Health and Social Care Information Centre's Learning Disabilities Census Report.</p>	<p><a href="#">Winterbourne View: transforming social care one year on</a></p>	<p><b>Yes – under Quality Assurance and through an Annual update from Adult Services</b></p>
<b>Adult Services</b>	<p>A series of resources are available from the joint programme management office set up by the DH, LGA and ADASS to help councils prepare for implementing the Care Bill. These include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Implementation: getting started – a guide for councils at an early stage of preparation.</li> <li>• Governance and programme management: must knows – to facilitate dialogue between councillors, chief executives and adult social care.</li> <li>• Care and support forums – activity and coordination at a regional level.</li> <li>• Care Bill clause analysis.</li> <li>• Information and technology: supporting care and support reform</li> <li>• Timeline and programme schedule.</li> <li>• Care and support reform programme: who's who.</li> </ul>	<p><a href="#">Implementing the Care Bill</a></p>	<p><b>Yes – Under Quality Assurance included on the April Agenda</b></p>

<b>Children's and Families</b>	This briefing covers the Department for Education and Department of Health publications on implementing the 0 to 25 special needs system: advice for local authorities and health partners and other documents. Although non-statutory, the advice is intended to help key stakeholders understand their role in implementing the reforms to the special educational needs system being introduced through the Children and Families Bill.	<a href="#">Implementing the 0 to 25 special needs system: advice for local authorities and health partners</a>	<b>Yes – Under Quality Assurance included on the April Agenda</b>
<b>Policing</b>	Policing for a better Britain: one year on. The work of the Stevens Commission has involved a substantive review of policing which has the potential to inform current and future policy in a number of ways. This briefing will be of interest to all members and officers with an interest or responsibility in both criminal justice and community relations, including members of Police and Crime Panels.	<a href="#">Policing for a better Britain: the Stevens report</a>	No
<b>Mental Health</b>	The Department of Health have published the first annual report on the Government's suicide prevention strategy highlights recent research and good practice in suicide prevention	<a href="#">Preventing Suicide in England One Year On (PDF document)</a> ,	No