

READING HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

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1. PURPOSE OF REPORT AND EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 1.1 This report summarises the work underway across Berkshire West in relation to cancer detection and treatment and is underpinned by the Berkshire West Framework for Cancer. This also includes areas of key focus specifically within Reading locality. A more succinct document in the form of Cancer Framework for Cancer “plan on a page” is also provided.

The Cancer framework outlines the vision within Thames Valley “To create a region that secures and delivers the best possible outcomes for every patient affected by cancer by working together to maximise resources, to deliver the best possible, clinically-led and patient driven health and social care”

The framework for Berkshire West has six overarching objectives:

- Improving early detection of cancers by increasing access to diagnostics
- Improving one year survival rates for cancer in Berkshire West through improvement in the proportion of cancers diagnosed at stage one and stage two and reducing the proportion of cancers diagnosed following an emergency presentation.
- Ensuring faster access to treatment and a shorter client journey.
- Increase prevention of cancers by significantly improving screening uptake and linking with achievement of targets for smoking cessation, alcohol and obesity
- Provision of a recovery package to support people living with and beyond cancer
- Increasing the number of people supported to die in their place of choice (linking with the Berkshire West End of Life Programme)

This has resulted in 9 key workstreams which will benefit the residents within Berkshire West.

One of these key workstreams includes a specific area of focus within the South Reading communities. South Reading CCG has identified some specific areas of focus to improve their outcomes for the early detection of cancers. Work is underway with Macmillan, Cancer Research UK and the local public health team. Macmillan will provide two years of community development support to improve education with seldom heard groups and Cancer Research UK and Public Health are developing a project for teachable moments

for people who have had results come back as “not cancer” following a referral for suspected cancer.

Rushmoor healthy living who have been commissioned to support this work have been running community events across Reading, specifically reaching out to the more deprived areas and minority ethnic communities. More than 30 people who represent different communities and organisations across Reading have expressed an interest in becoming a cancer ambassador.

1.2 Appendices:

Appendix A - Berkshire West CCGs Cancer framework plan on a page

2. RECOMMENDED ACTION

2.1 *For Information and to provide assurance of alignment with Reading Health & Wellbeing Strategy*

3. POLICY CONTEXT

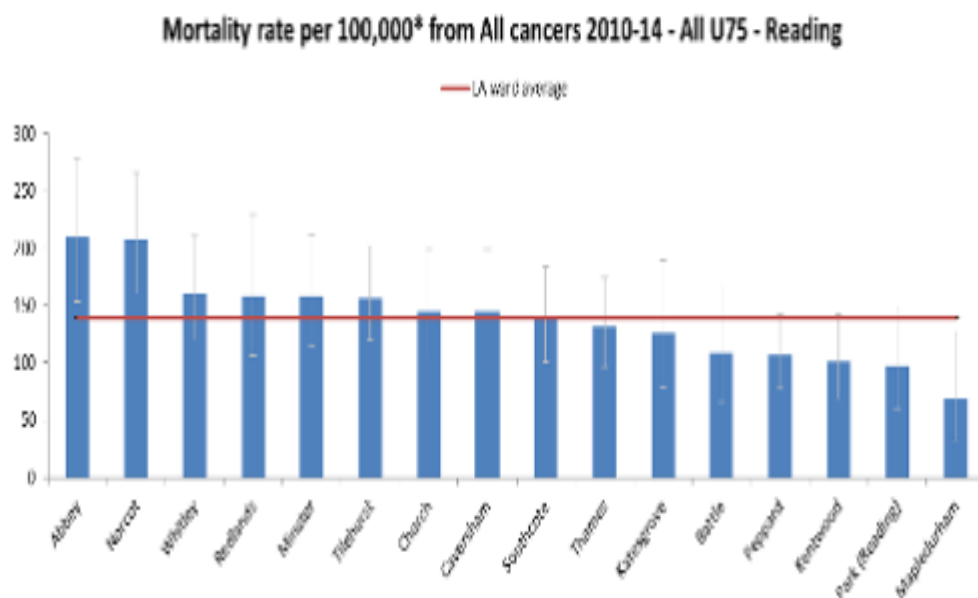
- This framework sets out the local commitments to improving care for people with cancer in response to the National Cancer Strategy 2015.
- This framework has been approved by NHS England and forms part of the Thames Valley Cancer Alliance work programme

4. THE PROPOSAL

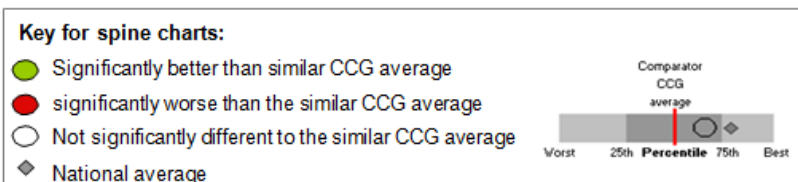
4.1 Current Position

Source: JSNA (Reading)

Figure 5: Premature Mortality Rate (aged under 75) From All Cancers



Source: JSNA (Reading CCG locality profile 2016)



6.221 CCG Outcomes Indicator Set summary for cancer

Indicator	Latest outturn	CCG value	CCG Comp Group Avg	England Avg	CCG Comp Group Worst	CCG Comparator Group Range	CCG Comp Group Best	Previous outturn	DOT	
CCG 1.1c	PYLL for causes considered amenable to healthcare - neoplasms	2012-14	555.1	630.0	620.5	713.9		555.1	600.2	↑
CCG 1.9	Under 75 mortality rate from cancer	2015	124.5	127.4	119.5	157.6		111.6	116.0	↔
CCG 1.10	One year survival from all cancers	2013	66.1%	69.5%	69.6%	66.1%		72.2%	65.5%	↔
CCG 1.14	Maternal smoking at delivery	2016/17 Q1	7.2%	10.8%	10.2%	17.6%		6.0%	7.7%	↔
CCG 1.17	Cancer: % of new cases for which a valid stage is recorded	2014	65.8%	75.0%	75.9%	65.8%		80.9%	40.4%	↑
CCG 1.18	Cancer: % of new cases diagnosed at stage 1 or 2	2014	55.0%	51.0%	50.7%	46.1%		56.0%	27.2%	↑
CCG 1.19	Record of lung cancer stage at decision to treat	2014	94.7%	91.2%	90.1%	86.2%		97.9%	100.0%	↔
CCG 1.20	Mortality rate from breast cancer	2013-15	33.8	32.4	34.3	37.5		28.5	33.4	↔
CCG 2.1	Improved health-related quality of life for people with LTCs	Jul-15 to Mar-16	0.75	0.74	0.74	0.71		0.76	0.76	↔
CCG 2.2	% of people feeling supported to manage their conditions	Jul-15 to Mar-16	63.4%	64.3%	64.3%	58.0%		69.3%	63.4%	↔

6.222 Quality and Outcomes Framework – Cancer

Indicator	SR CCG Value	CCG Comp Group Avg	Eng Avg	CCG Comp Group Worst	CCG Comparator Group Range	CCG Comp Group Best	SR CCG in 14/15	DOT for SR CCG	
CAN03	% patients with cancer, diagnosed in the preceding 15 months, who have a patient review recorded as occurring within 6 months of the date of diagnosis	96%	96%	95%	94%		98%	96%	n
SMOK04	% of patients aged 15+ who are recorded as current smokers who have a record of an offer of support and treatment within the previous 24 months	85%	87%	88%	80%		93%	83%	h
SMOK05	% of patients with LTCs who are recorded as current smokers who have a record of an offer of support and treatment within the previous 12 months	94%	96%	96%	92%		98%	96%	i
CS02	% of women aged 25-64 whose notes record that a cervical screening test has been performed in the preceding 5 years	76%	80%	81%	76%		83%	77%	i

4.2 This Berkshire West Framework sets out the local commitments to improving care for people with cancer in response to the National Cancer Strategy 2015.

5. CONTRIBUTION TO STRATEGIC AIMS

5.1 This framework aligns with and supports/contributes to the delivery of Priority 7 within the Reading Health & Wellbeing Strategy, increasing bowel screening and prevention services. It also indirectly link to Priority 1, supporting people to make healthy lifestyle choices.

5.2. The proposal recognises that plans in support of Reading’s 2017-20 Health and Wellbeing Strategy should be built on three foundations - safeguarding vulnerable adults and children, recognising and supporting all carers, and high quality co-ordinated information to support wellbeing. The proposal specifically addresses these in the following ways:

This framework and the specific work within Reading support and safeguards vulnerable sectors of our population who may not traditionally know how and when to access cancer screening services. It also aims to empower individuals to make healthy lifestyle choices, through the delivery of co-ordinated information and education, which can improve their health and wellbeing as well as reduce their risk of cancers.

6. COMMUNITY & STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

There is a specific work stream within the Cancer steering group looking at community and stakeholder engagement which also links to the group the results of the National Cancer patient survey on an annual basis.

A specific patient engagement and consultation event, involving the Chief Executive of the Royal Berkshire Hospital, Macmillan, the Berkshire West CCGS and people across Berkshire West has been held on 22nd November. This was a whole day event splitting up the Cancer journey and giving valuable information on the “people’s perspective” and allowing them to input ideas into each stage of the journey.

An educational event for local health care professionals in November, also offered the opportunity for us to hear from a member of the public who was happy to share their experience and help inform us of the improvements that could be made.

A subsequent event is also planned for January 2018 in Bracknell, providing an opportunity to hear the “people’s voice” and will be run by Macmillan.

The Cancer alliance also has an engagement officer who is specifically looking at different ways of engaging people in the Cancer pathways and treatment.

7. EQUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT

7.1 AN Equality Impact Assessment will be carried out for each of the key workstreams within the framework.

7.2 The EIA will consider whether the decision will or could have a differential impact on: racial groups; gender; people with disabilities; people of a particular sexual orientation; people due to their age; people due to their religious belief.

8. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

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- Specific funding for Berkshire West has been awarded through an STP bid.
- £9m has been awarded to CCGs across Thames Valley with specific spend targeted at earlier diagnosis, living with and beyond cancer, quality improvement schemes for screening and pathway work.
- Part of this funding has allowed us to specifically support Reading Residents through the work underway with Rushmoor Healthy Living.

9. BACKGROUND PAPERS

9.1 ACHIEVING WORLD-CLASS CANCER OUTCOMES - A STRATEGY FOR ENGLAND 2015-2020