

ICP Unified Executive Chair's Report – June to September 2022

Title:	ICP Unified Executive update
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The key points to note from the ICP Unified Executive from the recent quarter are as follows:

Please note the August meeting was cancelled.

Unified Executive Priorities

Berkshire West ICP has the following priorities:

In September members were informed that 3 of them are RAG rated green and 2 of them amber.

MDT – Mental Health

In September Belinda Seston – Interim Place Berkshire West MD advised members that the next step is to have a full discussion at the next Delivery Group around what we think the recommendations could be for taking this program forward from its original ask of identifying people with low level mental health needs are receiving the appropriate intervention. The recommendations and options for next steps will be taken to a future Unified Executive.

Additional Roles Reimburselement Scheme (ARRS)

The program continues building a multi disciplinary workforce within the PCN's, ensure future sustainability and resilience. Funding post 2024 poses some risks to the programme although the programme is committed to spending this years allocation. This priority is awaiting a new UE Sponsor to take forward the programme.

Heart Failure -

Shairoz Claridge - Berkshire West ICB and lead for LTC, joined the September meeting to discuss with stakeholders the future model of the integrated Heart Failure service for Berkshire West.

Shairoz added the vision is a proactive anticipatory approach for earlier detection, diagnosis and improving management, including the optimization of treatment, proactive personalized care,

recognizing that patients live with comorbidities, use of digital and technology as an enabler, including self-management and education.

Shairoz agreed with the Unified Executive Chair to bring a further detailed plan to the meeting in November, with the model considered by the Delivery Group and the inclusion of social care.

Emotional Health & Wellbeing - Children & Young People

In September members were informed the strategy is being updated to make it more outcome focussed and this will be reflected in an updated programme plan due for future presentation at the Unified Executive.

Immediate Care Review (formally Rehab & Reablement)

In September, the Unified Executive agreed to support a strategic review of intermediate care. This remains in the early stages of scoping and data analysis with further findings due to be reported back to the UE on next steps early Autumn.

ICB Development

A presentation on ICB development took place in September's meeting with the following notes for consideration:

- The ICB became an organisation from 1st July 2022
- Steve McManus (RBFT CEO) is the appointed panel member on the ICB Board
- Over the last quarter the UE members have been updated with the progress of ICB recruitment, into the statutory and non-exec posts
- The three Place Exec Directors appointments have been announced:
 - Sarah Webster – Berkshire West
 - Philippa Baker – Buckinghamshire
 - Dan Leveson – Oxfordshire
- Development of Place the Place Based Partnership requires development to become a decision making meeting and meet proposed delegation responsibilities.

Delivery Group

The Delivery Group now meets monthly and has a reporting line into the Unified Executive. The Programme Boards and Integration Boards feed into the Delivery Group.

Community Nursing Service

Reva Stewart – Divisional Director – Adult Community Health Services West and Bernadine Blease - Divisional Director – Adult Community Health Services BHFT presented to the Unified Exec in June and September sharing their vision of community nursing.

There is scope for greater integrated working on how the Community Nursing service integrates and interfaces with primary care. The proposal included recruiting a Project Manager to undertake a more fundamental review of the interface between Primary Care and Community Nursing which the Unified Exec approved in September from their Transformation Fund.

Joint Commissioning

Niki Cartwright – Director of Joint Commissioning Berkshire West ICP updated members on a Joint Funding Protocol in June. They've now reached a point where they are piloting a number of cases from each authority and will report back on findings early Autumn.

GP Representation

Dr Amit Sharma - GP, Primary Care Network Chair, updated members in June to advise that there is now confirmation of the level of support that each 'Place' will receive to allow and enable GP representation and the associated management support. Dr Sharma confirmed clinical time will be covered and there will be enough to provide representation on the different programme boards and initiatives and confirmed there will be a Project Manager allocated to each Place, and one admin to support these three localities.

Dr Sharma added that work is continuing formalising the relationships between the PCN's to have greater integration with the system partners to work more effectively in Primary Care and advised they are currently working on who to elect for the Leadership boards in each Place.

Adult Social Care

In July Matt Pope – Director of Adult Services, Wokingham Borough Council updated members of the proposed Adult Services changes. Matt discussed funding, timescales and operational durability. Matt advised the government is proposing that the reforms largely come in in October 2023 and to do everything at once. This will also require new IT systems that do not exist yet and require Local Authority's to deliver when recruitment is an issue.

The Unified Exec members were advised by Matt that research suggests 39% additional resource would be required to deal with the changes adequately. Matt advised Local Authorities are feeding into the consultation and working with their elected members to raise the issue.

The Unified Executive Chair requested regular updates on this.

Physical Activity

Guest speakers joined the Unified Executive in September to discuss and highlight Physical Activity:

- Brett Nicholls – CEO, Get Berkshire Active
- Professor Harry Rutter – Professor of Global Public Health, Bath University
- Dr Nick Cavill – Public Health Director

Brett advised members that presentations had already been to the Delivery Group and Prevention Group.

Professor Harry Rutter and Dr Nick Cavill who are international experts in this area of work advised Unified Executive members of the variety of workshops and consultative stakeholder engagement exercises that have taken place to try and map the complexity of Physical Activity and how we might add a strategic level with suggestions on how we can take this forward.

The Unified Executive Chair agreed the support of creating cross departmental working groups to take the 4 identified themes forward which will continue through Professor Tracy Daszkiewicz – Public Health Director.

Recommendation

The Health and Wellbeing Boards to note feedback from ICP Unified Executive Group.