Moray Health and Social Care Partnership

Joining up

health and social care in Moray -



The most substantial reform of Scotland's NHS and social care services in modern times is underway.

Here, a new partnership is being formed by NHS Grampian and The Moray Council to join up the planning and delivery of care and support.

This newsletter gives an update on the journey so far and the next steps for the Moray Health and Social Care Partnership as it plans for the future with people who use health and social care services, unpaid carers, the workforce, GPs, the third sector and independent sector.

Help us to make health and social care services work for you, your family and your community.

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The Shadow Integrated Joint Board must have in place a **Strategic Commissioning Plan** by April 2016. A Strategic Planning Group made up of a range of key stakeholders, including people who use services and unpaid carers, was set up in April 2015. The group meets monthly to develop the draft plan and

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reports to the Shadow Integrated Joint Board. The draft plan is being developed with everyone with an interest and will be widely consulted on.

The Shadow Integrated Joint Board developed its **Integration Scheme** document at the end of 2014. The document sets out what integration will look like in Moray, including the functions delegated to the new Health and Social Care Partnership by the council and NHS. Public consultation took place in early 2015 and the finalised document was submitted to the Scottish Government in March.

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The Shadow Integrated Joint Board appointed Pam Gowans as **Chief Officer** in October 2014.

Moray began work to join services in a new Health and Social Care Partnership.

The partnership will be governed by the **Integrated Joint Board** (IJB) which has been operating in shadow form since April 2014. The board has six voting members — three elected councillors and three members of the board of NHS Grampian.

It will take full responsibility for integrated services from April 2016.

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Last year the **Public Bodies (Joint Working) Scotland Act** was passed. Across Scotland local authorities and NHS Boards began working to formally integrate agreed health and social care services.

Our Vision

To enable the people of Moray to lead independent, healthy and fulfilling lives in active and inclusive communities, where everyone is valued, respected and supported to achieve their own goals.

-Shadow Integrated Joint Board



At some point we are all likely to need support with our health and wellbeing so we can live well and independently at home or close to home.

As they age, an increasing number of people in Moray are living with more than one health problem and turn to family, friends and their community along with health and social care services for advice, care and support.

Making sure our services work seamlessly together will mean people get the personal support that's right for them when and where they need it without confusion or delay.

Integration is an opportunity to take forward the good work already happening locally and look for more innovative ways of working together so that we are co-ordinated, efficient and effective in delivering better outcomes for people.

We need to work in closer partnership with patients, service users, unpaid carers, those who provide services and the wider community to ensure we deliver person-centred care that builds on people's strengths and promotes their well-being.

- Pam Gowans, Chief Officer

Among the services to be integrated in Moray are:

- All adult and older people social care services including assessment and support, home care and day care;
- Community and primary care services including community hospitals, community nursing, health promotion, occupational therapy and physiotherapy;
- The planning of some services provided at Dr Gray's Hospital in Elgin.

Next steps on the journey

By the end of 2015 the partnership must have a draft Strategic Plan ready for consultation which says what Moray needs to do to support people to live well and as independently as they wish.

The Strategic Plan will be made in partnership by listening and involving everyone with an interest to make sure we get it right.

It will set out the challenges ahead and how budgets and resources will be used to meet national health and wellbeing outcomes and local priorities agreed by the people of Moray.

The plan will also say more about actively involving people in their communities in deciding the best way to respond to health and social care needs where they live in the future through locality planning.

Community conversations

Chief Officer Pam Gowans will lead discussions on the emerging priorities for health and social care at a series of community engagement workshops in November.

The Moray Community Planning Partnership events will also be a chance for people to review the Moray 2023 plan and help public agencies to plan and deliver better services. The programme is:

Location	Venue	Date	Time
Elgin	Alexander Graham Bell Centre, Moray College	9 Nov	7.00pm – 9.00pm
Lossiemouth	Lossiemouth High School	10 Nov	7.00pm – 9.00pm
Dufftown	Memorial Hall	11 Nov	7.00pm – 9.00pm
Buckie	Buckie High School	16 Nov	7.00pm – 9.00pm
Fochabers	Milne's High School	17 Nov	7.00pm – 9.00pm
Forres	Forres Academy	18 Nov	7.00pm – 9.00pm
Keith	Keith Grammar School	19 Nov	7.00pm – 9.00pm

Come and see us at our stand at the Older People's Information Fayre in Elgin Town Hall on 29 October from 10am to 4pm.

You can contact us at any time with comments and ideas.

Email: involvement@moray.gov.uk Call: 01343 567187

Write to: Involvement, Moray Health and Social Care Partnership, Spynie Hospital, Duffus Road, Elgin IV30 5PW.

See the website for more information on integration and ways to have your say and get involved.

www.moray.gov.uk/integration