REPORT TO:	HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD (CROYDON)
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SUBJECT:	South West London Collaborative Commissioning Update
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BOARD PRIORITY/POLICY CONTEXT:

NHS England has issued planning guidance requiring a five year Sustainability and Transformation Plan to be produced by Strategic Planning Groups, which comprise:

- CCGs, Providers, Primary Care colleagues, Better Health for London, Specialised Commissioning, Local Education Training Board (LETB)
- Local authorities (Health and Wellbeing Boards) and Health and Overview Committees
- Members of the local community: patients and the public, Healthwatch and Voluntary Sector organisations
- Health prevention and Health promotion (Public Health England)

This update sets out the process proposed for developing this plan, and progress made in delivering the previous strategy published in June 2014.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

No financial proposals at this stage.

1. RECOMMENDATIONS

This report is for information only.

2. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 2.1 In June 2014 the South West London Commissioners published a five year strategy and have been working to deliver it since that point.
- 2.2 As part of the South West London Strategic Planning Group, this five year strategy is being refreshed for the period 2016/17 to 2021/22.
- 2.3 Health and Wellbeing Boards and Local Authorities will be closely involved in the development and delivery of this strategy.

3. DETAIL

3.1 The NHS in South West London is working on a long term plan to improve local health services. In February 2014 the six South West London NHS Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs) – Croydon, Kingston, Merton, Richmond, Sutton and Wandsworth – and the health commissioners from NHS England (London) agreed to work together with hospitals, mental health, primary and community care service, local councils, local people and patients to improve health services for everyone in South West London. The partnership between the CCGs and NHS England has been known as the South West London Commissioning Collaborative (SWLCC). In June 2014 SWLCC published a five year strategy to improve services and since that point have been taking forward this work.

- 3.2 A South West London Acute Provider Collaborative (APC) was established during 2014/15 to enable the South West London acute providers to work collaboratively together to respond proactively to the Commissioner's plan. South West London Out of Hospital providers have also been meeting during 2015 to discuss their response to the issues faced by the local NHS.
- 3.3 Since the summer of 2015 local NHS commissioners and providers have been in discussions as to how they could best work together in the future to address the challenges faced by the NHS in South West London. The commissioners and providers in South West London are now required to form a Strategic Planning Group and produce a revised five year strategy for 2016/17-2021/22 the Sustainability and Transformation Plan.
- 3.4 Surrey Downs have been included in the discussions because they, along with Sutton CCG and Merton CCG, commission services from Epsom and St Helier Hospital, and also commission services from Kingston Hospital. Similarly, all SWL CCGs commission elective service from the South West London Elective Orthopaedic Centre (SWLEOC) at Epsom Hospital.
- 3.5 Although Surrey Downs is not included in the South West London Strategic Planning Group, it has a key role as an associate commissioner. The elements of South West London's Sustainability and Transformation Plan that have an impact on Surrey Downs will therefore be managed in partnership with Surrey Downs in the South West London and Surrey Downs Healthcare Partnership programme, which was formed in late 2015.
- 3.6 Health and Wellbeing Boards and Local Authorities have an important role to play within the Strategic Planning Group and South West London and Surrey Downs Healthcare Partnership Programme and are included in the governance arrangements described in this presentation.
- 3.7 The providers and commissioners have also been working with NHS England, Monitor and the Trust Development Authority who are supportive of this approach.
- 3.8 The objectives of the Sustainability and Transformation Plan and the South West London and Surrey Downs Healthcare Partnership programme, and the benefits to be delivered, will build on the five year strategy already published by the SWLCC, which seeks to put the health economy on to a clinically and financially sustainable footing, addressing workforce and quality issues.
- 3.9 This presentation provides a summary of:
 - The requirement to produce a revised five year strategy to replace that published in June 2014
 - The footprint on which this strategy will be produced
 - The governance arrangements for agreeing the strategy and overseeing its delivery
 - Progress made to date in delivering change in South West London and in engaging with patients and the public

4. CONSULTATION

4.1 Members of the public have been engaged with through the publication of an Issues Paper; six 'Deliberative Events' run in September 2015 to discuss the challenges raised in the Issues Paper; as well as engagement by CCGs with local voluntary and patient groups.

5. SERVICE INTEGRATION

5.1 The programme will consider service integration in the development of proposals.

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