

Manchester Provider Board Update

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Dear Colleague,

Over the summer, we've been working with partner organisations, our neighbourhood communities and our staff, to shape the strategy for the new Local Care Organisation (LCO) in Manchester, and to develop a business case for our commissioners so that we can 'go live' from April 2018. I look forward to sharing these plans with you very soon. In the meantime, I thought it would be helpful to share this short presentation with you – to explain more about the work we've been doing, and our vision for the future.

This is an exciting time for all of us. The creation of the LCO provides a ground-breaking opportunity to secure a better deal for health and care, and to improve lives by building services based around the needs, aspirations and talents of the people in our city. We've been hugely encouraged by the contributions and support we have received from those involved so far – everyone has an important role to play in creating this new future for Manchester.

Our strategy has two key aims; to deliver better care, closer to home, across the city and to positively contribute to improving health for the people of Manchester.

Our neighbourhood workshops have provided a strong foundation for learning from people who live and work in each area of Manchester. These events generated a wealth of ideas, goals and principles that we will continue to build on.

Our aim is for each neighbourhood to have a clear plan for their local area, together with an Integrated Neighbourhood Team (INT) to work with people and communities in the local area to ensure the plan is delivered.

I look forward to continuing to work together with you, to improve outcomes, services and experiences for the people of Manchester, through this once-in-a-generation opportunity.



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