



PETITIONS, DEPUTATIONS AND QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

MEETING: RUTLAND HEALTH AND WELLBEING BOARD

MEETING DATE: 24 January 2023

No.	Petition, deputation or question	Name of Speaker	On Behalf Of
1	Question	Jennifer Fenelon	Chair of the Rutland Health and Social Care Policy Consortium 7 Stockerston Road, Uppingham, Rutland, LE15 9UD

DETAILS

The Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland (LLR) 5 Year Forward Plan is due to be finalised by end June 2023 and will govern how capital and revenue is spent over the next 5 years across LLR. It will be derived from inter alia: - Place needs assessments (JSNAs), 'Place' plans and the Integrated Care Board (ICB) Strategy.

After over 2 years' preparation has the Rutland HWB yet completed translation of its Place Strategy into firm capital and revenue proposals to go out for consultation in April?

We are confident that your Place Plan implementation proposals, when known, will be supported by Rutland people.

RESPONSE

The LLR Joint Five Year Plan will set out how healthcare will be delivered across LLR over the next five years and needs to take account of both the place based JSNA's and the Health and Wellbeing Strategies.

The guidance for the Joint Plan requires Health and Wellbeing Boards to consider and comment on the plan.

As a HWB we will see the draft in due course and we are working together in order to make sure the plans align. Exact details of the timing of the draft plan coming to the Health and Wellbeing Board is being considered but this will need to take into account the local election period.

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2	Question	Air Cdre Miles Williamson-Noble	Chair, Rutland First Manor Farm Pickworth Stamford PE9 4DJ

DETAILS

The report on the Adult Social Care Discharge Fund at Agenda Item 11 shows that Rutland will be receiving £155,271 via the ICB and £113,100 directly as a Local Authority from the £700M allocated nationally to address the issue of patients fit for discharge remaining in hospital.

What proposals have been submitted for the use of this money and what outcomes are expected?

RESPONSE

£500m

This is the Better Care Fund Adult Social Care Discharge Fund, the aim of which is to support timely and safe discharge from hospital by reducing the number of people delayed in hospital awaiting social care. Rutland received £130,100 as the Local Authority Grant and £155,271 as the ICB contribution.

A report on how Rutland as a Place and LLR as a System have responded to this is covered on item 11 of the agenda of this meeting. There has been a proactive response by working with partners to identify schemes to promote timely discharges from hospital. The funding has enabled the commissioning of four beds at Rutland Care Village for the purpose of reablement. This is helping to facilitate discharges from hospitals, given the pressure in the system with the shortage of community rehabilitation beds at community hospital sites.

£200m

This is Discharge Funding for Step Down. The fund is designed to increase capacity in post-discharge care and support improved discharge performance, patient safety, experience and outcomes.

Through use of this fund, ICBs are expected to deliver reductions in the number of patients who remain in hospital but do not need to be there, and improvements in patient flow, to help waiting times in emergency departments and handover delay. The ICBs have complete discretion in how the funding should be utilised. Direction from NHSE is that ICBs should commence the actions required to deliver this additional capacity immediately. Rutland County Council (RCC) will be working with NHS colleagues to plan how to utilise this funding through the commissioning of step-down beds.

The Rutland County Council discharge team use E-Track to track the patient journey through Peterborough City Hospital (PCH) and is in the process of registering with Nerve Centre, the equivalent for the University Hospitals of Leicester (UHL). This assists with tracking patients through hospital and preparing for discharge planning. RCC receives daily situation reports (SITREPs) from PCH and UHL and there is a good working relationship with Kettering General Hospital.

Data Context

The following data highlights the number and status of Rutland residents in Peterborough City Hospital (PCH) and University Hospitals Leicester (UHL).

16 January 2023PCH - 5 delays

- 1 awaiting Continuing Health Care (CHC) fast track funding (Health)
- 2 awaiting inpatient rehabilitation (Health)
- 2 awaiting domiciliary care (RCC)

UHL - 0 delays**24 January 2023**PCH - 3 delays

- 1 CHC fast track (Health)
- 1 awaiting outcome from care home, family sourcing self-funding (neither Health nor RCC)
- 1 awaiting domiciliary care restart (RCC)

UHL – 0 delays

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