

Buckinghamshire Community Services

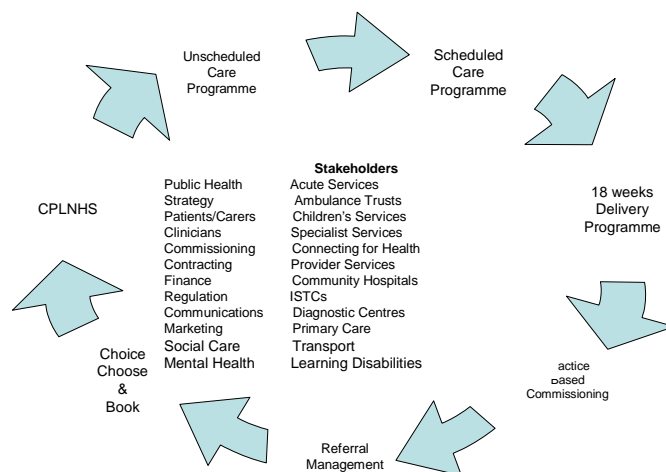
Strategic Reform & Commissioning Intentions

Our Aims

1. Ensure the earliest possible partnership approach to achieving care closer to home for the population of Buckinghamshire
2. Outline the broad principles which need to be developed together
3. Ask for your thoughts and support

Policy Context

1. Clinicians in the driving seat of change to deliver new style services
2. Patients empowered through overview
3. Engagement and choice achieved by effective communications
4. Marketing to understand and challenge proposed patient pathways
5. Ensuring plurality in the health market



Strategic Intent for Community Services

1. Focus on the prevention of ill health
2. Be increasing the provision of care in community settings
3. Ensure services are effective, safe and that the quality can be measured
4. Demonstrate engagement with the public in shaping how services will be delivered across the whole care pathways and integrates with other services.

Specifically for Community Services

1. Maximum use of all community services
2. Focus on services not buildings, its people that deliver care
3. Work with all of our clinical teams
4. Support renewal of community services in areas that are not well serviced
5. Effectively commission from a wide range of service providers

Early commitments given to Stakeholders

- Secure future for our existing five community hospitals – Buckingham, Chalfont and Gerrards Cross, Marlow, Thame, and Waterside Unit
- Move forward with Chesham healthzone
- Mapping Primary and community services in Wycombe and Aylesbury
- Emphasis on redesigning pathways of care to improve efficiencies