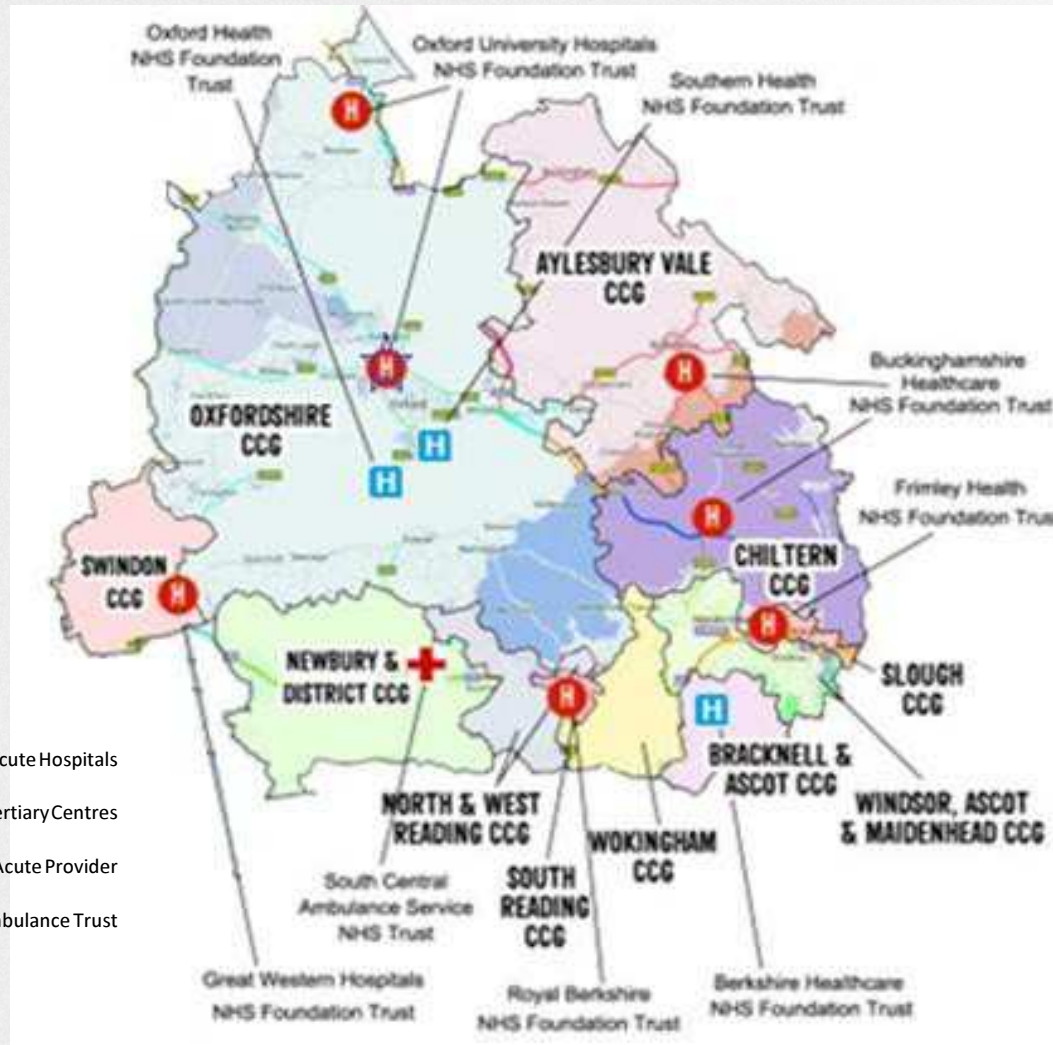


# Buckinghamshire Integrated Care System

**Cancer Update  
Health & Wellbeing Board, December 2018**



# Thames Valley Cancer Alliance footprint



- 2.3 million population
- 3 STPs (whole /partial)
- 4 CCGs
- 1 Tertiary Provider
- 5 Provider Trusts
  
- Of Note, CCGs have reduced from 11 to 4



# Our Vision

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To create a region that secures and delivers  
the best possible outcomes for every patient *affected by cancer by working  
together to maximise resources, to deliver the best possible, clinically-led and  
patient driven health and social care so that every person affected by cancer in  
Thames Valley receives the best possible outcomes*



# Key Ambitions

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By March 2021:

- **Reduce** adult smoking prevalence to **10.8%** from 15.4% (30% reduction based on projected 2021 population)
- **Increase** the proportion of patients with a recorded cancer stage to **80%**
- **Deliver the 28 day standard - 95% of patients** referred for testing by a GP are definitively diagnosed with cancer, or cancer is excluded, within four weeks
- **Every person with cancer** has access to all four elements of the **Recovery Package**
- **Increase** one-year survival for all cancers to **75%** from 72.5%
- **Increase** the numbers of patients surviving ten years or more **by 1400 (57%)**
- **Increase** the proportion of cancers diagnosed at **stage 1&2 to 75%**

## Strategic Development of Cancer Care

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The “Five Year Forward View” led to the development of Cancer Alliances nationally to strategically lead and facilitate the improvement of cancer care for the whole population – engaging with populations and health systems to improve access and care. Improving cancer survival beyond 5 years.

Thames Valley Cancer Alliance (TVCA) was developed as our regional alliance working with systems in Buckinghamshire, Oxfordshire, Berkshire and Swindon.

In 2017 Thames Valley Cancer Alliance successfully secured £9.07million from the National Cancer Modernisation Fund to support the delivery of priority areas identified by the Independent Cancer Report: ***Earlier Diagnosis, the Recovery Package, stratified follow up pathways***

Priorities include:

- Sustainable achievement of the 62 day referral to treatment standard through pathway redesign
- earlier diagnosis of cancer and improving outcomes for cancer patients through screening, diagnostic and capacity improvement.
- Implementation of stratified follow up pathways and the living with and beyond cancer model of care



## Buckinghamshire ICS and TVCA

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The Buckinghamshire Integrated Care System has facilitated collaborative working to support TVCA and the national strategy for improving cancer care and access. To date, a local strategy board has been assembled and includes representation from patients, CCG, BHT, PHE, NHSE, TVCA, Cancer Research UK and Macmillan. The group has developed a Buckinghamshire strategy that complements the national one and provides local context and focus. This has paved the way for delivery of TVCA's priorities.

Working with TVCA, the Bucks ICS has initiated a programme of work, utilising funds made available by TVCA. The programme focuses on key areas:

- Development of Diagnostics Services (using a Vague Symptoms Clinic consistent with the Oxford model and planning for a Rapid Diagnostic Centre)
- Development of pathways (UGI, LGI, Prostate and Lung)
- Supporting primary care and communities to improve screening and early detection (using QIS)
- LWBC – Supporting primary and secondary care to discharge and support patients using risk stratified pathways.
- LWBC – working with Macmillan to improve patient experience and care following diagnosis and treatment through better communication and coordination.



## Progress in Buckinghamshire

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The Buckinghamshire Integrated Care System has already made significant progress in delivering its programme of work, supported by TVCA. To date we have:

- Employed resource to allow focus on delivering work streams.
- Developed new pathways through urology and lung.
- Engaged with practices and populations of greater need to improve screening.
- Created additional diagnostic capacity.
- Implemented recovery packages for patients with breast cancer.
- Facilitated public and patient engagement events to support the development of LWBC work streams.
- Recovery and achievement of the 62 day standard for August and September.

### Next steps

The TVCA programme of work will continue over the next 2-3 years to achieve sustained improvement in access, care and quality. Further engagement with communities and primary care are planned to improve screening and early detection of cancer. Further pathway redesign will be undertaken to improve care and outcomes – focusing on breast and prostate. Our LWBC work stream will continue to take steps to improve support for patients with cancer and those living beyond cancer.



# How are we performing? (August 2018 data)

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE CCG						
2018-19	National Standard	*NHS E agreed Bucks CCG trajectory	Report Month	Report Period Actual	Year to Date	Commentary
INDICATOR						
<b>Cancer patients</b>						
Cancer - 2 week wait	93%		Aug	94.9%	94.6%	
Cancer - Breast symptoms 2 week wait	93%			100.0%	91.1%	
Cancer - 31 day first definitive treatment	96%			97.3%	96.2%	
Cancer - 31 day subsequent treatment - surgery	94%			93.8%	89.5%	30 out of 32 patients seen within standard.
Cancer - 31 day subsequent treatment - drug	98%			100.0%	99.7%	
Cancer - 31 day subsequent treatment - radiotherapy	94%			96.0%	96.1%	
Cancer - 62 day - Urgent GP Referral to 1st Definitive Treatment	85%			86.7%	80.6%	
Cancer - 62 day - Screening	90%			80.0%	85.9%	20 out of 25 patients seen within standard.
Please note: RAG rating for all Monthly standards will be against NHS E agreed local trajectory if included/YTD RAG rating is against National Standard.						

Performance is improving month by month and is a positive picture

