



South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw Sustainability and Transformation Plan

An overview

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What is health and care like today in South Yorkshire and Bassetlaw?



Big improvements in the last 15 years



People with cancer and heart conditions are getting better care and living longer



Waits are shorter, people are more satisfied



We are proud of our local services and the huge progress we've made



However...



People's needs are changing



New treatments are emerging



The quality of care is variable



Preventable illness is widespread



**We believe that to improve care
for people, health and care
services need to work more
closely together, and in new ways**

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Working in this way, we will also be able to contribute to the region's economic growth, helping people to get and stay in work.





Local plans for better
health and care are
Sustainability and
Transformation Plans
(STPs)



They are the local
version of the national
plan, called the NHS
Five Year Forward
View



74,000 staff across health and social care



10,000 voluntary sector organisations



208 GP practices



5 clinical commissioning groups



5 local authorities



5 foundation trusts



5 Healthwatch



4 mental health trusts



2 associate hospitals/ 2 ambulance services





We're in the very early stages of looking at how we can address the challenges facing our health and care services and improve the health of our population





We want to **improve health and wellbeing** for everyone





We have high levels of deprivation, unhealthy lifestyles and too many people dying prematurely and from preventable diseases



Smoking and alcohol consumption are issues for our region



We have higher than average deaths in people under 75 from cancer, heart disease and mental illness



Our childhood poverty levels are significantly higher than the national average



We want to support people to choose healthier lifestyles – by making it easier to get expert advice and access to free healthy living schemes. And to help them connect and develop local links and networks in their neighbourhoods



We want to **improve the quality**
of care people receive

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We know that quality, experience and outcomes can vary and be disjointed from one service to another



We have some good CQC feedback for our services, but we know there are areas for improvement



We know that people want their health and care support and treatment in a place and at a time that is right for them



This means care at home, or closer to home and not in a hospital



We want the same quality of service for people, as close to them as possible



We want to **ensure our services are efficient**

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We face financial pressures and our hospitals and other organisations are struggling to balance the books



Rising demand for care, more people with complex conditions means they need more complex treatment



Extra money has been provided but we still estimate a significant gap in the next four years



We need to find new and better ways to meet the needs of local people



This doesn't mean doing less for patients or reducing the quality of care. Rather, it means more preventative care, bringing care out of hospitals and closer to home



Our thinking so far...



It starts with where people live, in their neighbourhoods focusing on people staying well





We want to introduce new services



Improve co-ordination between services that exist



Support people most at risk



Adapt our workforce to better meet health and care needs of people in their homes and clinics

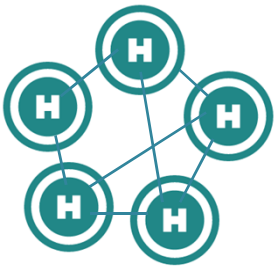


At the same time, everyone should have better access to high quality care in specialist centres and get the same standards, experience and outcomes





We will work together more closely



We will develop a networked approach to services



No matter where people live, they will get the same care and treatment



People with mental health and learning disabilities will be treated with respect and regard





We will treat them with the same respect and regard as those with physical health issues



They will have the same access to services



We will improve their life chances



We will develop and support our staff

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We will create a flexible workforce



Coming together in neighbourhood hubs and specialist centres



Offering the best and most appropriate care



What next?



We will further develop our understanding of the three gaps including resources early- October



We expect local conversations with patients, voluntary groups and partners to have progressed by mid-October



We expect to develop our STP ambitions further by mid October



We expect to develop firm proposals and to share these more widely in the New Year



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