PERMANENT SECRETARY INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES 2012/13

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Business delivery objectives: Performance Measures: Milestones: Set Direction: Supporting the Coalition Government's priorities, including through support for new organisations and managing change effectively. 1. To lead the development of the new commissioning • Development of strategy which enables • Full or partial authorisation for all CCGs system including building the Board itself, supporting the establishment of Clinical Commissioning by April 2013 development of Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs), **Groups and Commissioning Support Units** • Board to take up full role April 2013 and supporting a new system of commissioning support. • NHS Commissioning Board development 2. To oversee the broader transition including the • Completion of majority of FT pipeline by • Foundation Trust (FT) pipeline development of the new provider system, new education • NHS Trust Development Authority (NTDA) 2014 and training system and extension of choice and information • NTDA operational by April 2013 establishment system. • Health Education England (HEE) • HEE operational by April 2013 • Strategic Health Authority (SHA) and establishment Primary Care Trusts (PCTs) closedown by April 2013 3. To continue to advise on and develop policy. Completion of information strategy • Development of secondary legislation. Deliver Results Delivering business plan commitments, including efficiencies, and contributing to a reduction in the fiscal deficit. 4. To ensure delivery of key financial, performance and • Detailed measures from 2012/13 Operating quality measures across the NHS as set out in the Quarterly results published Framework 2012/13 Operating Framework. 5. To oversee the 2013/14 planning process and the

| development of objectives and enabling policies. 6. To improve the uptake of clinically and cost-effective innovations in the NHS, and embed a culture that encourages and values research and innovation and partnerships with industry. | Completion of national process on planning assumptions and objectives, based on Commissioning Board mandate Establishment of Academic Health Science Networks (AHSN's) Working with UK Trade and Investment (UKTI), the establishment of a proactive, entrepreneurial NHS Global (Healthcare UK) Increased patient recruitment to research and increased performance of the NHS in initiating and delivering clinical research to time and target Introduction of a new legal duty for Clinical Commissioning Groups(CCGs) and the NHS Commissioning Board to promote innovation | National process complete by end 2012; local plans agreed by Apr 2013 Establishment of AHSNs by April 2013 Establishment of NHS Global during summer 2012 Increased patient recruitment and performance by April 2013 Legal duties to apply from October 2012 for the Board and April 2013 for CCGs |
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| 2. Corporate objectives: | Performance Measures: | |
| Live our Values: | | |
| 1. Working with the Department of Health (DH) Permanent Secretary, to oversee a programme to develop common purpose between the key national organisations in the reformed health and social care system in order to improve coherence and alignment. | Develop strong relationships with our external stakeholders Establish effective ways of working with the new organisations in the health and care system | |
| 3. Capability building objectives: | Performance Measures: | |
| Develop People: Improving staff engagement and building departmental capability. 1. To oversee the transition of staff to the new NHS Commissioning Board, ensuring there is sufficient capacity to deliver the range of the Board's functions and that key talent is retained | Completion of senior appointments Development of organisational development | |

2. To oversee **leadership development** and the transition to the Leadership Academy

 • Establishment of Leadership Academy