

## Learning Disability Programme Board Meeting 7<sup>th</sup> March 2013

### Key actions and milestones progress update

#### Background

1. This is the first meeting of the Learning Disability Programme Board since publication of *Transforming Care: A national response to Winterbourne View hospital*. This paper summarises the main progress made since the last Programme Board meeting. It includes:
  - A summary of key achievements in the last period:
  - A chart setting out the high level programme structure (**Annex A**):
  - high level plan and milestones for 2013 (**Annex B**)Progress update reports are tabled as a separate paper (LDPB(13)(03)).

Following the pre-meeting with the two forums, we will also be producing a paper to show which actions are for people with learning disabilities or autism and a mental health condition or behaviour that challenges, and which are for all people with learning disabilities. We will circulate this within the next month.

#### Publications

2. *Transforming Care: A national response to Winterbourne View hospital* was published on 10 December 2012. Other documents published at the same time included:
  - a Concordat with over 50 organisations which sets out the actions each organisation will take to deliver change
  - Good Practice Case studies:
  - a summary of evidence submitted to the review from the National Forum of People with Learning Disabilities and the National Valuing Families
  - easy read versions of the final report and Concordat
  - the impact assessment.

The reports can be found at:

<http://www.dh.gov.uk/health/2012/12/final-winterbourne/>

### **Project governance**

3. We are developing revised terms of reference for the Learning Disability Programme Board and project documentation as the programme develops and the Joint Improvement Team is fully in place. The Post Winterbourne View Project Board has met twice to discuss arrangements and to look at progress.
4. The attached annexes include:
  - A draft diagram setting out our current plans for the programme structures and workstrand themes (**Annex A**); and
  - A draft high level plan of key milestones for 2013 (**Annex B**).

### **Progress on the programme actions**

5. We have a table of all programme actions by workstrand theme which will be available at the Programme Board meeting. This sets out by theme, all the actions in the Winterbourne View Review Report plus actions that are set out in the Concordat which are identified separately. It will be a living document and updated on a regular basis.
6. This will be used to develop a plan and feed into the agendas for the programme board. It will help us to:
  - ensure the right information and issues are discussed at the right time;
  - support the recording and tracking of progress at a high level;
  - make sure nothing is lost or missed out; and
  - monitor risks and issues.

### **Detailed reports**

7. Progress updates for the separate workstrand themes are tabled as a separate paper (LDPB(13)(03)). Because there are lots of actions we have grouped them into 7 workstrands to help us keep track more easily:
  - Right care, right place (including the Joint Improvement Programme)
  - Regulation, inspection and corporate responsibility
  - Good practice, standards and advocacy

- Restraint, medication and positive behaviour support
- Children and transition
- Information and data and
- Workforce

8. These reports are rated as Green:

**Green**

- Right care, right place;
- Regulation, inspection and corporate responsibility;
- Good practice, standards and advocacy;
- Restraint, medication and positive behaviour support and
- Children and transition.

9. These reports are rated as amber/green:

- Information and data
- Workforce

**Amber**

**Green**

## Summary highlights

10. The key activities since the last Programme Board include:

- The Joint Improvement Programme has been established and Chris Bull has been appointed Programme Director and the Joint Improvement Board has met twice.
- The NHS Contract was published in January for consultation. The technical guidance includes Quality of Health Principles.
- The National Quality Board guidance has been updated in the light of the Winterbourne View report
- The National Market Development Forum within the Think Local, Act Personal (TLAP) partnership. published *Be Bold, developing the market for the small numbers of people with very complex needs*, on 12 December.
- ADASS published guidance in December 2012 to empower members of Safeguarding Adults Boards, Health and Wellbeing Boards and Learning Disability Partnership Boards.

## **Priorities for the next period**

11. Planned activities for the next period include:
  - PCTs to develop registers of all people with challenging behaviour by end March
  - Care reviews completed by 1 June 2013
  - CQC to set out new operation of regulatory model
  - Provider roundtable 26<sup>th</sup> March
  - Ministerial meeting on good practice projects on 30 April
  - Local Healthwatch organisations begin wef 1 April 2013.
  - Commission work on audit, KPIs and minimum data set.