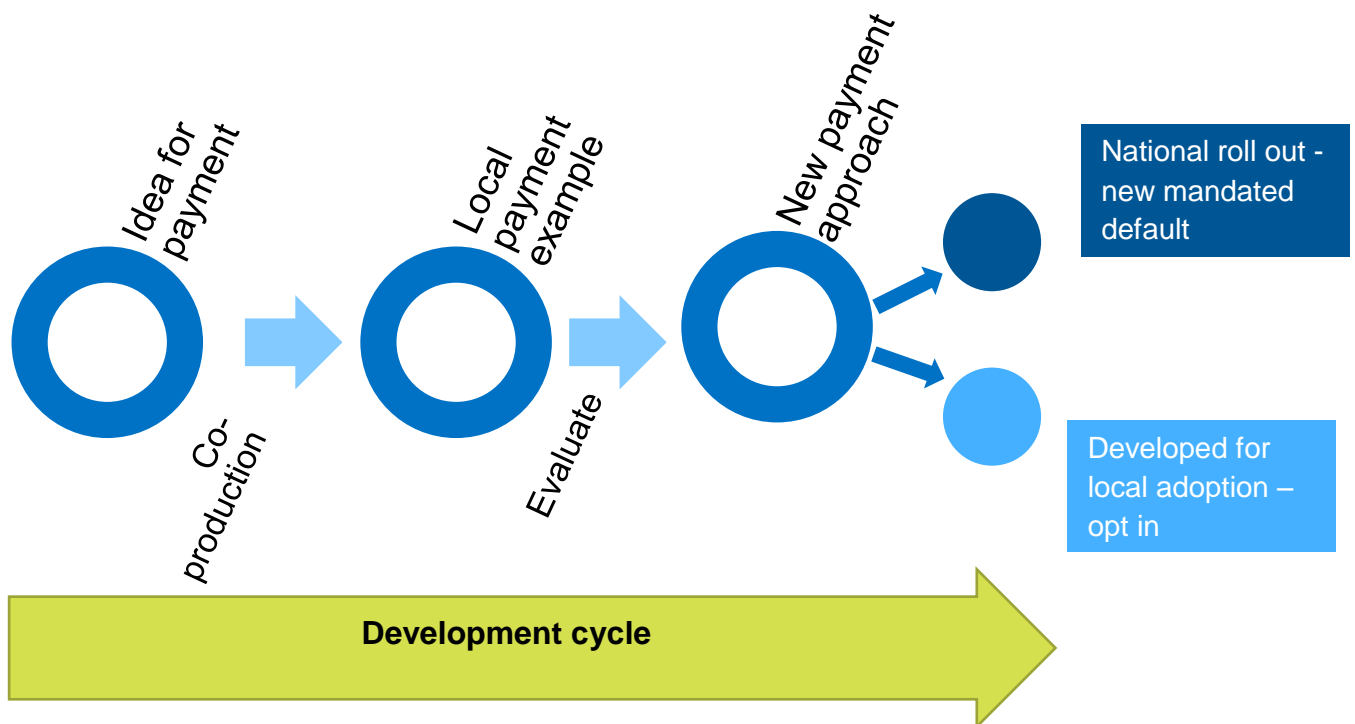


From local payment examples to new payment approaches

To support local health and care economies make the rapid shift to new care models and the payment approaches needed to underpin them we have developed a number of local payment examples for:

- the delivery of integrated care
- the development of urgent and emergency care networks
- improvements in mental healthcare to establish parity of esteem.

These examples have been informed by the experiences of health and care economies in England and around the world.



In recognition of the pivotal role of the payment system in the adoption of new care models, we will refine the payment examples as we learn more from local health economies that implement these new models.

Following this process we will publish **new payment approaches** with one of two purposes. First, they could be developed nationally for local health economies to use on a voluntary basis and second, they could be rolled out as a nationally-mandated default. The latter will be informed by an evaluation of lessons learned by areas using the local payment examples.

Note on use of these local payment examples

Local providers and commissioners looking to implement the new payment approaches set out in these examples while they are in their current development stage must follow the rules and principles for locally determined prices set out in Section 7.1 of the National Tariff Payment System.

This includes a requirement to send to Monitor and publish any locally agreed payment arrangements that diverge from the national prices set by Monitor.

Commissioners should also ensure that they follow the framework set out in the National Health Service (Procurement, Patient Choice and Competition) (No 2) Regulations 2013.

Guidance by Monitor on these regulations is at https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/28352005/SubstantiveGuidanceDec2013_0.pdf.

More on local payment examples is available at <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/different-payment-approaches-to-support-new-care-models>