Proposals for initial segmentation

*Starred organisations are new proposals for category B.

1) Acute trusts

Acutetrusts(56)					
A1(7)	A2(18)	A3(14)	B1(4)	B2(5)	C(8)
Royal Liverpool	Ipswich	West Hertfordshire	North Cumbria	Bedford	United Lincolnshire
St Helen's & Knowsley	East & North Hertfordshire	North Staffordshire	Weston Area	Hinchingbrooke Healthcare	Mid Essex
Oxford University Hospitals	Sandwell & West Birmingham	University Hospitals Leicester	West Middlesex	George Eliot	Wye Valley
Surrey & Sussex Healthcare	Walsall	Northampton General	Royal National Orthopaedic *	East Cheshire *	Shrewsbury & Telford
St George's	Royal Wolverhampton	Worcestershire Acute		Dartford & Gravesham	Princess Alexandra
North Middlesex	Coventy & Warwickshire	Pennine Acute			East Sussex
Imperial College	Nottingham University	Plymouth Hospitals			Croydon Health Services
	Hull & East Yorkshire	Maidstone & Tunbridge Wells			The Whittington
	Southport & Ormskirk	North Bristol			
	East Lancashire	Royal Cornwall			
	Leeds Teaching Hospitals	Barking, Havering & Redbridge			
	Mid Yorkshire Hospitals	London Northwest			
	North Devon Healthcare	Barts Health			
	Portsmouth	Lewisham & Greenwich			
	Isle of Wight				
	Brighton & Sussex				
	Buckinghamshire				
	Epsom & St Helier				

2) Non-acute trusts

Non-acute trusts (37)					
A1 (23)	A2 (5)	A3 (2)	B1 (4)	B2 (1)	C (2)
Birmingham Community	East of England Ambulance	Stoke & Staffs Partnership	Liverpool Community *	Manchester Mental Health*	North Staffs Combined
Leciester Partnership	East Midlands Ambulance	London Ambulance	Torbay & South Devon		Cambridge Community
Nottinghamshire Healthcare	Shropshire Community		Barnet, Enfield & Haringey *		
Worcestershire Health & Care	Avon & Wiltshire Partnership		Hounslow & Richmond *		
Norfolk Community	Gloucestershire Community				
Dudley & Walsall					
Coventry & Warwickshire					
Lincolnshire Community					
Hertfordshire Community					
Bradford District					
Mersey Care					
Wirral Community					
Leeds Community					
Yorkshire Ambulance					
Northwest Ambulance					
Devon Partnership					
Kent Community					
Solent					
Kent Partnership					
Sussex Community					
SW London Mental Health					
West London Mental Health					

Agreed approach to segmentation

A1
Organisations with a clear and credible plan for reaching Foundation Trust status and a timeline of less than two years for doing so

A2
Organisations with a clear and credible plan for reaching Foundation Trust status and a timeline of less than four years for doing so

A3
Organisations with the potential to reach Foundation Trust status but which lack a clear plan for doing so. A small, time-limited group for intensive development support

B1
Organisations that cannot reach Foundation Trust status in their current form and where acquisition by another organisation is likely to be the best route to sustainability

B2
As with B1 but where a franchise, management contract or other innovative organisational form is likely to be the best route to sustainability

C
Organisations where further work is needed to determine the best route to sustainability. This would be a small, time-limited group.

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