

Integrated Care System

Nottingham & Nottinghamshire

Our five year plan for the health and care system in Nottingham & Nottinghamshire 2019/2020 – 2024/2025

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We are living longer, but not always healthier and happier.

Everyone in Nottingham and Nottinghamshire deserves to live well into their old age.

Our five year strategy sets out a new shared vision for everyone working in health and care. It's an ambitious plan and one that we're very excited about. We truly believe it will enable people to live longer, healthier and happier lives across our City and County.

Our staff are our greatest asset. That's 35,000 people locally including NHS workers, social care colleagues plus everyone in the public, private and voluntary sectors.

We need to be collaborative, creative and courageous. By breaking down organisational barriers we will improve the health of our local population, whilst spending public money wisely.

As a health and care system, we have been tasked with turning the ambitions of the NHS Long Term Plan into reality at a local level. Our funding is increasing over the next five years by 26% to £3.2 billion, however costs are expected to increase by over 37%.

We know that access to and quality of healthcare services are only a small contributor to health outcomes. It is our deprived communities that have the greatest range of factors that impact adversely on the health of individuals, families and communities. A key challenge for our system is tackling the inequalities that exist in healthy life expectancy.

This summary version explains our priority areas which include a greater focus on preventing illness such as Type 2 diabetes; addressing the inequalities in mental health services and making sure people are seen in the right place, at the right time.

NHS staff, patients and partners have shaped our plan and we would like to thank those who shared their views.

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Our Triple Aim

- 1. Improving the health and wellbeing of our population
- 2. Improving the quality of care and life for our people and their carers
- Improving how effectively we use our resources

 including finances, workforce, estates and technology – to provide high quality, efficient and sustainable care



Our Challenges

Our health is influenced by where we live, learn, work and play. By working together with health, local government and the voluntary sector we must tackle health inequalities.





Our Workforce

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"We're cutting smoking, limiting alcohol-related A&E admissions and reducing obesity through better targeted services."

Priority 1:

Preventing illness and tackling health inequalities

We've set out new commitments to prevent the conditions that represent the biggest demand on our NHS and social care services. Smoking remains England's biggest killer and nearly two-thirds of adults are overweight or obese.

The best way to ensure a long life in good health is to have the best start in life – a decent education, a warm and loving home and an income sufficient to meet our needs. We are seeing an exciting move to 'population health management' which is about using data to identify people who would most benefit from changes in their external environment that impact on their health. "We're giving people more control over their health and more personalised care when they need it"

Priority 2:

Greater proactive care, selfmanagement and personalised care

Our teams are being equipped to deliver more personalised care. We recognise that a one-size-fitsall approach does not meet the increasing complexity of people's needs and expectations.

We are seeing the introduction of social prescribing. This includes Link Workers helping patients to access community groups and other activities to tackle their health issues. We are also seeing the acceleration of personal health budgets and new technology, such as the NHS App. "We're boosting outof-hospital care to reduce pressure on emergency hospital services."

Priority 3: Urgent and Emergency Care

We need to make sure patients get the care they need, fast, and to relieve pressure on A&Es. Many people who attend A&E are likely to be better treated outside of hospital. A great example of this is our Call for Care service which helps patients avoid a hospital admission through a two-hour response to their care needs – this is being rolled out across the whole of our area.

We are also building on our work with local councils and social care to accelerate hospital discharges which will help free up pressure on hospital beds. "We'll narrow the gap between serious mental illness life expectancy and the rest of the population by 3 years."



Priority 4:

Mental Health

Our focus for mental health services includes physical health checks for people living with severe mental illness and extended support for new mums with specialist community care.

We are rolling out Mental Health Support Teams to 43 schools in South Nottinghamshire to offer pupils increased access to emotional and wellbeing support. These schools are the first in Nottinghamshire to test this model, and learning from these trailblazers will inform the future rollout of the scheme across the City and County. "Our funding is increasing over the next five years by 26% to £3.2 billion, however costs are expected to increase by over 37%"

Priority 5:

Value, resilience and sustainability

We are committed to getting the most out of taxpayers' investment in the NHS. We will all need to work differently to maximise the impact of taxpayers' money – this includes things like creating shared 'back-office' activities, making the most of our buildings and land and working together to make it easier to hold follow-up appointments over the phone and standardise the way care is delivered across our area.

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