## We make 15 recommendations under four broad headings, outlined below from our <a href="UWE">UWE</a>

Implementing an asset-based approach: shifting culture through climate acknowledges that the work of the ICS and bringing its vision into being is premised on a shift from treating illness to promoting wellness. This involves staff working differently and this shift in approach should be reflected internally in organisational/system cultures, leadership and approaches to improvement and innovation. We make three recommendations in support of this:

- 1. Promoting a climate for creativity and innovation
- 2. Fostering inclusive and compassionate leadership
  - 3. Focus on wellbeing and resilience

Holding inclusive conversations notes the importance of paying attention to the quality of conversation, particularly in complex systems undergoing transformational change.

- 4. Holding a dialogue conference and place-based café conversations (ie: Innovation Challenges)
- 5. Creating spaces for (difficult) conversations to happen (ie: Coaching for leaders, Innovation Challenges, Cohort approach, Wrap around mentoring)

Our research highlighted a desire for more shared learning and development opportunities and here we make five recommendations:

- 6. Leadership development programmes that **connect people** across the system (ie Cohorts, all ICS initiatives, Innovation Challenges, Systems Leadership CoP)
- 7. Crucible leadership experiences (ie: *LMS*, high potential scheme, coaching faculty)
- 8. Leadership exchanges (ie: High Potential Scheme)
- 9. Innovation challenges based on local "wicked challenges" (ie: UEC PHM Consultancy, Systems Leadership In Action )
- 10. Mentoring a colleague from another ICS sector (ie: High potential, UEC/PHM)

Our final section, an OD community of practice, makes recommendations for building the range and depth of OD skills across the community and highlights the following recommendations:

- 11. Design and implement an Organisation Development strategy to support the ICS strategy (ie: Talent and Leadership Strategy)
- 12. Adopt a breadth of improvement and innovation methodologies (ie: Quality transformation team, DCH, QSIR)
- 13. Develop digital literacy to help the CoP co-create (ie Talent and Leadership LMS learning system)
- 14. Measure and assess the impact of interventions (ie: Impact report, evaluations, SAIU Workforce for system)
- 15. A joint funding pot for capabilities building (ie: CLP monies used for all ICS consider sponsor model for large events for suppliers to meet our leaders)