Risk ID: BAF001 SO1: Improve quality including safety, clinical outcomes and patient experience. Risk Title: There is a risk that safe and effective healthcare services are not delivered and health outcomes in Lancashire and South Cumbria are not improved.

Driven By:	Resulting in:
- Population demand and demographics, workforce shortages and financial challenges	- Patient harm
	- Morbidity and mortality rates above the national average
	- National Oversight Framework segmentation of services in Lancashire and South Cumbria rated as 3 or 4.
	- CQC ratings of "Inadequate" or "Requires Improvement", regulatory actions.
	- Quality and financial sustainability not maintained.
	- Reputational damage

Executive Risk Owner	Sarah O'Brien
Assuring Committee	Quality
Date added/reviewed	17 Jul 24

Risk Domain:	Risk Score
QUALITY	16

Current	Score:		Target	Score:		Move	ement:				Risk Appetite/Tolerance	Current Risk Status: In or out of Appetite
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Controls	Gaps in controls
IAGs in place for all acute providers, with appropriate escalation pathways in place. Quality Committee oversight of statutory functions and providers and AAA to ICB, System Quality Group. Ongoing implementation of PSIRF, with ICB oversight. Responsive quality visits/ liaison with Trusts when data or intelligence triggers. Establishment of monthly ICB exceptions reporting against the improvement and sustainability criteria, with defined escalation pathway into ICB IAG and ICB Transformation and Recovery Board. NW Regional Quality Group meets quarterly, opportunity to escalate System Quality issues. Roll out of QIA training, QIA policy and templates and process to inform commissioning decisions.	Updated NHS Oversight Framework guidance awaited. QIA processes not embedded in ICB. Delay in approval of CIPs due to unrealistic sign off timescales originally proposed. Ongoing demand which is creating pressures for ED and patient flow. This has the potential to impact provider ability to embed improvement. Significant increases in referrals for SEND pathways resulting in long waiting times and risk to patients. Embedded standardised and consistent ICB internal approach to governance with Providers. Schedule of regular of visits across all LSC Acute Providers. Quality data and intelligence triangulation processes still maturing.
Assurances	Gaps in Assurances
Assurance from MIAA audit on ICB's readiness to operate PSIRF with providers, NHSE assurance on ICB quality systems Quality committee reporting IAG monthly meetings ICB Integrated Performance Report, providing a benchmark position against the NOF criteria in relation to each provider and the ICB. The IPR is being used to track delivery against the CIP required outcomes over time. Committee Escalation and Assurance Report to alert, advise and assure presented to Board.	Multiple Providers not meeting all CQC Standards and lack of pace with improvements. System financial deficit results in increased risk to sustainable improvement and recovery. Gap in assurance in relation to the financial plan for recovery which has the potential to impact on ICB and other system partners NOF ratings. Lack of clarity regarding regional intent in relation to movement of NOF score positions for the ICB and Providers due to the challenging financial environment. SEND pathways fragmented and long waiting times.

Mitigating Actions		Update on Progress	Review Date	Lead
Establish schedule of regular quality assurance visits across all LSC Acute Providers	30 Jun 24	Quality team visits to trusts have commenced and will continue to be held throughout	Complete	Kathryn Lord
		the year.		
Develop clear system financial accountability framework (short and medium term)	30 Jun 24	Financial accountability framework and plans in place and assurance meetings held with	Complete	Stephen Downes/Andrew
and evaluation through IAG meetings		all providers.		Harrison
Implement recommendations from Interim SEND business case (waiting list initiatives	31 Dec 24	Executives have agreed some interim additional funding to address waiting times; team	30 Sep 24	Vanessa Wilson
for ASD, access to SLT, digital referral platform)		starting to implement recommendations.		
Development of Integrated Performance and Quality Report and Integrated	31 Dec 24	The Integrated Performance Report is maturing with each version produced and further	30 Sep 24	Asim Patel/Glenn Mather
Performance Improvement Framework;		development will be incorporated following F&P committee feedback. Work continues to		
		progress against the performance framework and understand the ICB's teams reporting		
		requirements (metrics/cascade and escalation routes).		

SO2: Equalise opportunities and clinical outcomes across the area.

Risk Title: There is a risk that the ICB does not deliver its statutory duty to reduce health inequalities.

Driven by: -

- Demography of population and expected changes in the population demographics with increasingly elderly population and increased numbers of people living with multiple long-term conditions for longer.
- National cost of living challenges leading to worsening health in the population
- NHS and partner organisation financial challenges
- Challenges of re-allocating resource to focus on areas of greatest need in period of constrained resources and significant operational pressures.
- Pressures on VCFSE provision due to reduced funding opportunities from NHS and other sources
- Workforce challenges in terms of recruitment and retention with particular workforce challenges in geographical areas with the greatest health inequalities

Resulting in: -

- Continued unwarranted variation in access, experience and outcomes for our population which means that we have significant variation in life expectancy and healthy life expectancy.
- Integrated Care Strategy isn't delivered.
- Reduced morale across the NHS system-wide workforce due to relentless demand and inability to impact on the causes of the demand.
- Inability to deliver longer term clinical and community transformation strategic ambitions which are vital to make the health system financially sustainable.
- Poor patient experience and outcomes and increasing complaints, particularly for those in our population who face the worst health inequalities.
- Reputational damage for the ICB amongst partners and with NHSE

Executive Owner	David Levy
Assuring Committee	Quality
Date added /reviewed	17 Jul 24

Risk Domain:	Risk Score
QUALITY	10

Current	Score:		Target	Score:		Move	ement:			Risk Appetite/Tolerance	Current Risk Status: In or out of Appetite
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Controls	Gaps in controls
Robust health inequality and prevention plans spanning all ICB directorates, and incorporated into the ICB	Need to establish a strategic direction for the ICB in relation to health inequalities and prevention in order to ensure this approach
Operational plan and Forward Plan	is embedded across the ICB.
Bi-monthly ICB Prevention and Health Inequalities Steering Group	On-going work to ensure that health inequalities and prevention are embedded in the LSC recovery and transformation plans.
Compliance with national requirements for data submissions on tobacco treatment and alcohol	Insufficient resource to fully implement evidence-based approaches (e.g., enhanced tobacco dependency service is currently only
Clear deliverables written into the NHS Oversight and Assessment Framework for ICB and each Trust.	provided in Blackpool)
Population health teams embedded in place and playing a key role in Place partnerships.	Gaps in workforce for Tobacco services and alcohol care teams because posts are fixed term (because of 12-month national SDF
ICP Health equity metrics agreed by the ICP Board in Jan 2024 with 6 monthly reporting.	funding)
Joint LSC-wide Public Health Collaborative Plan	Lack of resource and workforce capacity to improve access, experience and outcomes in areas of greatest inequality, particularly
Joint place-based plans with public health	in primary care.
Robust financial planning for ICB Health inequality allocation and SDF prevention funding	Lack of Public Health Intelligence and analytical capacity to support widespread application of Population Health Management
Screening and Immunisation joint plans with Public Health including agreement to establish a Screening and	approach across workstreams & places.
Immunisation Oversight Group	Establish Screening and Immunisation Oversight Group
Robust Tobacco Strategy and implementation plan, including inpatient & smoking in pregnancy	
Assurances	Gaps in Assurances
Oversight of plans, delivery, performance and risks by the ICB Prevention and Health Inequalities Steering Group	Establish clear accountability from the Prevention and Health Inequalities Steering Group to the ICB Executive and Board,
Quarterly reports collated across ICB functions and reported to Prevention and Health Inequalities Steering	including quarterly reports.
Group and NHSE	Strengthen chairing arrangements for the PHISG, with recommendation for a Board-level Chair.
Quarterly review of NHS Oversight and Assessment Framework deliverables and feedback to Trusts	Health inequality metrics to be incorporated into ICB's routine performance monitoring and be publicly available (in line with the
6 monthly reporting to ICP against the Health Equity dashboard	requirements of the Nov 2023 NHSE legal statement)
Robust monitoring of ICB health inequalities funding	Support the ICB work in Core20lus5 clinical priority areas to strengthen delivery and assurance.
Inpatient mental health tobacco dependency treatment service mobilised by LSCFT	Establish a baseline measure for level of investment in prevention (baseline required in order to demonstrate % increase)
Impation montal house tobacco dependency treatment service mobilised by 2001 1	Improve monitoring of return on investment; improve datasets, in particular ethnicity coding; improve oversight of the ICB's SDF
	Improve monitoring of return on investment, improve datasets, in particular ethilicity coding, improve oversight of the ICD's SDF

Overarching aims and objectives to deliver	Timescales	Update on Progress	Review Date	Lead			
Refresh PHISG governance and reporting arrangements – alignment with trusts, Provider Collaborative and Public Health Collaborative	30 Sep 24	Terms of reference review underway, invitation extended to all NHS providers. Discussion with Medical Director about Chairing arrangements.	20 Sep 24	Andrew Bennett			
Present proposal for reduction of UEC demand in priority wards	31 Jul 24	Check and challenge session held June 2024; meeting with Chief Finance Officer and Medical Director to be arranged.	31 Jul 24	Andrew Bennett			
Ensure refresh of Joint Forward Plan contains additional references to tackling health inequalities.	31 Jul 24	Additional content and progress reporting contained in JFP refresh.	31 Jul 24	Carl Ashworth/Andrew Bennett			
Mobilisation of successful Work Well Bid	31 Oct 24	Funding confirmed in May 2024; with service implementation to commence in October.	20 Sep 24	Andrew Bennett			

prevention funding

Risk ID: BAF003

SO3: Make working in Lancashire and South Cumbria an attractive and desirable option for existing and potential employees.

Risk Title: There is a risk that the continued challenges to recruit and retain a stable workforce in primary care, radiology, psychiatry, Community and intermediate care services and oncology are impacting the system's ability to deliver high quality and timely care to our patients and communities.

Driven By:

LSC has areas of deprivation resulting in significant challenges to recruit a local and sustainable workforce, which is driving up increased use of agency and locum costs for nursing, medical and AHP workforces.

Resulting in:

Low staff morale

Significant use of high-cost locum and agency and further impact on in-year financial pressures impacting the longer-term financial sustainability of the system.

Executive Owner	Andrea Anderson
Assuring Committee	People
Date added/reviewed	17 Jul 24

Risk Domain:	Risk Score
PEOPLE	16

Current	Score:		Target	Score:		Move	ement:			Risk Appetite/Tolerance	Current Risk Status: In or out of Appetite
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Controls	Gaps in controls			
5-year multi-sector workforce strategy and Training and Education Plan covering development of new medical apprenticeship programme to enable our local community into our future workforce. ICB Belonging Plan 2023 – 2028 to create an inclusive culture across LSC. Strategic Training and Education Collaborative (STEC). LSC People Board reset to lead workforce strategy and NHS Long Term Workforce Plan. Widening participation and apprenticeship strategy ICB IAGs monitoring workforce and bank and agency spend.	Limited influence over workforce planning and transformation for non-NHS statutory organisations e.g., Primary Care Transformation plans including GPs, nursing and AHPs working in primary care. Acute and Community Transformation Strategies are still developing. ICB has limited influence in relation to harder to recruit and retain nursing and AHP roles in non-NHS statutory organisations as Agenda for Change terms and conditions do not apply. INT maturity is very variable across LSC and requires ongoing OD support to enable new approaches to implement the Fuller Report. Hard to recruit medical posts for fragile services located in areas with high levels of deprivation. High usage of "off-framework payments" in providers.			
Assurances	Gaps in Assurances			
The People Board monitors and reviews the following information and data to receive assurance against actions to mitigate risk e.g., Equality in Employment, Workforce and Leadership grading events, Staff Survey Results, Workforce PIDs, Workforce Priorities Dashboard, Workforce Insights Reports, WRES data, WDES data. System Vacancy Control Panel use following mechanisms to receive assurance against controls to mitigate risk through local establishment and vacancy control processes. System vacancy control processes in place	Primary Care workforce data for GPs, nursing and AHPs is not linked to ESR and can be challenging to obtain a system overview. Primary care workforce data currently not visible within the ICB and needs to be strengthened. EDI GP, nursing and AHPS workforce data is limited for primary care to identify priority improvement areas.			

Mitigating Actions	Timescales	Update on Progress	Review Date	Lead
Management of 5-year Workforce Strategy, including 6 key workforce priorities: present People Committee with Year 1 proposed objectives and implementation plan	30 Sep 24	Proposal paper to be presented at People Committee on 31 Jul 24.	31 Jul 24	Andrea Anderson
Complete LSC System Workforce Plan	31 Mar 25	The provider workforce plans have been submitted, awaiting regional and national closedown confirmation. Now working towards building a framework of support for in- year delivery.	31 Jul 24	Fiona Ball
Development of baseline system reporting dashboard for 10 People Functions	30 Oct 24	Work ongoing around requirements and structure of revised analytics; starting to work on mock-up design of product.	30 Oct 24	Fiona Ball
Identify and engage OD support with development of an OD strategy	31 Dec 24	Currently recruiting Associate Director of OD and Education; interviews being held in July 24, start date TBC. Advertising for team OD practitioner; interviews being held in July, start date TBC. OD consultant to work within system on wider OD and cultural issues.	31 Jul 24	Andrea Anderson
Priority 1: Develop with partners the definition and offer of the LSC One Workforce Vision ethos and offer; develop monitoring mechanisms for providers against plan	31 Mar 25	Currently working with CSU Transformation Unit re proposal One Workforce Vision as part of options appraisal for delivery.	31 Oct 24	Andrea Anderson
Present system reporting dashboard to People Committee; deep dive on specific areas of concern and develop system wide approach to improvements	29 Jan 25	Update will be presented to People Committee in October 2024 and work will continue to identify specific improvement areas for review January 2025.	31 Oct 24	Fiona Ball
Identify recovery culture priorities and supporting OD approaches; present People Committee with draft proposal for implementation and priorities.	31 Mar 25	In process of defining and planning the culture priorities including revision of Values vision and recruiting to key OD posts to support with this work. People and Culture Steering Group reviewing internal culture within ICB.	31 Oct 24	Andrea Anderson

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SO4: Meet financial targets and deliver improved productivity.

Risk title: There is a risk that the ICB continues to be a national outlier when benchmarked for AACC in terms of referrals per head of the population and cost per head of the population and that quality targets are not sustained.

Driven By:

- Historical underperformance and backlog of reviews
- Historical practices in NHS providers and Local Authority partners regarding discharge and packages of care
- Lack of compliance with System SOP for discharge
- Additional significant stretch targets added in-year.
- Data quality issues (Adam system)
- Provider financial pressures requiring additional financial uplift (7%)
- Increased demand across AACC
- Increased costs in packages of care
- Demography of population and challenges in Care Market locally

Resulting in:

 Financial targets and savings not being met, poor patient experience, delays in care or treatment, inadequate out of hospital care.

Executive Owner	Sarah O'Brien
Assuring Committee	F&P Committee
Date added/reviewed	17 Jul 24

Risk Domain:	Risk Score
	16

Current	Score:		Target	Score:		Movement:					Risk Appetite/Tolerance	Current Risk Status: In or out of Appetite
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Controls	Gaps in controls
Extensive action plan in place with bi-monthly progress reporting into Quality Committee, Financial recovery plan and close working between financial and AACC ICB teams, New service model continues to be embedded. Maintained repository of AACC & IPA procedures and protocols to support consistency. Backlog of incomplete referrals confirmed and QIPP plans for 2024-25 worked up and instigated. Proposals for managing market costs completed. Funded Care Operational Group Funded Care Governance Partnership Board	Demand increasing across All Age Continuing Care (AACC), Increase in costs for packages of care. Provider Financial pressures necessitating an uplift above 7%. Potential for variation in service delivery requests from Place Based Directors (i.e., for PHB delivery) which will lead to variation in service delivery across LSC ICB Capacity to undertake reviews. Deviation from SOP when system under pressure (UEC) Additional capacity to be commissioned to support reviews. Further work required to optimise some of the procedures and protocols currently in place to enable consistency and reduce variation in practice.
Assurances	Gaps in Assurances
Regular assurance meetings with regional NHSE lead Quality Hub established and will oversee an internal audit programme. Internal draft audit plan presented to Quality Committee in Feb 24. Updates to new Recovery Programme Board on QIPP delivery (24-25) Peer review completed. External company commissioned to review systems and processes in place for managing CHC assessments and payments.	Service awaiting external review findings. Risk to achieving savings if delay in approval for additional capacity. Limited assurance findings based on internal audit review of CHC operations

Mitigating Actions	Timescales	Update on Progress	Review Date	Lead
Improve existing triage processes within AACC Discharge to Assess across ICB to ensure appropriate alignment of patients to Fast Track and DTA pathways. Particular focus is UHMBT due to variation in practice.	31 Jul 24	Refined triage processes in place with discharge teams, district nurses and operational AACC staff for fast track and DTA referrals to ensure adherence to NHS England guidance and NHSE framework for CHC. Numerous meetings have taken place with UHMBT discharge staff, Westmorland and Furness LA, Director of Adult Health and Care, and Director of Health and Care Integration for South Cumbria Place and respective finance leads in ICB and LA around process and payments.	15 Jul 24	Rakhee Jethwa/Jane Brennan
Ratify Choice and Equity Policy	30 Sep 24	Choice and Equity Policy is scheduled for review through Funded Care Partnership and Governance Board (3 July 24) prior to ratification through the ICB's Quality Committee.	31 Jul 24	Rakhee Jethwa/Jane Brennan
Ratify Personal Health Budget Policy	30 Sep 24	Policy currently with ICB legal advisors for comment.	31 Jul 24	Rakhee Jethwa/Jane Brennan
Complete finance modelling of options to support medium to long term commissioning strategy	30 Sep 24	Finance modelling will be completed by end of July by ICB finance team and AACC commissioning team.	15 Jul 24	Rakhee Jethwa/Jane Brennan
Develop internal controls within AACC and IPA to ensure accurate and robust financial reporting	31 Mar 25	Process charts under development for inputting onto CMS system in a consistent manner; training packs will be developed, and training implemented for all operational and admin staff who use the system; audit will be carried out in internal process.	31 Jul 24	Rakhee Jethwa/Jane Brennan
Development of procurement specification for new integrated case management system (CMS) across AACC and IPA with support from digital team	31 Dec 24	Task and finish group established with appropriate representation to develop procurement specification.	31 Jul 24	Rakhee Jethwa/Jane Brennan
Complete external reviews and peer reviews to identify learning and implement findings/develop action plan	31 Jul 24	Peer review action plan completed and will evolve; external review findings will be reported in middle July; further actions will be developed and implemented.	15 Jul 24	Rakhee Jethwa/Jane Brennan
Evaluation of delivery of new service model	30 Sep 24	Evaluation mapping underway with some elements already commenced.	15 Jul 24	Rakhee Jethwa/Jane Brennan

Risk ID: SO4: Meet financial targets and deliver improved productivity. BAF005

Risk title: There is a risk that the ICB fails to deliver against its financial plan to ensure recurrent financial balance over a three-year period.

Driven By:

mitigation.
Assurances

Poor delivery plans, mitigations, execution and lack of holding to account.

Resulting in:

- Depletion of cash and inability to pay liabilities.
- · Prevention on progressing transformation and delivery of the outcomes for our population
- Poor morale due to short term draconian spending controls and budget cuts

Executive Owner	Sam Proffitt
Assuring Committee	F&P Committee
Date added/reviewed	17 Jul 24

Risk Domain:	Risk Score
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Current	Score:		Target	Score:		Movement:				Risk Appetite/Tolerance	Current Risk tatus: In or out of Appetite
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Controls Gaps in controls A financial plan for 2024/25 has been submitted which shows a breakeven position with £175m deficit support funding. Commissioning intentions need to be fully quantified and developed into robust plans with clear timelines ICB Standing Financial Instructions/ Scheme of Reservation and Delegation updated and in place. to impact the financial plan. QIPP schemes have been identified for the ICB and CIP Schemes are being developed across all Trusts. Schemes worked up and triangulated to WTE and activity. With half in plans or progressing and half in opportunity as recovery plans are finalised A strong communication plan engaging and communicating to our staff and public to be developed. Recovery and transformation Board is now in place and closely monitoring the schemes and programmes are in place for most areas. Recovery team needs to be fully embedded with roles clearly communicated across the system. A reset of the recovery programmes has been undertaken to ensure delivery of our financial plan with a focus on immediate high-cost pressures Alignment f recovery programme with the PCB will be supported through the appointment of a new MD including UEC pathway and CHC aligning place and partners to the programmes Longer term work continues to enable transformation of clinical post. and corporate services. Place teams have supported the UEC pathway work for which we now have a plan for each place. Alignment of Exec portfolios and senior leadership team responsibilities to recovery and transformation has been agreed. A robust commissioning process is now in place with commissioning intentions being refined. Additional financial controls have been implemented within the ICB and across the system (with peer review in place). These are now embedded with a weekly expenditure control panel in place attended by CEOs and ICB Execs. Full budget holder delegation now in place with all budget holders taking full responsibility for delivery of QIPP targets and mitigations aligned to their functions. Delivery and forecast are reviewed periodically through Exec Deep Dive sessions. Delegation to place partnerships delayed whilst financial stability is achieved and system wide vacancy control panel. Board oversight of the scale of financial challenge during the financial year and endorsement of the key recommendations to deliver effective

ICB has submitted a lower deficit plan than the 2023/24 outturn position and can demonstrate 5% savings of which 70% are recurrent in 2024/25. The work on recovery and the downturn in run rate will support the position as moving along the right trajectory. A list of other actions

demanded.
The system is on plan at Month 2 2024/25

A deputy CFO post is being created from within the current team to allow the CFO to focus on both finance and recovery.

ICB Finance team under leadership of Director of Strategic Finance is ensuring processes in place to test the CIP plans. Deputy Director of Finance is ensuring plans are reflected in budgets of ICB and monitored through QIPP meetings and reported through to Recovery Programme Board

which may have impact on quality and /or performance has been identified if the position is not accepted and further cost reductions are

The CFO is leading this, and plans will be reported to the Finance and Performance Committee and Board

IAGS will oversee the key metrics for providers with a report to both Finance & Performance and Quality Committee

The CNO is leading the Community Transformation Programme with an alignment of Place through to Providers (Acute and MH)

A data driven approach being taken with strengthening BI support to Director of Strategic Finance Team

CEO to bring back new arrangements to the Board in Quarter 1

Senior / Director level finance commissioning post through the Director of finance for Commissioning and Contracting now dedicated to the process and commissioning / contracting function working closely with COO.

Report of Expenditure control panel to Exes each week and will form part of the Recovery Board agenda to give further assurances. Any exceptions to be highlighted through IAGS.

Gaps in Assurances

Escalation processes need to be developed further to ensure rapid action is taken.

A full year assessment of risk to be provided to Finance and Performance Committee in August 2024; risk remains until this time; UEC Contract and CHC are the largest current risks.

Clear plans are required with milestones and trajectories for fragile services and clinical blueprint – strong clinical leadership support to be identified.

A mitigation plan needs to be identified for any slippage or non-delivery of current plan.

Mitigating Actions	Timescales	Update on Progress	Review	Lead
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Undertake baseline metrics for programmes incl. UEC and quantify deliverables in 2024/25.	30 Jun 24	Completed and just finalising the alignment of the costs	Closed	Stephen Downes/Terry Whalley
Delivery plan with milestones and trajectories needs to be finalised and delivered through the rest of the year	30 Sep 24	Allocation and Service lines report finalised and feeding plans		Stephen Downes to provide update (delivery by Trust CEOs).

Develop 3-year financial plan – assess baseline position to ensure clear understanding of drivers of deficit	30 Jun 24	Completed	Closed	Stephen Downes
Establish transformation and recovery programme governance; agree approach with partners	30 Jun 24	Completed	Closed	Stephen Downes/Terry Whalley
Board approval of commissioning intentions across system, sector and Place	30 Jun 24	Complete. Board approved ICB commissioning intentions at their April meeting and shared with providers	Closed	Craig Harris/Carl
Prioritisation of commissioning intentions to highlight early action areas of highest benefit and easiest implementation.	30 Jun 24	Complete. The initial prioritisation plan was presented to May meeting (Part 2) to inform the CI delivery plan (see below)	Closed	Ashworth/all commissioning directors
Development of high-level commissioning intentions delivery plan showing expected benefits, timescales, accountability for delivery and interdependencies.	31 Jul 24	Initial work complete; draft CI delivery plan reviewed by Execs at the end of May. Further work underway to reprioritise actions; be clearer on benefits; reduce overlap across service commissioning teams, places and RATP; and map easily deliverable CIs to Recovery & Transformation programmes.	31 Jul 24	
Board approval of commissioning intentions delivery plan	Complete	The board approved the ICB's Commissioning Intentions in April; the CI delivery plan will be overseen through the Executive Management Team and Finance and Performance Committee.	Closed	
Finalise Procurement Strategy to support delivery of Commissioning Intentions				Katherine Disley

Risk ID:	SO4: Meet financial targets and deliver improved
BAF006	3

Risk title: There is a risk that the ambition for infrastructure transformation as set out in the Lancashire and South Cumbria system-wide estates plan and LSC infrastructure strategy, will not be delivered

Driven by:

- The current suitability of our built and digital infrastructure.
- Affordability and lack of availability of required capital investments
- Historic under investment in primary care estates
- Alignment of emerging site development strategies with future investment requirements to meet longer term strategic infrastructure strategy.

Resulting in:

- Poor space and capacity utilisation of existing available estate impacting on current service re-design and delivery plans.
- Inability to deliver longer term clinical and community transformation strategic ambitions.
- Poor patient experience and outcomes and increasing complaints.

Executive Owner	David Levy
Assuring Committee	F&P Committee
Date added/reviewed	17 Jul 24

Risk Domain:	Risk Score
QUALITY	15

productivity.

Current Score: Target Score:					Move	ement:				Risk Appetite/Tolerance	Current Status: In or out of Appetite	
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Controls	Gaps in controls
5 Year Joint Forward Plan	Workforce fragility
ICS Infrastructure Strategy 2024-2040 LSC ICB Green Plan 2022 – 2025	Lack of system visibility across all health-built infrastructure.
ICB Data and Digital Strategy	Inconsistent access to data and information with no live central dataset.
Net Zero Carbon Strategy	Financial delivery plans required and associated capital resources.
	Historic under-investment in primary care estate development.
	Clinical Strategy will need to develop at pace to drive the Infrastructure Strategy and will require sufficient input from an Infrastructure perspective and associated fixed points / costs.
	Currently a lack of sufficient resources for the infrastructure identified in the strategy and to deliver the requirements of the Clinical Strategy.
	A robust process to prioritise the investment requirements and an agreed approach to attracting new investment is required.
	Strategic infrastructure groups to be established.
Assurances	Gaps in Assurances
Limited assurance through Strategic Infrastructure reporting through System Transformation and Recovery Board.	Forums for strategic infrastructure discussions need alignment to new landscape and governance structures.

Mitigating Actions	Timescales	Update on Progress	Review Date	Lead
Develop 3-year capital plan as part of financial plan. Ensure plan is agreed across	30 Sep 24	JCRP complete. Work underway to complete NHSE templates for capital	15 Sep 24	Stephen Downs/Alistair Rose
all partners and through HWBs.		planning.		
Establish strategic infrastructure groups	30 Sep 24	Strategic Infrastructure Group Draft Terms of Reference; working with Place	15 Sep 24	Alistair Rose
		leads to establish on a "Place plus" basis		
Clinical Services Reconfiguration/Blueprint for Acute Services/New Hospitals	30 Sep 24	The ICB's Strategic Director for Estates has met with strategic service	31 Jul 24	David Levy/Andrew
Infrastructure Strategy		planners and a further meeting scheduled during July 2024.		Bennett/Alistair Rose
Align Digital and Data Strategy to transformation and recovery (acute clinical and	30 Sep 24	Planning underway for updated Infrastructure and digital strategy and	15 Sep 24	Alistair Rose/Stephen Dobson
non-clinical configuration, recovery and transformation, community transformation		associated investments/disinvestments.		· ·
diagnostics)				

Risk ID: BAF007

SO5: Meet national and locally determined performance standards and targets.

Risk Title: There is a risk that: critical information systems suffering some sort of failure due to a cyber-attack leading to possible financial loss, disruption to services and patient care and/or damage to the reputation of the ICB.

Driven By:

- Inadequate replacement or maintenance planning
- Inadequate contract management
- Failure in skills or capacity of staff or service providers
- Inadequate investment in digital systems, digital infrastructure and
- the design and ongoing development of systems and infrastructure

Resulting in:

• Reduced quality or safety of services, financial penalties, reduced patient experience, failure to meet KPIs and loss of reputation.

Executive Owner	Asim Patel
Assuring Committee	F&P Committee
Date added/reviewed	17 Jul 24

Risk Domain:	Risk Score
QUALITY	12

Current Score: Target Score:				Movement:					Risk Appetite/Tolerance	Current Risk Status: In or out of Appetite		
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Controls	Gaps in controls
Single IT Provider of services for the ICB (corporate) External cyber accreditation for the IT provider	Business Continuity Planning in the event of prolonged unavailability of critical ICB information systems (i.e., Continuing Healthcare, Finance, HR).
Supplier Disaster Recovery Plan and restore procedures (relevant to ICB)	No comprehensive list of all IT systems in use within the ICB
External testing of weaknesses / penetration testing Resilient network architecture and data centres	
ICS Wide Cyber Security Strategy	
ICB Digital and Data Strategy	
Cyber Security Response Plan	
Critical System Backup plans	
Engagement with L&SC Cyber Security Group	
Cyber Associates Network Membership	
NHS Care Cert Response Process	
Assurance	Gaps in Assurances
Information Governance Oversight Group	Business Continuity Testing
Data Security Protection Toolkit	
Internal audit of critical information systems	
External assessment and accreditation of cyber defences (ICB IT supplier(s).	

Mitigating Actions	Timescales	Update on Progress	Review Date	Lead
Carry out regular exercises including senior and front-line staff to ensure awareness and understanding of loss of digital technologies.		MIAA are being commissioned to review all L&SC Provider organisation Cyber tooling to inform a gap analysis before a converged approach to cyber assurance can be achieved. As part of this work MIAA will deliver an awareness raising session for the Board setting out the cyber landscape, cyber-attack methods, the legal and regulatory responsibilities, and accountabilities of the ICB in the context of being an organisation in its own right, as a provider of essential services and in the context of leading an ICS. More detailed breakdown of this work will be provided in future updates.	31 Dec 24	Andrew Thompson
Undertake departmental Business Impact Analysis assessments to inform development of Business Continuity Plan	31 Dec 24	Each ICB corporate function that relies on a digital solution is required to have a business continuity plan in place in the event of a cyber-attack or loss of service. The ICB EPRR team have contacted all ICB directorates to understand the position in relation to their business continuity plans. This will inform a report on any business continuity gaps by directorate.	30 Sep 24	Alison Whitehead/Directorate Leads
Coordination of completed Business continuity plans for specific areas (CHC, finance, HR)	31 Aug 24	The ICB has commissioned MIAA to undertake a focused review of the ICB's CHC system as priority area for review. The findings will be presented to the ICB's Audit Committee in July and mitigating actions enacted. Following this, further corporate functions' IT systems will be scheduled for review as agreed.	31 Jul 24	Alison Whitehead
IT Asset Register to be populated for ICB	31 Dec 24	Following the DSPT review a series of actions will be implemented including the identification of a complete IT asset register of critical systems and Information Asset Owners to support the ICB's business continuity arrangements.	30 Sep 24	Joe McGuigan
Undertake digital resilience exercise supported by NHS England	31 Mar 25	The ICB is mandated to carry out a cyber resilience exercise during the 2024/25 financial year. Alison Whitehead and Andrew Thompson are working with NHSE colleagues to plan this exercise for later in the year.	30 Sep 24	Alison Whitehead/Andrew Thompson

SO5: Meet national and locally determined performance standards and targets.

Risk Title: There is a risk that the recovery and delivery plans for improvements in Elective and Urgent and Emergency Care services are not achieved in Lancashire and South Cumbria

Driven By:

- System financial pressures leading to increased risks to sustainable improvement in performance standards.
- Increased demand and ongoing pressures in Urgent and Emergency Care Services across all trusts across Lancashire and South Cumbria
- Gaps in surgical capacity within the system is impacting on waiting times in key areas, with 2 out 3 of the core cancer treatment standards not being met across all providers.

Resulting in:

- Emerging harm and risks to patient safety as a result of long waits in A&E departments which is further impacted by delays in ambulance handovers.
- · Recovery and operational performance targets for cancer treatment not being achieved.
- Provision of a sub-optimal service leading to poor patient experience or outcomes.
- Reputational damage if LSC is categorised as requiring higher levels of intervention from NHS England (Universal Support Tier 3).

Executive Owner	Craig Harris/David Levy
Assuring Committee	F&P Committee
Date added/reviewed	17 Jul 24

Risk Domain:	Risk Score
QUALITY	16

Current	Score:					Risk Appetite/Tolerance	Current Risk Status: In or out of Appetite				
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4	4	16	4	3	12					IN APPETITE	APPETITE

Controls	Gaps in control
Transforming access to urgent and emergency care programme.	Updated NHS Oversight Framework guidance awaited.
Cancer improvement plan	Recovery programmes need to be implemented with appropriate programme resource and governance in place.
A re-set of recovery programmes has been undertaken to ensure delivery of the ICB's financial plan with	Acute and Community Transformation Strategies are still developing.
a focus on immediate high-cost pressures including UEC pathway.	Resources required to deliver the transformation and delivery programmes.
CB's Finance and Performance Committee oversight	UEC strategy in development
Monthly UEC Collaborative Improvement Board meetings	Contract performance review meetings still to be established.
Monthly Planned Care Strategic Oversight Group (PCSOG) meetings	Ongoing demand which is creating pressures for ED and patient flow. This has the potential to impact Provider ability to embed
Place recovery and transformation plans	improvement.
Elective Recovery Programme Board (monthly)	No internal audit data
Integrated Commissioning and Contract Meetings established and will meet quarterly	
Assurances	Gaps in Assurances
CB Integrated Performance Report to the board.	Limited health inequalities metrics
Benchmarking data against ICB's performance against Outcomes Framework measures	
AG oversight of key metrics for provider organisations	Escalation processes need to be developed further to ensure rapid action is taken.
Progress against NOF segmentation criteria in relation to each provider and the ICB.	
Committee Escalation and Assurance Report to alert, advise and assure presented to Board.	
CB position against National Benchmarking – ICB in upper quartile nationally	
Elective Recovery Programme Board minutes to PCSOG	
Integrated Commissioning and Contract Meeting minutes to PCSOG and CRG highlighting key risks	

Mitigating Actions	Timescales	Update on Progress	Review Date	Lead
Reduce all long waiting patients >65 weeks (Sep 24) with reduction of >52-week breaches by March 2025	30 Sep 24	All LSC NHS Providers have detailed plans to deliver the waiting time target by September and this is a standing item on the monthly Assurance Meetings. Progress against a trajectory is monitored and the system has an established mutual aid process to support fragile services that present the greatest risk.	15 Sep 24	Jayne Mellor
Continued monitoring of provider performance across LSC (NHS and IS)	Ongoing	This is done via regular integrated contract meetings that consider finance, quality and performance. Issues can be escalated to the monthly Improvement and Assurance Group if necessary.	Monthly	Jayne Mellor
Ensure patient choice guidance is implemented to improve utilisation of all available capacity, including independent sector providers and furthermore ensure patients are fully informed of their right to choose under the NHS Constitution	Ongoing	Patient Choice Oversight Group established (bi-monthly/qtly to be determined), this will monitor the actions we have submitted to NHS England in terms of providing assurance on patient choice. Our Referral Management Services are under review, one function of an RMC is to support delivery of the choice agenda. A recommendation will be made to CRG in August 2024. Regular contract meetings are in place with independent sector, standardised activity and finance data now in place to inform these meetings New MDT meeting to be established to provide assurance in relation to independent sector contracts.		Jayne Mellor/Beth Goodman
Transforming Care in the Community Place delivery plans to be developed	30 Sep 24	Initial plans drafted on-going UEC review will further inform plan.	31 Jul 24	Sarah O'Brien/Place Directors
Stocktake on progress 10 UEC high impact interventions to support delivery of 4-hour A&E performance and Category 2 ambulance response times and key actions set out in the 2024/25 priorities and operational planning guidance.	30 Sep 24	Progress against the 10 High Impact Interventions is reported to F&P Committee and ICB Board. Key to the delivery of the 10 HII are the finalisation and implementation of the 5 Year UEC strategy and the delivery of associated Place Based UEC improvement plans that are in development following the UEC rapid data driven diagnostic that has been undertaken through the UEC delivery boards. Colleagues within the UEC portfolio and transforming community care portfolio are working jointly to align workstreams and priorities.	30 Aug 24	Jayne Mellor/Craig Frost

Risk ID: BAF009

SO6: Develop and implement ambitious and deliverable strategies.

Risk Title: NEW There is a risk that longer term strategic priorities including transformation of clinical and community services and Place are not delivered.

Driven by:

- Significant clinical, operational and financial challenges in year preventing focus on longer run transformation.
- increased urgent care demand.
- workforce gaps
- quality of the physical and digital infrastructure of the system.
- Lack of capacity and capability to do the work.
- Delayed implementation of the Place Integration Deal and reduced impact of delivering health outcomes for residents

Resulting in:

- Inability to deliver New Hospitals Programme because supporting necessary transformation not delivered.
- Reduced health outcomes
- Inconsistent care processes
- Increased costs
- Variation in quality of care across our system.
- Unwarranted variation in models of care across system affecting access and outcomes.
- Reset of Place priorities and programmes

Executive Owner	Sarah O'Brien/David Levy
Assuring Committee	F&P Committee
Date added/reviewed	17 Jul 24

Risk Domain:	Risk Score
FINANCE/BUSINESS OBJECTIVES	16

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Controls	Gaps in controls
Transforming Community Care (TCC) programme Board established to oversee Community	Underdeveloped Acute and Out of Hospital transformation programme
Service transformation.	Acute Clinical Strategy
Clinical Programme Board (CPB) established as part of the Provider Collaborative to oversee	Community Service Strategy
acute clinical transformation.	UEC strategy and place-based improvement plans in development.
New Hospital Programme Board established which connects to TCC and CPB	Lack of dedicated programme resource to deliver programme.
Establishment of Recovery and Transformation Programme board chaired by ICB CFO meets	Provider landscape and barriers arising from current delivery model.
twice monthly to oversee delivery of strategic priorities including TCC and CPB.	Inconsistent care processes
Clear strategies are in place and will be used to inform delivery plans (5-year Joint Forward Plan,	Workforce availability and gaps in primary and community care workforce and lack of clear workforce strategy.
Integrated Care Strategy, ICB Health System Infrastructure Strategy, Primary Care Procurement	Difficulty in recruiting and retaining staff resulting in increased spending on agency staff.
Evaluation Strategy, ICB Digital and Data Strategy)	Resources required to deliver the transformation and delivery programmes.
	Variation, demand and capacity of INT services, specifically workforce and funding challenges
Assurances	Gaps in Assurances
Programme delivery reporting to System Recovery and Transformation Programme Board /	Detailed trajectories for delivery plans and associated formal reporting on delivery against recovery and transformation programmes.
Business and sustainability / Provider Collaborative Board	
System Recovery and Transformation Programme Board providing assurance to Finance &	
Performance Committee and to Quality Committee	
INT Board reporting as part of wider ICB transformation programme and associated PMO	

Mitigating Actions	Timescales	Update on Progress Re	eview Date	Lead
Establish TCC programme board to report into system recovery and transformation programme board.	1 Jul 24	TCC Programme Board established, and first meeting scheduled for 1 July 24.	Complete	Sarah O'Brien
Define Transforming Community Care 24/25 Delivery Plan and the Community Services Strategy,	ТВА	Plan on a Page for 24/25 under review by TCC Board	31 Jul 24	Sarah O'Brien
Establish TCC programme support and identify metrics and ROI.	30 Sep 24	The programme is mobilised and has a one-year plan in place which is linked to the UEC de-escalation Place plans and will support delivery at Place through system level action and targeted support at Place.	31 Jul 24	Sarah O'Brien (Tony McDonald)
Define Acute Clinical Service Blueprint and Delivery Roadmap	30 Sep 24	Acute Clinical Service Group meeting twice weekly, 3.5 billion data items analysed to understand patient needs and inform options, clinically led working group established wit workshops planned	30 Sep 24	David Levy (Terry Whalley)
Develop overarching clinical strategy/blueprint for the ICB that brings together Acute and Community elements together with strategy for UCE and Planned Care	31 Mar 25	ICB clinical directorates have agreed scope of this work.	30 Sep 24	Sarah O'Brien / David Levy
Develop delivery plans for Place.	30 Sep 24	Initial plans drafted on-going UEC review will further inform plans.	31 Jul 24	Sarah O'Brien / Place Directors
UEC Strategy to be signed off	31 Jul 24	Strategy drafted, using detailed diagnostic and fact base to inform year 1 recovery plans Place aimed at de-escalating UEC Pressures	at 31 Jul 24	Craig Harris (Jayne Mellor)
Identify additional resource to support Acute and Out of Hospital programmes	31 Jul 24	Requirements defined, roles described and work progressing to seek candidates from within the System.	31 Jul 24	Sam Proffitt (Alex Wells)

Risk ID: SO6: Develop and implement ambitious and deliverable strategies – under review Craig Harris BAF010 Risk Title: There is a risk that places will not be able to deliver both the place integration deal and the place recovery and transformation plans. Driven By: Resulting in: Realignment of Place teams and priorities to deliver key areas of recovery and the Delayed implementation of the Place Integration Deal and reduced impact of delivering improved health transformation community care programme. outcomes for residents Delay of an agreed operating model for the ICB and its places with Place-based Partnership, the ICP and the PCB

Executive Owner	Craig Harris		Risk Domain:	Risk Score	Current Score				Target Score:			Movement:					Risk Appetite/Tolerance	Current Risk Status: In or out of Appetite
Assuring Committee	Exec Mgmt. Team		FINANCE/BUSINESS	16		С	L	CxL	С	L	CxL	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	4	OPEN (8-15)	OUT OF APPETITE
Date added/reviewed	17 Jul 24		OBJECTIVES		्	3	4	12	3	2	6						IN APPETITE	
Controls					Gaps in controls													
Place recovery and transformation plans agreed with focus on discharge to assess / single point of discharge:						e: P	Place delivery plans to support Recovery and Transformation are in development.											
INTs, Priority wards, Better Care Fund						Li	Limited wider partner resources aligned to transformation and recovery plans.											
Integrated Care Strategy driving collaborative focus across local authority and ICB within Place							L	Lack of Public Health Intelligence and analytical capacity to support widespread application of Population Health										
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Place-based Partnerships formally established, to drive collaborative delivery of recovery plans within places, Management approach across workstreams & Places. with distributed leadership across partners. Integrated Performance Report and Performance Framework is being developed which will support performance metrics; Place leadership and resource realigned to deliver agreed priorities and recovery and transformation plan. progress/impact to be identified or modelling of work programmes to take place. Population health teams embedded in Place and playing a key role in Place partnerships. Varying demand and capacity of INT services, specifically workforce and funding challenges

ICP Health equity metrics agreed by the ICP Board in Jan 2024 with 6 monthly reporting.

Place teams have supported the UEC pathway work for which we now have a plan for each Place

Joint place-based plans with public health

Gaps in Assurances
Establishment of key performance priorities for each place to be agreed.
Integrated Performance Framework that includes place level performance
Health equity reporting requires further development at Place level.
ICP in development phase which will explore how it receives assurances on delivery of Integrated Care Strategy.

Place updates to ICP on delivery of integrated care strategy (in development phase and forward plan and scope of updates not yet confirmed) Health equity metrics agreed and will be reported to the ICP Board on 6 monthly bases.

Mitigating Actions	Timescale	Review Date	Lead	Lead
Development of Integrated Performance and Quality Report	31 Dec 24	The Integrated Performance Report is maturing with each version produced and further development	30 Sep 24	Asim Patel/Glenn Mather
and Integrated Performance Improvement Framework;		will be incorporated following F&P committee feedback. Work continues to progress against the		
		performance framework and understand the ICB's reporting requirements (metrics/cascade and		
		escalation routes).		
Board approval of commissioning intentions across system,	Complete	Complete. Board approved ICB commissioning intentions at their April meeting and shared with	Closed	Craig Harris/Carl Ashworth/all
sector and Place		providers		commissioning directors
Transforming Care in the Community Place Delivery Plans to	30 Sep 24	Initial plans drafted and on-going UEC review will further inform plan	30 Jul 24	Sara O'Brien/Place Directors
be developed				