

Public Involvement and Engagement Advisory Committee

Date of meeting	28 June 2023
Title of paper	Draft Working in partnership with people and communities strategy 2023-2026
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Agenda item	2.1
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Purpose of the paper

This paper provides an opportunity for members of the Public Involvement and Engagement Advisory Committee to discuss and make recommendations towards the Working with People and Communities Strategy

Executive summary

At the inception of the ICB in July 2022, it was required by NHS England that a Strategy for working in partnership with people and communities was agreed. In Lancashire and South Cumbria this document was developed with wide engagement and involvement with partners, colleagues and public participation group members before the strategy was agreed at the ICB Board.

The strategy aims to demonstrate the ICB's commitment to good engagement and involvement of people and communities. This is based on the understanding that engaged and involved residents make the best use of services to support their health and wellbeing and help to drive down health inequalities.

The previous version of the strategy has been reviewed and learning from the development year has been considered. This updated version of the strategy builds on engagement and conversations with staff, partners and members of the public and recognises the importance of aligning engagement and involvement with the ICB's strategic priorities and the development of place-based partnerships which is where much of the engagement with local people will take place. The strategy also takes into consideration how this strategy will support the Integrated Care Strategy and the NHS Joint Forward Plan and support the delivery of the strategic priorities for the system.

This iteration of the strategy goes much further in how greater joined up and collaborative approaches will be developed to support our place-based partnerships to deliver their priorities.

Recommendations

The PIEAC is requested to:

- Note the contents and revisions which have been made to the Strategy for working in partnership with people and communities
- Discuss and make any recommendations for further improvements to the strategy

Governance and reporting (list other forums that have discussed this paper)

Meeting	Date	Outcomes

Conflicts of interest identified

None

Implications

(If yes, please provide a brief risk description and reference number)	Yes	No	N/A	Comments
Quality impact assessment completed			✓	
Equality impact assessment completed	Yes			An equality impact assessment was completed for the previous iteration of the strategy. On review this remains suitable for the content of the strategy.
Privacy impact assessment completed			✓	
Financial impact assessment completed			✓	
Associated risks			✓	
Are associated risks detailed on the ICS Risk Register?			✓	

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