

THIS ITEM IS FOR INFORMATION ONLYAgenda item:

Title of meeting: Health and Wellbeing Board (HWB)
Subject: Winterbourne View Response
Date of meeting: 25th September 2013
Report by: John Attrill, Portsmouth Learning Disability Champion
Gemma Rainger, Integrated Commissioning Unit
Wards affected: All

1. Requested by

Cllr Leo Madden, Chair of the HWB

2. Purpose

To inform the Health and Wellbeing Board, as set out in appendix A, of:

- the actions underway in response to the Winterbourne View report
- the proposal that the HWB formally receive the joint strategic plan focussing on support for those with challenging behaviour in May 2014

3. Information Requested

The information set out in appendix A informs the Health and Wellbeing Board of actions underway in response to the Winterbourne View report and will be supported by a presentation to the Health and Wellbeing Board by John Attrill, Portsmouth Learning Disability Champion and Angela Dryer, Assistant Head of Adult Social Care at Portsmouth City Council.

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Signed by

THIS ITEM IS FOR INFORMATION ONLY**Appendices:** Appendix A - Winterbourne View response report**Background list of documents: Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972**

The following documents disclose facts or matters, which have been relied upon to a material extent by the author in preparing this report:

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Appendix A - Report to the Health and Well Being Board on - Winterbourne View Response, 25 September 2013

The final report of the Department of Health's review into the events at Winterbourne view was published in December 2012. The report set out a clear programme of national and local action to ensure better care is provided for people with a Learning Disability and Autism, where there is also challenging behaviour present.

Within Portsmouth we have eight individuals who are currently on our local register of people with behaviour that challenges admitted into a specialist hospital. All eight individuals are closely monitored and reviewed between the Integrated Learning Disability Team, Portsmouth Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) commissioning and the Specialist Commissioning team supported by NHS England.

One of the key aims of the Winterbourne Review is to ensure that where possible those with a learning disability who display challenging behaviour can receive support and care within the community. Within the city we have commissioned a range of services to support people within inpatient settings and who display challenging behaviour.

Existing services supporting people within Inpatient Settings who Display Challenging Behaviour

The specialist learning disability nurses support people with challenging behaviour through their intensive outreach service. The team provide intensive peripatetic clinical support to facilitate assessment and direct nursing interventions to meet the healthcare needs of learning disability residents including people who display challenging behaviour to enable individuals to live within the community.

In addition the team also support learning disability liaison nurses within the general hospital. The team aim to support wards and departments at Queen Alexandra Hospital to provide an improved service to people with learning disabilities by making reasonable adjustments and providing practice based support. The nurses provide advice and consultation to clinical teams to improve assessment and treatment, aid safe discharge and reduce the likelihood of unnecessary re-admission.

Requirements for June 2014

During the next few months we will be developing a joint strategic plan focusing on how we support those with a learning disability who exhibit challenging behaviour. This plan will be developed through a sub-group of the safeguarding board and will include key elements including housing and safeguarding training.

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Within Portsmouth we are fortunate to have a wide multi-disciplinary team passionate about improving services for people with a learning disability taking forward the Winterbourne agenda.

Next Steps:

1. Continue to monitor all people with a learning disability or autism who are in a placement outside of the city, especially if they display challenging behaviour.
2. Create a joint strategic plan to commission the range of local health, housing and care support services to meet the needs of children, young people and adults with challenging behaviour in Portsmouth by June 2014.
3. Improving the transition pathway from children to adult services.
4. Develop an employment strategy for those with a learning disability, including supporting those with challenging behaviour to obtain long term paid employment.

Recommendations:

1. To formally acknowledge the joint strategic plan focussing on the support for those with challenging behaviour in May 2014.