

BCF Planning Template 2022-23

1. Guidance

Overview

Note on entering information into this template

Throughout the template, cells which are open for input have a yellow background and those that are pre-populated have a blue background, as below:

Data needs inputting in the cell

Pre-populated cells

Note on viewing the sheets optimally

For a more optimal view each of the sheets and in particular the drop down lists clearly on screen, please change the zoom level between 90% - 100%. Most drop downs are also available to view as lists within the relevant sheet or in the guidance sheet for readability if required.

The details of each sheet within the template are outlined below.

Checklist (click to go to Checklist, included in the Cover sheet)

1. This section helps identify the sheets that have not been completed. All fields that appear as incomplete should be completed before sending to the Better Care Fund Team.
2. The checker column, which can be found on the individual sheets, updates automatically as questions are completed. It will appear 'Red' and contain the word 'No' if the information has not been completed. Once completed the checker column will change to 'Green' and contain the word 'Yes'
3. The 'sheet completed' cell will update when all 'checker' values for the sheet are green containing the word 'Yes'.
4. Once the checker column contains all cells marked 'Yes' the 'Incomplete Template' cell (below the title) will change to 'Template Complete'.
5. Please ensure that all boxes on the checklist are green before submission.

2. Cover (click to go to sheet)

1. The cover sheet provides essential information on the area for which the template is being completed, contacts and sign off.
2. Question completion tracks the number of questions that have been completed; when all the questions in each section of the template have been completed the cell will turn green. Only when all cells are green should the template be sent to the Better Care Fund Team: england.bettercarefundteam@nhs.net (please also copy in your Better Care Manager).

4. Income (click to go to sheet)

1. This sheet should be used to specify all funding contributions to the Health and Wellbeing Board's (HWB) Better Care Fund (BCF) plan and pooled budget for 2022-23. It will be pre-populated with the minimum NHS contributions to the BCF, Disabled Facilities Grant (DFG) and improved Better Care Fund (iBCF). These cannot be edited.
2. Please select whether any additional contributions to the BCF pool are being made from local authorities or ICBs and enter the amounts in the fields highlighted in 'yellow'. These will appear as funding sources in sheet 5a when you planning expenditure.
3. Please use the comment boxes alongside to add any specific detail around this additional contribution.
4. If you are pooling any funding carried over from 2021-22 (**i.e. underspends from BCF mandatory contributions**) you should show these on a separate line to the other additional contributions and use the comments field to identify that these are underspends that have been rolled forward. All allocations are rounded to the nearest pound.
5. Allocations of the NHS minimum contribution (formerly CCG minimum) are shown as allocations from ICB to the HWB area in question. Mapping of the allocations from former CCGs to HWBs can be found in the BCF allocation spreadsheet on the BCF section of the NHS England Website.
6. For any questions regarding the BCF funding allocations, please contact england.bettercarefundteam@nhs.net (please also copy in your Better Care Manager).

5. Expenditure (click to go to sheet)

This sheet should be used to set out the detail of schemes that are funded via the BCF plan for the HWB, including amounts, type of activity and funding source. This information is then aggregated and used to analyse the BCF plans nationally and sets the basis for future reporting.

The information in the sheet is also used to calculate total contributions under National Conditions 2 and 3 and is used by assurers to ensure that these are met.

The table is set out to capture a range of information about how schemes are being funded and the types of services they are providing. There may be scenarios when several lines need to be completed in order to fully describe a single scheme or where a scheme is funded by multiple funding streams (eg: iBCF and NHS minimum). In this case please use a consistent scheme ID for each line to ensure integrity of aggregating and analysing schemes.

On this sheet please enter the following information:

1. Scheme ID:

- This field only permits numbers. Please enter a number to represent the Scheme ID for the scheme being entered. Please enter the same Scheme ID in this column for any schemes that are described across multiple rows.

2. Scheme Name:

- This is a free text field to aid identification during the planning process. Please use the scheme name consistently if the scheme is described across multiple lines in line with the scheme ID described above.

3. Brief Description of Scheme

- This is a free text field to include a brief headline description of the scheme being planned. The information in this field assists assurers in understanding how funding in the local BCF plan is supporting the objectives of the fund nationally and aims in your local plan.

4. Scheme Type and Sub Type:

- Please select the Scheme Type from the drop-down list that best represents the type of scheme being planned. A description of each scheme is available in tab 5b.

- Where the Scheme Types has further options to choose from, the Sub Type column alongside will be editable and turn "yellow". Please select the Sub Type from the drop down list that best describes the scheme being planned.

- Please note that the drop down list has a scroll bar to scroll through the list and all the options may not appear in one view.

- If the scheme is not adequately described by the available options, please choose 'Other' and add a free field description for the scheme type in the column alongside. Please try to use pre-populated scheme types and sub types where possible, as this data is important in assurance and to our understanding of how BCF funding is being used nationally.

- The template includes a field that will inform you when more than 5% of mandatory spend is classed as other.

5. Area of Spend:

- Please select the area of spend from the drop-down list by considering the area of the health and social care system which is most supported by investing in the scheme.

- Please note that where 'Social Care' is selected and the source of funding is "NHS minimum" then the planned spend would count towards National Condition 2.

- If the scheme is not adequately described by the available options, please choose 'Other' and add a free field description for the scheme type in the column alongside.

- We encourage areas to try to use the standard scheme types where possible.

6. Commissioner:

- Identify the commissioning body for the scheme based on who is responsible for commissioning the scheme from the provider.

- Please note this field is utilised in the calculations for meeting National Condition 3. Any spend that is from the funding source 'NHS minimum contribution', is commissioned by the ICB, and where the spend area is not 'acute care', will contribute to the total spend under National Condition 3. This will include expenditure that is ICB commissioned and classed as 'social care'.

- If the scheme is commissioned jointly, please select 'Joint'. Please estimate the proportion of the scheme being commissioned by the local authority and NHS and enter the respective percentages on the two columns.

7. Provider:

- Please select the type of provider commissioned to provide the scheme from the drop-down list.

- If the scheme is being provided by multiple providers, please split the scheme across multiple lines.

8. Source of Funding:

- Based on the funding sources for the BCF pool for the HWB, please select the source of funding for the scheme from the drop down list. This includes additional, voluntarily pooled contributions from either the ICB or Local authority

- If a scheme is funded from multiple sources of funding, please split the scheme across multiple lines, reflecting the financial contribution from each.

9. Expenditure (£) 2022-23:

- Please enter the planned spend for the scheme (or the scheme line, if the scheme is expressed across multiple lines)

10. New/Existing Scheme

- Please indicate whether the planned scheme is a new scheme for this year or an existing scheme being carried forward.

This is the only detailed information on BCF schemes being collected centrally for 2022-23 and will inform the understanding of planned spend for the iBCF grant and spend from BCF sources on discharge.

6. Metrics (click to go to sheet)

This sheet should be used to set out the HWB's ambitions (i.e. numerical trajectories) and performance plans for each of the BCF metrics in 2022-23. The BCF policy requires trajectories and plans agreed for the fund's metrics. Systems should review current performance and set realistic, but stretching ambitions for 2022-23.

A data pack showing more up to date breakdowns of data for the discharge to usual place of residence and unplanned admissions for ambulatory care sensitive conditions is available on the Better Care Exchange.

For each metric, areas should include narratives that describe:

- a rationale for the ambition set, based on current and recent data, planned activity and expected demand
- the local plan for improving performance on this metric and meeting the ambitions through the year. This should include changes to commissioned services, joint working and how BCF funded services will support this.

1. Unplanned admissions for chronic ambulatory care sensitive conditions:

- This section requires the area to input indirectly standardised rate (ISR) of admissions per 100,000 population by quarter in 2022-23. This will be based on NHS Outcomes Framework indicator 2.3i but using latest available population data.

- The indicator value is calculated using the indirectly standardised rate of admission per 100,000, standardised by age and gender to the national figures in reference year 2011. This is calculated by working out the SAR (observed admission/expected admissions*100) and multiplying by the crude rate for the reference year. The expected value is the observed rate during the reference year multiplied by the population of the breakdown of the year in question.

- The population data used is the latest available at the time of writing (2020)

- Actual performance for each quarter of 2021-22 are pre-populated in the template and will display once the local authority has been selected in the drop down box on the Cover sheet.

- Exact script used to pull pre-populated data can be found on the BCX along with the methodology used to produce the indicator value:

<https://future.nhs.uk/bettercareexchange/viewdocument?docid=142269317&done=DOCCreated1&fid=21058704>

- Technical definitions for the guidance can be found here:

<https://digital.nhs.uk/data-and-information/publications/statistical/nhs-outcomes-framework/march-2022/domain-2---enhancing-quality-of-life-for-people-with-long-term-conditions-nof/2.3.i-unplanned-hospitalisation-for-chronic-ambulatory-care-sensitive-conditions>

2. Discharge to normal place of residence.

- Areas should agree ambitions for the percentage of people who are discharged to their normal place of residence following an inpatient stay. In 2021-22, areas were asked to set a planned percentage of discharge to the person's usual place of residence for the year as a whole. In 2022-23 areas should agree a rate for each quarter.

- The ambition should be set for the health and wellbeing board area. The data for this metric is obtained from the Secondary Uses Service (SUS) database and is collected at hospital trust. A breakdown of data from SUS by local authority of residence has been made available on the Better Care Exchange to assist areas to set ambitions.

- Ambitions should be set as the percentage of all discharges where the destination of discharge is the person's usual place of residence.

- Actual performance for each quarter of 2021-22 are pre-populated in the template and will display once the local authority has been selected in the drop down box on the Cover sheet.

3. Residential Admissions (RES) planning:

- This section requires inputting the expected numerator of the measure only.

- Please enter the planned number of council-supported older people (aged 65 and over) whose long-term support needs will be met by a change of setting to residential and nursing care during the year (excluding transfers between residential and nursing care)

- Column H asks for an estimated actual performance against this metric in 2021-22. Data for this metric is not published until October, but local authorities will collect and submit this data as part of their salt returns in July. You should use this data to populate the estimated data in column H.

- The prepopulated denominator of the measure is the size of the older people population in the area (aged 65 and over) taken from Office for National Statistics (ONS) subnational population projections.

- The annual rate is then calculated and populated based on the entered information.

4. Reablement planning:

- This section requires inputting the information for the numerator and denominator of the measure.

- Please enter the planned denominator figure, which is the planned number of older people discharged from hospital to their own home for rehabilitation (or from hospital to a residential or nursing care home or extra care housing for rehabilitation, with a clear intention that they will move on/back to their own home).

- Please then enter the planned numerator figure, which is the expected number of older people discharged from hospital to their own home for rehabilitation (from within the denominator) that will still be at home 91 days after discharge.

- Column H asks for an estimated actual performance against this metric in 2021-22. Data for this metric is not published until October, but local authorities will collect and submit this data as part of their salt returns in July. You should use this data to populate the estimated data in column H.

- The annual proportion (%) Reablement measure will then be calculated and populated based on this information.

7. Planning Requirements (click to go to sheet)

This sheet requires the Health and Wellbeing Board to confirm whether the National Conditions and other Planning Requirements detailed in the BCF Policy Framework and the BCF Requirements document are met. Please refer to the BCF Policy Framework and BCF Planning Requirements documents for 2022-23 for further details.

The sheet also sets out where evidence for each Key Line of Enquiry (KLOE) will be taken from.

The KLOEs underpinning the Planning Requirements are also provided for reference as they will be utilised to assure plans by the regional assurance panel.

1. For each Planning Requirement please select 'Yes' or 'No' to confirm whether the requirement is met for the BCF Plan.
2. Where the confirmation selected is 'No', please use the comments boxes to include the actions in place towards meeting the requirement and the target timeframes.

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3. Summary

Selected Health and Wellbeing Board:

Richmond upon Thames

Income & Expenditure

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Funding Sources	Income	Expenditure	Difference
DFG	£1,925,738	£1,925,738	£0
Minimum NHS Contribution	£13,856,117	£13,856,117	£0
iBCF	£776,431	£776,431	£0
Additional LA Contribution	£0	£0	£0
Additional ICB Contribution	£0	£0	£0
Total	£16,558,286	£16,558,286	£0

[Expenditure >>](#)

NHS Commissioned Out of Hospital spend from the minimum ICB allocation

Minimum required spend	£3,937,515
Planned spend	£6,656,032

Adult Social Care services spend from the minimum ICB allocations

Minimum required spend	£5,342,603
Planned spend	£6,727,756

Scheme Types

Assistive Technologies and Equipment	£765,161	(4.6%)
Care Act Implementation Related Duties	£678,214	(4.1%)
Carers Services	£474,206	(2.9%)
Community Based Schemes	£2,971,261	(17.9%)
DFG Related Schemes	£1,925,738	(11.6%)
Enablers for Integration	£0	(0.0%)
High Impact Change Model for Managing Transfer of	£2,550,209	(15.4%)
Home Care or Domiciliary Care	£1,639,687	(9.9%)
Housing Related Schemes	£0	(0.0%)
Integrated Care Planning and Navigation	£2,157,752	(13.0%)
Bed based intermediate Care Services	£0	(0.0%)
Reablement in a persons own home	£776,431	(4.7%)
Personalised Budgeting and Commissioning	£0	(0.0%)
Personalised Care at Home	£322,643	(1.9%)
Prevention / Early Intervention	£783,160	(4.7%)
Residential Placements	£1,513,824	(9.1%)
Other	£0	(0.0%)
Total	£16,558,286	

[Metrics >>](#)

Avoidable admissions

	2022-23 Q1 Plan	2022-23 Q2 Plan	2022-23 Q3 Plan	2022-23 Q4 Plan
Unplanned hospitalisation for chronic ambulatory care sensitive conditions (Rate per 100,000 population)				

Discharge to normal place of residence

2022-23 Q1 Plan	2022-23 Q2 Plan	2022-23 Q3 Plan	2022-23 Q4 Plan
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Percentage of people, resident in the HWB, who are discharged from acute hospital to their normal place of residence (SUS data - available on the Better Care Exchange)	91.8%	92.3%	92.0%	92.3%
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Residential Admissions

		2020-21 Actual	2022-23 Plan
Long-term support needs of older people (age 65 and over) met by admission to residential and nursing care homes, per 100,000 population	Annual Rate	303	357

Reablement

		2022-23 Plan
Proportion of older people (65 and over) who were still at home 91 days after discharge from hospital into reablement / rehabilitation services	Annual (%)	91.6%

[Planning Requirements >>](#)

Theme	Code	Response
NC1: Jointly agreed plan	PR1	Yes
	PR2	Yes
	PR3	Yes
NC2: Social Care Maintenance	PR4	Yes
NC3: NHS commissioned Out of Hospital Services	PR5	Yes
NC4: Implementing the BCF policy objectives	PR6	Yes
Agreed expenditure plan for all elements of the BCF	PR7	Yes
Metrics	PR8	Yes

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4. Income

Selected Health and Wellbeing Board:

Richmond upon Thames

Local Authority Contribution	
Disabled Facilities Grant (DFG)	Gross Contribution
Richmond upon Thames	£1,925,738
DFG breakdown for two-tier areas only (where applicable)	
Total Minimum LA Contribution (exc iBCF)	£1,925,738

iBCF Contribution	Contribution
Richmond upon Thames	£776,431
Total iBCF Contribution	£776,431

Are any additional LA Contributions being made in 2022-23? If yes, please detail below	No
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Local Authority Additional Contribution	Contribution	Comments - Please use this box clarify any specific uses or sources of funding
Total Additional Local Authority Contribution	£0	

Checklist Complete:

Yes

Yes

NHS Minimum Contribution	Contribution
NHS South West London ICB	£13,856,117
Total NHS Minimum Contribution	£13,856,117

Are any additional ICB Contributions being made in 2022-23? If yes, please detail below	No
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Additional ICB Contribution	Contribution	Comments - Please use this box clarify any specific uses or sources of funding
Total Additional NHS Contribution	£0	
Total NHS Contribution	£13,856,117	

	2021-22
Total BCF Pooled Budget	£16,558,286

Funding Contributions Comments
Optional for any useful detail e.g. Carry over

Yes

Yes

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5. Expenditure

Selected Health and Wellbeing Board:

Richmond upon Thames

<< Link to summary sheet

Running Balances	Income	Expenditure	Balance
DFG	£1,925,738	£1,925,738	£0
Minimum NHS Contribution	£13,856,117	£13,856,117	£0
iBCF	£776,431	£776,431	£0
Additional LA Contribution	£0	£0	£0
Additional NHS Contribution	£0	£0	£0
Total	£16,558,286	£16,558,286	£0

Required Spend

This is in relation to National Conditions 2 and 3 only. It does NOT make up the total Minimum CCG Contribution (on row 31 above).

	Minimum Required Spend	Planned Spend	Under Spend
NHS Commissioned Out of Hospital spend from the minimum ICB allocation	£3,937,515	£6,656,032	£0
Adult Social Care services spend from the minimum ICB allocations	£5,342,603	£6,727,756	£0

>> Link to further guidance

Checklist

Column complete:

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Sheet complete

Scheme ID	Scheme Name	Brief Description of Scheme	Scheme Type	Sub Types	Please specify if 'Scheme Type' is 'Other'	Planned Expenditure					Provider	Source of Funding	Expenditure (£)	New/ Existing Scheme
						Area of Spend	Please specify if 'Area of Spend' is 'other'	Commissioner	% NHS (if Joint Commissioner)	% LA (if Joint Commissioner)				
10	Outcome Based Commissioning	This scheme includes community health services such as the	Integrated Care Planning and Navigation	Assessment teams/joint assessment		Continuing Care		CCG			Local Authority	Minimum NHS Contribution	£2,157,752	Existing
3	Carers	The Carers' offer, provides a range of services for carers such	Carers Services	Respite services		Social Care		LA			Private Sector	Minimum NHS Contribution	£474,206	Existing
10	Richmond Response and Rehabilitation	The Reablement contract	High Impact Change Model for Managing	Early Discharge Planning		Social Care		LA			Private Sector	Minimum NHS Contribution	£916,591	Existing
7	Richmond Response and Rehabilitation	Supporting discharge through integrated care	High Impact Change Model for Managing	Home First/Discharge to Assess - process		Community Health		CCG			NHS Community Provider	Minimum NHS Contribution	£1,633,618	Existing
4	GP and Multi-disciplinary Team	Integrated care planning and support in community	Community Based Schemes	Multidisciplinary teams that are supporting		Other	Multiple Support services from Primary care,	Joint	79.0%	21.0%	Private Sector	Minimum NHS Contribution	£2,249,187	Existing
14	Improved Mental Health OOH Services	Mental health support in community to prevent admission/escalating	Personalised Care at Home	Mental health /wellbeing		Mental Health		CCG			NHS Mental Health Provider	Minimum NHS Contribution	£322,643	Existing
1	Equipment and Assistive Technologies	Community equipment to support discharge avoid admission	Assistive Technologies and Equipment	Community based equipment		Community Health		CCG			Private Sector	Minimum NHS Contribution	£765,161	Existing
8	Protection of Adult Social Care	Domiciliary care	Home Care or Domiciliary Care	Domiciliary care to support hospital discharge		Social Care		LA			Local Authority	Minimum NHS Contribution	£1,639,687	Existing
5	DFG	Home adaptations to support independence	DFG Related Schemes	Adaptations, including statutory DFG		Social Care		LA			Local Authority	DFG	£1,925,738	Existing
10	Richmond Response and Rehabilitation	Step up care within the community	Reablement in a persons own home	Preventing admissions to acute setting		Social Care		LA			Local Authority	iBCF	£776,431	Existing
4	Richmond Response and Rehabilitation	Integrated care planning and navigation to avoid admission	Community Based Schemes	Multidisciplinary teams that are supporting		Social Care		LA			NHS Community Provider	Minimum NHS Contribution	£722,074	Existing
2	Additional Responsibilities Care Act	Care Act Implementation Related Duties	Care Act Implementation Related Duties	Carer advice and support		Social Care		LA			Local Authority	Minimum NHS Contribution	£678,214	Existing
15	Services Commissioned by the Voluntary	Support in the community for early intervention to avoid	Prevention / Early Intervention	Social Prescribing		Social Care		LA			Local Authority	Minimum NHS Contribution	£783,160	Existing
16	Protection of Adult Social Care	This maintains the existing social care services,Nursing &	Residential Placements	Care home		Social Care		LA			Local Authority	Minimum NHS Contribution	£1,513,824	Existing

Further guidance for completing Expenditure sheet

National Conditions 2 & 3

Schemes tagged with the following will count towards the planned **Adult Social Care services spend** from the NHS min:

- **Area of spend** selected as 'Social Care'
- **Source of funding** selected as 'Minimum NHS Contribution'

Schemes tagged with the below will count towards the planned **Out of Hospital spend** from the NHS min:

- **Area of spend** selected with anything except 'Acute'
- **Commissioner** selected as 'CB' (if 'Joint' is selected, only the NHS % will contribute)
- **Source of funding** selected as 'Minimum NHS Contribution'

2022-23 Revised Scheme types

Number	Scheme type/ services	Sub type	Description
1	Assistive Technologies and Equipment	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Telecare 2. Wellness services 3. Digital participation services 4. Community based equipment 5. Other 	Using technology in care processes to supportive self-management, maintenance of independence and more efficient and effective delivery of care. (eg. Telecare, Wellness services, Community based equipment, Digital participation services).
2	Care Act Implementation Related Duties	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Carer advice and support 2. Independent Mental Health Advocacy 3. Safeguarding 4. Other 	Funding planned towards the implementation of Care Act related duties. The specific scheme sub types reflect specific duties that are funded via the NHS minimum contribution to the BCF.
3	Carers Services	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Respite Services 2. Other 	Supporting people to sustain their role as carers and reduce the likelihood of crisis. This might include respite care/carers breaks, information, assessment, emotional and physical support, training, access to services to support wellbeing and improve independence.
4	Community Based Schemes	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Integrated neighbourhood services 2. Multidisciplinary teams that are supporting independence, such as anticipatory care 3. Low level support for simple hospital discharges (Discharge to Assess pathway 0) 4. Other 	Schemes that are based in the community and constitute a range of cross sector practitioners delivering collaborative services in the community typically at a neighbourhood/PCN level (eg: Integrated Neighbourhood Teams) Reablement services should be recorded under the specific scheme type 'Reablement in a person's own home'
5	DFG Related Schemes	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Adaptations, including statutory DFG grants 2. Discretionary use of DFG - including small adaptations 3. Handyman services 4. Other 	The DFG is a means-tested capital grant to help meet the costs of adapting a property; supporting people to stay independent in their own homes. The grant can also be used to fund discretionary, capital spend to support people to remain independent in their own homes under a Regulatory Reform Order, if a published policy on doing so is in place. Schemes using this flexibility can be recorded under 'discretionary use of DFG' or 'handyperson services' as appropriate
6	Enablers for Integration	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Data Integration 2. System IT Interoperability 3. Programme management 4. Research and evaluation 5. Workforce development 6. Community asset mapping 7. New governance arrangements 8. Voluntary Sector Business Development 9. Employment services 10. Joint commissioning infrastructure 11. Integrated models of provision 12. Other 	Schemes that build and develop the enabling foundations of health, social care and housing integration, encompassing a wide range of potential areas including technology, workforce, market development (Voluntary Sector Business Development: Funding the business development and preparedness of local voluntary sector into provider Alliances/ Collaboratives) and programme management related schemes. Joint commissioning infrastructure includes any personnel or teams that enable joint commissioning. Schemes could be focused on Data Integration, System IT Interoperability, Programme management, Research and evaluation, Supporting the Care Market, Workforce development, Community asset mapping, New governance arrangements, Voluntary Sector Development, Employment services, Joint commissioning infrastructure amongst others.
7	High Impact Change Model for Managing Transfer of Care	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Early Discharge Planning 2. Monitoring and responding to system demand and capacity 3. Multi-Disciplinary/Multi-Agency Discharge Teams supporting discharge 4. Home First/Discharge to Assess - process support/core costs 5. Flexible working patterns (including 7 day working) 6. Trusted Assessment 7. Engagement and Choice 8. Improved discharge to Care Homes 9. Housing and related services 10. Red Bag scheme 11. Other 	The eight changes or approaches identified as having a high impact on supporting timely and effective discharge through joint working across the social and health system. The Hospital to Home Transfer Protocol or the 'Red Bag' scheme, while not in the HICM, is included in this section.
8	Home Care or Domiciliary Care	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Domiciliary care packages 2. Domiciliary care to support hospital discharge (Discharge to Assess pathway 1) 3. Domiciliary care workforce development 4. Other 	A range of services that aim to help people live in their own homes through the provision of domiciliary care including personal care, domestic tasks, shopping, home maintenance and social activities. Home care can link with other services in the community, such as supported housing, community health services and voluntary sector services.
9	Housing Related Schemes		This covers expenditure on housing and housing-related services other than adaptations; eg: supported housing units.
10	Integrated Care Planning and Navigation	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Care navigation and planning 2. Assessment teams/joint assessment 3. Support for implementation of anticipatory care 4. Other 	Care navigation services help people find their way to appropriate services and support and consequently support self-management. Also, the assistance offered to people in navigating through the complex health and social care systems (across primary care, community and voluntary services and social care) to overcome barriers in accessing the most appropriate care and support. Multi-agency teams typically provide these services which can be online or face to face care navigators for frail elderly, or dementia navigators etc. This includes approaches such as Anticipatory Care, which aims to provide holistic, co-ordinated care for complex individuals. Integrated care planning constitutes a co-ordinated, person centred and proactive case management approach to conduct joint assessments of care needs and develop integrated care plans typically carried out by professionals as part of a multi-disciplinary, multi-agency teams. Note: For Multi-Disciplinary Discharge Teams related specifically to discharge, please select HICM as scheme type and the relevant sub-type. Where the planned unit of care delivery and funding is in the form of Integrated care packages and needs to be expressed in such a manner, please select the appropriate sub-type alongside.
11	Bed based intermediate Care Services	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Step down (discharge to assess pathway-2) 2. Step up 3. Rapid/Crisis Response 4. Other 	Short-term intervention to preserve the independence of people who might otherwise face unnecessarily prolonged hospital stays or avoidable admission to hospital or residential care. The care is person-centred and often delivered by a combination of professional groups. Four service models of intermediate care are: bed-based intermediate care, crisis or rapid response (including falls), home-based intermediate care, and reablement or rehabilitation. Home-based intermediate care is covered in Scheme-A and the other three models are available on the sub-types.

12	Reablement in a persons own home	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Preventing admissions to acute setting 2. Reablement to support discharge -step down (Discharge to Assess pathway 1) 3. Rapid/Crisis Response - step up (2 hr response) 4. Reablement service accepting community and discharge referrals 5. Other 	Provides support in your own home to improve your confidence and ability to live as independently as possible
13	Personalised Budgeting and Commissioning		Various person centred approaches to commissioning and budgeting, including direct payments.
14	Personalised Care at Home	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mental health /wellbeing 2. Physical health/wellbeing 3. Other 	Schemes specifically designed to ensure that a person can continue to live at home, through the provision of health related support at home often complemented with support for home care needs or mental health needs. This could include promoting self-management/expert patient, establishment of 'home ward' for intensive period or to deliver support over the longer term to maintain independence or offer end of life care for people. Intermediate care services provide shorter term support and care interventions as opposed to the ongoing support provided in this scheme type.
15	Prevention / Early Intervention	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Social Prescribing 2. Risk Stratification 3. Choice Policy 4. Other 	Services or schemes where the population or identified high-risk groups are empowered and activated to live well in the holistic sense thereby helping prevent people from entering the care system in the first place. These are essentially upstream prevention initiatives to promote independence and well being.
16	Residential Placements	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Supported living 2. Supported accommodation 3. Learning disability 4. Extra care 5. Care home 6. Nursing home 7. Discharge from hospital (with reablement) to long term residential care (Discharge to Assess Pathway 3) 8. Other 	Residential placements provide accommodation for people with learning or physical disabilities, mental health difficulties or with sight or hearing loss, who need more intensive or specialised support than can be provided at home.
18	Other		Where the scheme is not adequately represented by the above scheme types, please outline the objectives and services planned for the scheme in a short description in the comments column.

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6. Metrics

Selected Health and Wellbeing Board:

8.1 Avoidable admissions

	Indicator value	2021-22 Q1	2021-22 Q2	2021-22 Q3	2021-22 Q4	Rationale for how ambition was set	Local plan to meet ambition
		Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual		
Indirectly standardised rate (ISR) of admissions per 100,000 population (See Guidance)		100.6	97.1	99.6	97.1	12% of all unplanned hospitalisations for ambulatory care sensitive conditions are seen within very short stay units/ SDEC, coded as emergency admissions by local Trusts. Therefore, any improvement will only be seen on the remainder, with a 10% improvement on the draft figures available for Q1 2022-23.	The PAC model has introduced a 30-minute weekly MDT meeting for each GP practice. This MDT includes representation from Primary Care, Secondary Care, Social Care, Mental Health, Community Services and new 'PAC Coordinator' roles and has shown early reductions in the adopter PCNs. This is being widely adopted throughout 2022-23. Work with LTCs to support the Core20PLUS5 cohorts is also being rolled out throughout 2022-23.
	Indicator value	2022-23 Q1 Plan	2022-23 Q2 Plan	2022-23 Q3 Plan	2022-23 Q4 Plan		
		105	101	99	94		

>> link to NHS Digital webpage (for more detailed guidance)

8.3 Discharge to usual place of residence

	Quarter (%)	2021-22 Q1	2021-22 Q2	2021-22 Q3	2021-22 Q4	Rationale for how ambition was set	Local plan to meet ambition
		Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual		
Percentage of people, resident in the HWB, who are discharged from acute hospital to their normal place of residence (SUS data - available on the Better Care Exchange)	Numerator	3,017	3,117	3,107	2,852	The rate of discharge to the usual place of residence has been materially affected by the current D2A arrangements in the borough. In that basis, it is not expected that the borough will meet the levels seen currently in London, but is intended to meet the pre-pandemic levels seen in 2019-20.	Work started in 2021-22 with the TOC hub will support residents to be discharged safely to their residence. The shared local frailty pathway and PAC model will ensure that people can remain independent for as long as possible, and ensures that a proactive approach to is taken, to intervene before the person deteriorates and requires a placement.
	Denominator	3,284	3,392	3,388	3,121		
	Quarter (%)	91.8%	92.3%	92.0%	92.3%		
	Numerator	3,060	3,178	3,164	2,924		
	Denominator	3,333	3,443	3,439	3,168		

8.4 Residential Admissions

		2020-21	2021-22	2021-22	2022-23	Rationale for how ambition was set	Local plan to meet ambition
		Actual	Plan	estimated	Plan		
Long-term support needs of older people (age 65 and over) met by admission to residential and nursing care homes, per 100,000 population	Annual Rate	303.3	337.8	365.5	357.1	The trend of care home admissions has been rising since 2019/20 (pre-pandemic) and this has been taken into account when setting the 2022-23 plan. Given the increasing frailty and complexity of older people due to multiple pandemic related issues including delaying health and social care support/treatment and increased social isolation, care home admissions are estimated to have increased beyond the 2021-2022 target. Richmond has continued to see an increased rate of people discharged from hospital into short term placements who transition to remaining in the care home long term. During 2021/22, 42% of permanent placements, from hospital, started as short-term compared to 18% pre-pandemic. Older people discharging from hospital are frailer with higher and more levels of support needs at the point of discharge and in many cases needed a care home setting to meet their long-term needs. During the pandemic, many people and families delayed admission to care homes due to concern about safety and also families being able to offer increased support due to changes in working patterns. This has created a pent-up demand for care home admission as shown by the fact that in 2021/22, 39% of permanent admissions came from a community setting, compared to 30% pre. pandemic.	Despite the acknowledged increased frailty and complexity of older people, the system has a number of initiatives focused on improving the outcomes for this cohort of people. Our joint Richmond Response and Rehabilitation Team and reablement service will continue to support people with complex needs to return home from hospital and we will continue to apply the principle of home first. For people who cannot return home immediately we have access to bed-based rehabilitation to support people to continue with their reablement and rehabilitation before returning home. We recognise that for many older people hospital admission may result in physical and cognitive deterioration leading to increased support needs and admission to care homes and that for many better outcomes can be achieved if people are supported in their own homes. We have several admission avoidance strategies including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 hour rapid response service • Proactive anticipatory care (PAC) model • Same day Emergency care • Virtual ward/hospital at home • Enhancing the frailty pathway • Nightingale service • Carers support service • Social prescribers delivered by voluntary sector in partnership with primary care • Continued use of adaptations and equipment to support residents to maximise independence. • Optimising use of technology to promote independence.
	Numerator	97	110	119	119		
	Denominator	31,982	32,561	32,561	33,322		

Long-term support needs of older people (age 65 and over) met by admission to residential and nursing care homes, per 100,000 population (aged 65+) population projections are based on a calendar year using the 2018 based Sub-National Population Projections for Local Authorities in England:
<https://www.ons.gov.uk/releases/subnationalpopulationprojectionsforengland2018based>

Checklist

Complete:

Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

8.5 Reablement

		2020-21 Actual	2021-22 Plan	2021-22 estimated	2022-23 Plan	Rationale for how ambition was set	Local plan to meet ambition
Proportion of older people (65 and over) who were still at home 91 days after discharge from hospital into reablement / rehabilitation services	Annual (%)	90.2%	90.1%	92.2%	91.6%	Performance for 2021/22 was 92.2% and 219 people entered reablement; higher volumes than in the previous two years. Performance is high and expected to be in the top quartile when compared to the rest of London. It is difficult to predict the volume of people discharging out of hospital into reablement during a three-month period of October to December each year due to seasonal fluctuations. Those discharging from hospital are frailer with higher levels of support needs and are discharging earlier in their recovery journey. Therefore, it is much harder to be confident or ensure they will remain at home 91 days after hospital discharge.	A Joint Assessment and Discharge team has been in place for several years working in partnership with Kingston Hospital and Kingston Council; Whereby, the community Rapid Response Team, Local Authority Social Workers and the Hospital Discharge Team work together using the principles of discharge to assess to adopt a Home First model. During 21-22 we introduced a Transfer of Care Hub in partnership with the Acute Trust, Community Health Providers and Richmond and Kingston Councils. Using a quality improvement approach this model is being refined to ensure it continues to address the demand within the system. Our transformation plans are to develop our trusted assessor programme with our reablement and home first providers, and re-energise our maximising independence pathways, learning from the additional winter plan resources as well as bring the hospital team and our front door access team together to create our maximising independence team. We will continue to support carers to enable them to continue in their caring roles though our partnership with the voluntary sector. Developing a proactive Anticipatory Model of Care for people with escalating risks is a priority area by all system partners to ensure these people can be supported at home, harnessing the strengths within the communities and act in a timely way. As such, a Proof of Concept (PoC) has been developed working with the PCNs in Richmond, to proactively identify people and create a network based dedicated core team that will support people with escalating health and social care risks, working hand in hand with partners within the community and voluntary sectors We will expand our hospital at home provision to provide those with complex needs ongoing clinical support in their own homes.
	Numerator	165	172	202	206		
	Denominator	183	191	219	225		

Yes

Yes

Yes

Please note that due to the demerging of Northamptonshire, information from previous years will not reflect the present geographies.

As such, the following adjustments have been made for the pre-populated figures above:

- 2020-21 actuals (for Residential Admissions and Reablement) for North Northamptonshire and West Northamptonshire are using the Northamptonshire combined figure;
- 2021-22 and 2022-23 population projections (i.e. the denominator for Residential Admissions) have been calculated from a ratio based on the 2020-21 estimates.

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7. Confirmation of Planning Requirements

Selected Health and Wellbeing Board:

Richmond upon Thames

Theme	Code	Planning Requirement	Key considerations for meeting the planning requirement These are the Key Lines of Enquiry (KLOEs) underpinning the Planning Requirements (PR)	Confirmed through	Please confirm whether your BCF plan meets the Planning Requirement?	Please note any supporting documents referred to and relevant page numbers to assist the assurers	Where the Planning requirement is not met, please note the actions in place towards meeting the requirement	Where the Planning requirement is not met, please note the anticipated timeframe for meeting it
NC1: Jointly agreed plan	PR1	A jointly developed and agreed plan that all parties sign up to	<p>Has a plan; jointly developed and agreed between ICB(s) and LA; been submitted?</p> <p>Has the HWB approved the plan/delegated approval?</p> <p>Have local partners, including providers, VCS representatives and local authority service leads (including housing and DFG leads) been involved in the development of the plan?</p> <p>Where the narrative section of the plan has been agreed across more than one HWB, have individual income, expenditure and metric sections of the plan been submitted for each HWB concerned?</p>	<p>Cover sheet</p> <p>Cover sheet</p> <p>Narrative plan</p> <p>Validation of submitted plans</p>	Yes			
	PR2	A clear narrative for the integration of health and social care	<p>Is there a narrative plan for the HWB that describes the approach to delivering integrated health and social care that describes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How the area will continue to implement a joined-up approach to integrated, person-centred services across health, care, housing and wider public services locally The approach to collaborative commissioning How the plan will contribute to reducing health inequalities and disparities for the local population, taking account of people with protected characteristics? This should include <ul style="list-style-type: none"> How equality impacts of the local BCF plan have been considered Changes to local priorities related to health inequality and equality, including as a result of the COVID 19 pandemic, and how activities in the document will address these. <p>The area will need to also take into account Priorities and Operational Guidelines regarding health inequalities, as well as local authorities' priorities under the Equality Act and NHS actions in line with Core20PLUS.</p>	Narrative plan	Yes			
	PR3	A strategic, joined up plan for Disabled Facilities Grant (DFG) spending	<p>Is there confirmation that use of DFG has been agreed with housing authorities?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Does the narrative set out a strategic approach to using housing support, including use of DFG funding that supports independence at home? In two tier areas, has: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Agreement been reached on the amount of DFG funding to be passed to district councils to cover statutory DFG? or The funding been passed in its entirety to district councils? 	<p>Narrative plan</p> <p>Confirmation sheet</p>	Yes			
NC2: Social Care Maintenance	PR4	A demonstration of how the area will maintain the level of spending on social care services from the NHS minimum contribution to the fund in line with the uplift in the overall contribution	Does the total spend from the NHS minimum contribution on social care match or exceed the minimum required contribution (auto-validated on the planning template)?	Auto-validated on the planning template	Yes			
NC3: NHS commissioned Out of Hospital Services	PR5	Has the area committed to spend at equal to or above the minimum allocation for NHS commissioned out of hospital services from the NHS minimum BCF contribution?	Does the total spend from the NHS minimum contribution on non-acute, NHS commissioned care exceed the minimum ringfence (auto-validated on the planning template)?	Auto-validated on the planning template	Yes			
NC4: Implementing the BCF policy objectives	PR6	Is there an agreed approach to implementing the BCF policy objectives, including a capacity and demand plan for intermediate care services?	<p>Does the plan include an agreed approach for meeting the two BCF policy objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enable people to stay well, safe and independent at home for longer and Provide the right care in the right place at the right time? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Does the expenditure plan detail how expenditure from BCF funding sources supports this approach through the financial year? Has the area submitted a Capacity and Demand Plan alongside their BCF plan, using the template provided? Does the narrative plan confirm that the area has conducted a self-assessment of the area's implementation of the High Impact Change Model for managing transfers of care? Does the plan include actions going forward to improve performance against the HICM? 	<p>Narrative plan</p> <p>Expenditure tab</p> <p>C&D template and narrative</p> <p>Narrative plan</p> <p>Narrative template</p>	Yes			

<p>Agreed expenditure plan for all elements of the BCF</p>	<p>PR7</p>	<p>Is there a confirmation that the components of the Better Care Fund pool that are earmarked for a purpose are being planned to be used for that purpose?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do expenditure plans for each element of the BCF pool match the funding inputs? (auto-validated) • Is there confirmation that the use of grant funding is in line with the relevant grant conditions? (see paragraphs 31 – 43 of Planning Requirements) (tick-box) • Has the area included a description of how BCF funding is being used to support unpaid carers? • Has funding for the following from the NHS contribution been identified for the area: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Implementation of Care Act duties? - Funding dedicated to carer-specific support? - Reablement? 	<p>Expenditure tab</p> <p>Expenditure plans and confirmation sheet</p> <p>Narrative plan</p> <p>Narrative plans, expenditure tab and confirmation sheet</p>	<p>Yes</p>			
<p>Metrics</p>	<p>PR8</p>	<p>Does the plan set stretching metrics and are there clear and ambitious plans for delivering these?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have stretching ambitions been agreed locally for all BCF metrics? • Is there a clear narrative for each metric setting out: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the rationale for the ambition set, and - the local plan to meet this ambition? 	<p>Metrics tab</p>	<p>Yes</p>			